



The Evolving Threats to our Nation's Critical Infrastructure

June 7th from 2:30pm-3:30pm ET

Presented by **Brian Harrell**

Presentation Abstract: AVANGRID's VP & Chief Security Officer will discuss how the infrastructure threat landscape is changing and how emergency managers should focus on risk-reduction, response, and recovery. The former DHS Assistant Secretary for Infrastructure Protection will also discuss industry's response to recent cyber attacks, working with regulators and government partners, and his perspective on current and emerging threats to critical services.

Speaker Bio: Brian currently serves as the Vice President and Chief Security Officer (CSO) at AVANGRID, an energy company with assets and operations in 24 states. He is responsible for the company's physical and cybersecurity, privacy, incident management, and fire protection units. In 2018, Brian was appointed by the President of the United States to serve as the sixth Assistant Secretary for Infrastructure Protection at the U.S. Department of Homeland Security. He also served as the first Assistant Director for Infrastructure Security at the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA). He has spent time during his career in the U.S.

Marine Corps and various private sector agencies with the goal of protecting the United States from security threats.