## Agenda

**Friday, June 18, 2021**  
**1-3 pm ET / 12-2 pm CT / 11 am-1 pm MT / 10 am-12 pm PT**

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| 1 pm EDT          | Welcome and Introductions  
**Task Force Co-Chairs**  
- Assemblymember Jacqui Irwin, California  
- Senator Thomas C. Alexander, South Carolina |
| 1-1:15 pm EDT     | CISA Briefing  
Learn about the Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency's (CISA) priorities for 2021 and how state legislators can engage, partner, and collaborate with CISA.  
**Speaker:**  
- Nitin Natarajan, Deputy Director, CISA |
| 1:15-2:15 pm EDT  | The Intractable Problem of Ransomware  
Join CISA and others for an in-depth discussion of recent ransomware incidents and how the Administration, CISA, and the private sector are working to secure our systems.  
**Speakers:**  
- Alaina R. Clark, Assistant Director for Stakeholder Engagement, CISA  
- Kemba Walden, Assistant General Counsel, Digital Crimes Unit, Microsoft  
- Senator Susan Lee, Maryland  
- Representative Jason Saine, North Carolina |
| 2:15-2:30 pm EDT  | Managing Cyber Threats Through Effective Governance  
NCSL, NGA, the Center for Internet Security (CIS), and the University of Albany collaborated to create a **Call to Action** for state governors and legislatures. It presents four action steps and a set of eight tools to guide the decisions states must make and execute to respond to an ever-increasing and evolving threat to state assets and operations. The report, [Managing Cyber Threats through Effective Governance](https://www.ncsl.org), sets forth an actionable approach to ensuring that each state has cyber governance and can maximize investments while securing their state.  
**Speaker:**  
- John Gilligan, CEO, Center for Internet Security, former CIO at the U.S. Department of Energy and at the U.S. Air Force |
| 2:30-2:45 pm EDT  | Business Meeting  
Discuss potential topics for the next task force meeting, which will be held in conjunction with the NCSL Legislative Summit in Tampa, Fl.  
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