



## CYBERSECURITY

### [New Threat to Companies: Warshipping](#)

It is so hard to keep up with the latest ways the bad guys try to infiltrate company data. One new technique is called warshipping, and its implementation is pretty simple and a little old school. [Read more](#)

## BLOCKCHAIN

### [Utah to Test Blockchain Voting Through Mobile Apps](#)

As we head toward 2020, expect significant public debate relating to smartphone applications designed to increase turnout and participation in upcoming elections. The Democratic Party has dipped its toe in the water, announcing in July plans to allow telephone voting in lieu of appearing for neighborhood caucus meetings in the key early primary states of Iowa and Nevada. [Read more](#)

## DATA SECURITY

### [New Hampshire Enacts Insurance Data Security Law](#)

New Hampshire Governor Chris Sununu recently signed the New Hampshire Insurance Data Security Law, which “establishes the exclusive state standards applicable to licensees for data security, the investigation of a cybersecurity event..., and notification to the commissioner.” The law is applicable to all persons or entities licensed, authorized to operate, registered or required to be licensed, authorized or registered, pursuant to the insurance laws of the State of New Hampshire. It becomes effective on January 1, 2020. [Read more](#)

## NEW + NOW

### [Clever Call Center Concept](#)

My husband was recently booking some travel for us and had an interesting experience that he thought was worth sharing. While he was providing his credit card number to the person who was assisting with the booking, that person told him before he gave the credit card number and CVV number to wait a moment, as she was going to stop recording the conversation. Both of us were impressed at the forward thinking this company shows in requesting credit card numbers over the telephone. [Read more](#)

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## DRONES

### [New B4UFly App Released by FAA and Kittyhawk](#)

At the beginning of 2019, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and Kittyhawk, an unmanned aerial systems (UAS or drone) service provider, announced a partnership to update the FAA's B4UFly app. The newly updated app was released last week for drone operators (both commercial and recreational alike), which now determines in real-time which airspace restrictions are in effect at any location in the United States, so that all drone operators can determine if their drone flight is in compliance with federal laws and regulations. The FAA's Executive Director of the UAS Integration Office, Jay Merkle, said, "As the skies become more crowded and UAS operations become more complex, basic airspace situational awareness, especially for the newest of fliers, will be essential." The updated app is set to assist those fliers. [Read more](#)

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### [\\$7.75 Million Grant Awarded to Drone Companies for Drone Traffic Management](#)

Two New York drone companies, AX Enterprize and Thales USA, were awarded a \$7.75 million grant from the U.S. Air Force Research Lab to develop state-of-the-art air traffic management (ATM) systems to would allow civilian and military drones to safely coexist alongside manned aircraft in the national airspace. The project and research will be conducted at the Griffiss UAS Test Site in Rome, New York in collaboration with NUAIR, Scherzi Systems LLC and Syracuse University's Center for Advanced Systems and Engineering and Autonomous Systems Policy Institute. [Read more](#)

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## PRIVACY TIP #202

### [Check the Privacy Settings on Your Phone Frequently](#)

This week's privacy tip covers cellphone privacy settings and how to find out who users have allowed to have access to their camera, microphone, location services, fitness tracking, bluetooth, etc. [Read more](#)

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