

RISTE Lunch and Learn

Date: Tuesday, May 23, 2023 - 11:30am to 1:30pm

Location: Chelo's Restaurant on Post Road in Warwick, RI

Event overview

All Districts are at risk for data breaches, either from an employee inadvertently carrying sensitive information on an unencrypted system, or from a threat actor gaining unauthorized access. When your District or Organization experiences a cybersecurity breach, can you track the data that is exfiltrated or stolen, regardless of where it goes (dark web, home computer, personal phone)? Can your IT team **revoke access** to the information and proactively protect your students, teachers, staff, and parents?

To safeguard your stakeholders, attend our upcoming Lunch and Learn event, sponsored by Envision Technology Advisors. Hear from Envision's Public Sector Specialist **Jay Longley** and former Coventry Public Schools Superintendent **Craig Levis** about critically important security improvements that can be fully paid for by Federal funds, eliminating the strain on your approved local budget.

Attendees will also be eligible for a **free** Microsoft 365 Cybersecurity Assessment and External Penetration Scan. Even if you are currently work with a third-party vendor, the information provided will expose vulnerabilities and shape remediation efforts going forward.

Topics will include:

- Budget Neutral Implementations of a Zero Trust Framework
- Why Zero Trust Framework is a necessity for Districts
- Steps necessary to retain Cyber Liability Insurance
- How to demonstrate you are FERPA / HIPAA / 201 CMR 17 compliant
- The consequences of not having the proper measures in place (lawsuits, lost federal funding, community trust, unenrollments, and personal liability by board members)

About the speakers:

With more than 25 years of technology and cybersecurity experience, **Jay Longley** has established himself as a leader and trusted resource on topics such as Zero Trust, NIST, and Regulatory Compliance. He has been a frequent guest on local news segments and in-person speaking engagements. His team has helped public sector organizations across the country to recover from security breaches and become more resilient in the process.

With more than 37 years of leadership in the Public Sector, **Craig Levis** is considered an expert in the educational, municipal, and non-profit sectors. He has participated in numerous Board of Director roles and senior positions including Superintendent, Director of Special Education, and President of a State Association. His school district experienced a ransomware attack in 2019 and he collaborated closely with Envision Technology Advisors to restore access and strengthen the district's security posture.