



MEL Cyber Risk Management Certification

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Server Security

1. The municipality's servers and network equipment are protected from unauthorized access.



Access Privilege Controls

1. Users with administrative rights are limited to those who need them.
2. Non-administrator users are granted limited access rights based on job function and responsibilities.
3. Access rights are updated upon any personnel status change action.
4. Access rights for each individual are reviewed at least every six (6) months.



Technology Support

1. The municipality has qualified staff or contractor(s) to provide technology support and guidance.



System / Event Logging

1. The municipality has appropriate system and event logging in place to detect and/or capture system/network performance and security anomalies.



Protected Information

1. The municipality has a process that ensures all files containing Personally Identifiable Information (PII) or Protected Health Information (PHI) are password protected or encrypted.



Remote Access

1. The municipality requires the use of a Virtual Private Network (VPN) when remotely accessing the municipal network or cloud-base applications. This also includes adopting a Remote Access Policy. (refer to Remote Access Policy – VPN in the Master Technology Policy Ver 2.2).



Leadership Expertise

1. The municipality's senior management has access to resources with expertise in their respective fields to support technology decision making, i.e., risk assessments, planning, budgeting, etc.





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IT Business Continuity

1. The municipality's Emergency Management/Continuity of Government (CoG) plan shall Include an IT Business Continuity Plan as part of their Disaster Recovery section.

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Banking Controls

1. The municipality has implemented internal controls to minimize fraudulent banking transactions.

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Technology Practice Policy

1. The Management/Governing Body has adopted the MEL's Information Technology Policy as respects to Tier 2.

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This document must be signed by the mayor, municipal administrator, or municipal clerk (or director of entity if not a municipality) AND your technology expert.

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Title

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Date

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