# Task Force on Cybersecurity

**NCSL Legislative Summit**  
Los Angeles, California  
Monday, July 30, 2018

## Agenda

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<td>7:30 a.m.</td>
<td>Task Force Breakfast and Welcome and Introductions</td>
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<td>• Senator Thomas C. Alexander, South Carolina</td>
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<td>• Assemblymember Jacqui V. Irwin, California</td>
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<td>8-9:15 a.m.</td>
<td>Disaster Response and Cybersecurity</td>
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<td>2017 was an epic year for natural disasters. Hurricanes, wildfires and flooding ravaged</td>
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<td>several states and recovery from those events is still ongoing. Learn how states and the</td>
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<td>federal government can prepare for and coordinate cyber efforts in the event of a natural</td>
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<td>disaster and hear about some of the lessons learned from addressing cyber response and</td>
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<td>security post-2017 hurricane season from federal and state officials.</td>
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<td><strong>Speakers:</strong></td>
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<td>• David Stern, deputy director of the State, Local, Tribal, and Territorial (SLTT) Cybersecurity</td>
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<td>• John B. Furay V, senior special agent, Electronic Crimes and Computer Forensics Program,</td>
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<td>United States Secret Service, California</td>
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<td>• John W. Heltzel (Brigadier General - Retired), director, Resilience Planning, The Electric</td>
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<td>Infrastructure Security Council, California</td>
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<td>• Robert Desiato, director, AT&amp;T Technology Operations, New Jersey</td>
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| 9:15-10:15 a.m.  | National Guard Cybersecurity Training and Resources for States          | The California National Guard has provided the state with invaluable cybersecurity expertise and workforce capabilities while maturing the state’s cyber defenses. Through Army training, California National Guardsmen are able to execute security assessments of state departments, provide detailed reports to state executives on vulnerabilities, provide 24/7 staffing to security operations centers and respond to state entities during a cyber incident. These capabilities are something many states could emulate for near-term solutions for cybersecurity worker shortages, and creates access to the best training and tools for their state.  
**Speakers:**  
- Lt. Col. Jim Parsons, chief, Cyber Network Defense Team, California Army National Guard  
- Maj. Ed Bombita, commander, Cyber Protection Team, California Army National Guard  
- Brig. Gen. Jay Coggan, commander, California State Military Reserve |
| 10:15-10:30 a.m.  | Break                                                                   |                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 10:30-11:15 a.m.  | Cybersecurity Maturity, Comparing and Prioritizing Agency Level Efforts | CISO Liebert has created a Cybersecurity Maturity Metric that incorporates data from multiple data sets (Independent Security Assessments, Policy Audits, Governance Document Submissions, Incident Reports) that allow executive and legislative branch officials to assess the maturity of cybersecurity programs at the department and agency level. The metric takes into account and standardizes results, based upon the security needs of departments and agencies to prevent unprepared non-critical departments from overshadowing critical departments that are lacking resources to safeguard the state. The metric also provides a transparent way for agencies and departments to understand their own maturity, and what steps they can take to improve their maturity in weak areas. With the metric drawing from multiple data sources that are updated on rolling schedules, the metric is not just a snapshot but a living diagnostic of the cyber maturity of a department.  
**Speaker:**  
- Peter Liebert, chief information security officer, Director Office of Information Security, Dept. of Technology, California |
| 11:15 a.m.-Noon  | Roundtable: State and Local Government Cybersecurity Collaboration     | State and local governments can strengthen their cybersecurity by sharing information about threats and collaborating on preventive measures. Join in this roundtable discussion about how states are making this collaboration happen and formulate ideas for the task force’s next work product.  
**Facilitator/Presenter:**  
- Michael Balboni, president and managing director, RedLand Strategies, New York |
| Noon-1:30 p.m.   | Break (on your own)                                                      |                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
### Summit General Session–CEO Forum: The Next Generation of Innovation

Hear from leading technology CEOs about the next generation of innovation and how tech will play an active role in identifying our country’s most promising opportunities and solving its biggest challenges. The conversation will address key policy issues facing the tech industry and legislative bodies, and ways to spur innovation and job creation across America. NCSL is pleased to offer this general session in conjunction with TechNet, the voice of the innovation economy.

**Moderator:**
- Andrea Deveau, vice president, State Policy and Politics, TechNet, California

**Speakers:**
- Tim Chen, founder and CEO, Nerdwallet, California
- Brynne Kennedy, founder and CEO, Topia, California
- Marco Zappacosta, co-founder and CEO, Thumbtack, California

### Responding to New Security Threats in Legislatures

**With the National Association of Legislative Information Technology**

The cybersecurity arena is changing rapidly and creating new challenges for legislatures. How do you know if your legislative operations are safe from cyberattacks? What steps can you take to protect legislative operations and IT systems, and what kinds of tools and policies should be in place to respond to threats or attacks?

**Moderator/Speaker:**
- Jeff Ford, chief technical officer, General Assembly, Indiana

**Speakers:**
- Paul Hoffman, program manager, Multi-State ISAC, New York
- Aaron Kleiner, director, Cybersecurity Policy for Digital Transformation, Microsoft Global Security Strategy & Diplomacy

### Security and Emergency Response Systems for Legislatures

**With the National Association of Legislative Information Technology**

Learn about and discuss best practices for cybersecurity and emergency notification systems in legislatures.

**Moderator/Speaker:**
- Peter Capriglione, director, Information Systems Division, General Assembly, North Carolina

**Speakers:**
- Martin Brock, chief of legislative police, General Assembly, North Carolina
- Anthony "Steve" Pike, chief of police, Virginia Capitol Police, Virginia General Assembly

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3:15 p.m.-5:30 p.m.
Los Angeles Convention Center, 304 ABC

Cybersecurity for Elections: State Policy Options
With the Redistricting & Elections Committee
Learn about legislative options to secure elections, from voter registration through voting itself and on to election results reporting. Hear from legislators and experts who have delved deep into issues of cybersecurity as it applies to elections.

Speakers:
- Maurice Turner, senior technologist, Center for Democracy and Technology, Washington D.C.
- Matt Masterson, senior cybersecurity adviser, Department of Homeland Security, Washington, D.C.
- Kim Wyman, secretary of state, Washington

5:30-7 p.m.

Networking Reception at LA Live
Meet us in LA! Feel the vibrancy of Los Angeles and enjoy this reception complete with a variety of local food and musical entertainment. Revel in the California sunshine while networking with peers from across the country. This exciting event is within walking distance of the convention center. You must have your badge to enter.

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