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E-ZPass Alert

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The Port Authority of New York and New Jersey has issued a warning about an email phishing scam that is currently targeting E-ZPass users. The New Jersey branch of E-ZPass released the following statement regarding the scam: "New Jersey drivers should know that legitimate toll violation notices are sent by mail, not email, from the E-ZPass Customer Service Center in Newark, NJ. The web address for paying a legitimate violation to agencies in the New Jersey E-ZPass Group is www.EZPassNJ.com."

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Public Wi-Fi -- Sacrificing Security For Convenience

Using public Wi-Fi hotspots can be very risky without taking the proper precautions. There are several ways in which hackers can use these unsecured Wi-Fi signals to compromise devices and steal personal or financial data from unsuspecting victims. However, by being informed and taking the necessary steps to protect your data, you can still enjoy the convenience of a free and open Wi-Fi signal without sacrificing your security.

Tip of the Week

"Cybersecurity Tips for Small Business"

1. Establish basic security practices and policies for employees, such as requiring strong passwords, and establish appropriate internet use guidelines.

Latest NJCCIC Alerts

<u>Vulnerability in Microsoft Internet Explorer</u> <u>Could Allow Remote Code Execution</u>

Multiple Vulnerabilities in Apple Products

<u>Vulnerability in Lenovo Service Engine</u>
(LSE) Could Allow Remote Code Execution

- 2. Having the latest security software, web browser, and operating system are the best defenses against viruses, malware, and other online threats.
- 3. Regularly backup the data on all computers.
- Work with banks or processors to ensure the most trusted and validated tools and anti-fraud services are being used.
- 5. Do not provide any one employee with access to all data systems. Employees should only be given access to the specific data systems that they need for their jobs.

NJCCIC Announcements

August 26 | 11am - 12pm E.S.T.

#NJOHSPwebinar | Cyber Threats Update from the NJCCIC

This webinar will be conducted by cyber analysts from the NJCCIC, talking about cyber threats and security continuing to dominate the news as data breaches, doxing attacks and other attack methods targeting government, private sector and individual victims.

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