Wood County, Ohio OH, IT Director

What state are your headquarters located in: OH

Total annual spend for IT and cybersecurity development measures for your company: \$250K

What state are you located in: OH

What country are you located in:

Industry Sector: Government (state/local/federal)

What are key products or services offered by your company? All County Government related services

How many people are employed by your company? 1000-5000 employees

What is the current annual revenue for your organization? Less than \$50M

How many business locations do you maintain company hardware and equipment such as servers...? 10

How many people are in your IT Department? 5

How many people are on your IT security team? 2

Number of Contact Center Seats: 0

What is your current Operating System? Windows

Who is your current ERP vendor? 0

Who is your Cloud Service Provider? Hybrid

1) Do you have responsibility for Cybersecurity? yes

Do you plan to add or expand cybersecurity initiatives in the next 12 months? yes

Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: Disaster / Backup Recoveryldentity Access Management, Multi-factor authentication Network Security - Monitoring forensics SIEM.

Please summarize your top Cybersecurity challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): multi-factor authentication for endpoints may be driving force in 2022. the other selected items are always good discussion topics and they change constantly.

2) Do you have responsibility for Cloud software solutions? yes

Do you plan to add or expand cloud solution initiatives in the next 12 months? yes

Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: Backup/Disaster RecoveryManaged File Transfer,

Please summarize your top Cloud Solutions challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): we currently use microsoft 365 but we are just scratching the surface. i have a need to backup that m365 data and prefer a cloud-to-cloud solution versus the on-prem download nightly.

3) Do you have responsibility for Digital Solutions?: yes

Do you plan to add or expand digital responsibility initiatives in the next 12 months?: no



Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: Digital Consulting Digital Workforce

Please summarize your top Digital Solutions challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): we are a county government and we don't have a need for a large automation process, but today's environment has opened up remote workforce/consultant opportunities that we would have ignored in the past.

4) Do you have responsibility for Data Management? yes

Do you plan to add or expand data management initiatives in the next 12 months? yes

Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: Backup/Disaster Recovery, Hyper-converged Infrastructure (HCI), Server Storage

Please summarize your top Data Management challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): our current data storage infrastructure is a mix. one server room has his while the other has a traditional iscsi array. the his is becoming expensive to maintain and the iscsi array will be end of life in 3 years.

5) Do you have responsibility for Software/Application Development and Management? no

Do you plan to add or expand software / application development initiatives in the next 12 months? no

Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: .

Please summarize your top Software/ Application Development challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): 0

6) Do you have responsibility for Communication Systems? yes

Do you plan to add or expand communication system initiatives in the next 12 months? yes

Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: Cloud based phone systems (VOIP), Contact Center OptimizationHosted PBX, Unified Communications,

Please summarize your top Communication Systems challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): we currently run an on-prem voip system with sip trunks from our telco provider. i may have a need in future years to replace that on-prem system with either another on-prem or a hosted pbx.

7) Do you have responsibility for Network Systems? yes

Do you plan to add or expand network system initiatives in the next 12 months? no

Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind:

Please summarize your top Network Systems challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): no need at this time.

8) Do you have responsibility for Consulting / Outsourcing? yes

Do you plan to add or expand consulting / outsourcing initiatives in the next 12 months? yes



Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: Software / Application Development, Staffing / Recruiting

Please summarize your top Consulting/Outsourcing challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): we currently use microsoft 365 but we are just scratching the surface. i may have a need for outsourced it and/or application development via our m365 environment.

9) Do you have responsibility for IT Leadership, Talent Management and Training? yes

Do you plan to add or expand IT leadership, talent management, and training initiatives in the next 12 months? no

Please specify which solutions you are interested in speaking to solution providers about with current and future projects in mind: Leadership coaching, Team Efficiency and Effectiveness Training,

Please summarize your top IT Leadership, Talent Management and Training challenges you need assistance with in the next 3-6 months. Please be as descriptive as possible and provide context around your current needs. (this ensures a relevant schedule): there is some discussion about shared services with another local entity and that may provide the opportunity for a new cio/cto type of position.



