IGNITE

AGENDA

IGNITE - Innovation and Growth through Networking and Information Exchange

Wednesday, May 7, 2025 Biking and Mixer
Thursday, May 8, 2025 Workshop
Rehmann Building, Grand Rapids

GOAL: The goal of the one-day conference is to focus on technology and information security in the gas, energy, and fiber industries through learning, collaboration, and networking.

PRE-IGNITE NIGHT (OPTIONAL) - WEDNESDAY, MAY 7

5:30 - 6:30 PM **MOUNTING BIKING OR COCKTAILS – YOUR CHOICE!**
Biking - meet at Manhattan Park, East Grand Rapids; Cocktails - meet at Big E's Sports Grill

7:00 PM **DINNER - BIG E'S SPORTS GRILL**

IGNITE ROUNDTABLE - THURSDAY, MAY 8

9:00 - 9:45 AM **WELCOME & NETWORKING BREAKFAST**
Join us for a light breakfast and informal introductions. This is a great opportunity to connect with fellow attendees and kick off the day's discussions.

9:45 - 10:45 AM **ROUNDTABLE OPENING DISCUSSION**
After a major storm, what was the most unexpected thing that you now added to your Disaster Recovery plan?

10:45 - 11:00 AM **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

11:00 - 12:00 PM **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION PART 2**

Roundtable Discussion Part 2: Attendee-Submitted Topics including:

- EDR, XDR, MDR, IDR – what's everyone using? Or not using?
- Mapping software/tools
- CoPilot, ChatGPT, Gemini using, blocking or… ?
- Business Continuity Planning – is IT doing this or another person?

12:00 - 1:00 PM **NETWORKING LUNCH**

1:15 - 2:15 PM **DEEP DIVE & WRAP-UP**
Conclude our discussions with a focused deep dive into the day's most compelling hot topics and key takeaways.

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