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Energy Sector

1. *November 1, WPXI 11 Pittsburgh* – (Pennsylvania) **Buildings evacuated while crews contain gas leak in Stowe Township.** Around 40 employees at warehouse buildings in Stowe Township, Pennsylvania, were evacuated for at least 2 hours November 1 after a gas leak was discovered in the area. Columbia Gas crews capped and sealed the service line and one injury was reported.
Source: <http://www.wpxi.com/news/buildings-evacuated-while-crews-contain-gas-leak-in-stowe-township/462821885>
2. *November 1, WUFT 5 Gainesville* – (Florida) **Gas leak near UF repaired, ending evacuations.** A ruptured gas pipeline at the construction site of The Standard apartment complex near the University of Florida in Gainesville prompted the evacuation of nearby homes and forced the closure of surrounding roads for over 3 hours November 1. Gainesville Regional Utilities crews repaired the pipe and the cause of the leak remains under investigation.
Source: <http://www.wuft.org/news/2016/11/01/gas-leak-reported-at-the-standard-in-gainesville-building-evacuated/>

For additional stories, see items [9](#) and [11](#)

Chemical Industry Sector

Nothing to report

Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector

3. *November 2, AL.com* – (Alabama) **Ammonia leak causes brief alert for nuclear plant near Dothan.** Alabama Power Company issued an alert for the Joseph M. Farley Nuclear Generating Station near Dothan, Alabama, November 1 after ammonia was detected within a vital area of Unit 1, which is currently offline for a planned refueling outage. The alert was lifted after roughly 6 hours and Alabama Emergency Management Agency officials announced that no radiation was detected and there was no danger to the public.
Source:
http://www.al.com/news/montgomery/index.ssf/2016/11/ammonia_leak_leads_to_alert_fo.html

Critical Manufacturing Sector

See item [18](#)

Defense Industrial Base Sector

Nothing to report

Financial Services Sector

4. *November 2, Columbus Dispatch* – (Ohio) **Police say they've caught 'Buckeye Bandit,' blamed for up to 30 robberies.** Authorities in Columbus, Ohio, announced November 1 that a man dubbed the “Buckeye Bandit” was arrested October 21 after he allegedly committed up to 30 robberies at banks and pharmacies across the State since September 2013, including a robbery at a KeyBank branch in Columbus where the suspect allegedly stole over \$53,000 in October 2016. Officials reported that while the suspect currently faces one charge of armed robbery, additional charges could be filed at a later date pending further investigation.
Source: <http://www.dispatch.com/content/stories/local/2016/11/01/1030-buckeye-bandit-suspect.html>
5. *November 1, WCMH 4 Columbus* – (Ohio) **Marion overdose cases lead to credit card skimming operation.** Authorities in Marion, Ohio, arrested and charged several individuals October 31 after discovering hundreds of fraudulent credit cards and gift cards, a credit card imprinter, and other illicit items in a Marion home while investigating a drug trafficking operation.
Source: <http://nbc4i.com/2016/11/01/marion-overdose-cases-lead-to-credit-card-skimming-operation/>

Transportation Systems Sector

6. *November 2, WCTV 6 Thomasville* – (Florida) **Victim identified in fatal Wakulla County crash.** Spring Creek Highway at Sarsi Drive in Wakulla County, Florida, was closed for several hours November 1 following a head-on collision involving a dump truck and another vehicle. One person was killed and another was transported to an area hospital with severe injuries.
Source: <http://www.wctv.tv/content/news/Fatal-crash-in-Wakulla-County-closes-highway-399525131.html>
7. *November 2, WBZ 4 Boston* – (Massachusetts) **Train carrying corrosive cleaning solution derailed in Westford.** Six cars from a Pan Am Railways freight train carrying ferrous chloride derailed in Westford, Massachusetts, November 1, prompting the response of HAZMAT teams. Crews worked November 2 to clear the tracks, and officials stated none of the corrosive material leaked out of the cars.
Source:
<http://boston.cbslocal.com/2016/11/02/westford-train-derailment-hazmat-response-pan-am-railways/>
8. *November 1, KHON 2 Honolulu* – (Hawaii) **Man dies at scene of Honoapiilani Highway crash.** A portion of Honoapiilani Highway from Maalaea to Ukumehame in Maui County, Hawaii, was closed for about 3 hours November 1 after a vehicle traveling northbound crossed the center line and struck an oncoming vehicle. One person was killed and two others were injured.
Source: <http://khon2.com/2016/11/01/fatal-accident-shuts-down-portion-of-honoapiilani-highway-on-maui/>

9. *November 1, KWCH 12 Hutchinson* – (Kansas) **Traffic reopened after gas leak at Pawnee and I-135.** Southbound lanes of Interstate 135 in Wichita, Kansas, were closed for about 2 hours November 1 while crews worked to repair a gas leak under the overpass at Pawnee Street and Interstate 135 after a construction crew struck the gas line.
Source: <http://www.kwch.com/content/news/Gas-leak-diverts-traffic-in-SE-Wichita-399577391.html>

10. *November 1, San Francisco Chronicle* – (California) **Overtaken big rig on Hwy. 101 in San Jose snarls traffic.** Four southbound lanes of Highway 101 and the on-ramp from Interstate 880 in San Jose, California, were closed for roughly 2 hours November 1 after a semi-truck overturned on the ramp. The driver was transported to an area hospital and the cause of the crash remains under investigation.
Source: <http://www.sfgate.com/bayarea/article/Overtaken-big-rig-on-Hwy-101-in-San-Jose-snarls-10441875.php>

11. *November 1, KIFI 8 Idaho Falls/KIDK 3 Idaho Falls* – (Idaho) **Names released in deadly crash on Highway 75.** Idaho Highway 75 between Sunbeam and Challis in Custer County was closed for more than 8 hours November 1 after a vehicle traveling northbound crossed the center line and struck a semi-truck, causing the semi-truck to spill 10,000 gallons of diesel fuel on the roadway and ignite. One person was killed and environmental officials were working to assess the damage.
Source: <http://www.localnews8.com/news/crash-on-highway-75-closes-the-road-kills-one-driver/139165781>

12. *November 1, Honolulu Star-Advertiser* – (Hawaii) **Bicyclist critically injured in crash on Nimitz Highway.** Westbound lanes of Nimitz Highway between Alakawa Street and Waiakamilo Road in Honolulu were closed for about 2 hours November 1 after a bicyclist was struck by a car and ejected. The bicyclist was sent to an area hospital with critical injuries.
Source: <http://www.staradvertiser.com/2016/11/01/breaking-news/section-of-nimitz-hwy-westbound-closed-after-vehicle-accident/>

Food and Agriculture Sector

Nothing to report

Water and Wastewater Systems Sector

Nothing to report

Healthcare and Public Health Sector

13. *November 1, Green Bay Press-Gazette* – (Wisconsin) **Radio causes bomb scare at Oneida health clinic.** The Oneida Community Health Center in Hobart, Wisconsin,

was evacuated for over 2 hours November 1 after a battery-powered radio was mistaken for an explosive device.

Source: <http://www.greenbaypressgazette.com/story/news/2016/11/01/bomb-scares-shuts-down-oneida-health-clinic/93110116/>

Government Facilities Sector

14. *November 2, WTKR 3 Norfolk* – (Virginia) **Overnight fire prompts closure of Carrsville Elementary School.** Officials closed Carrsville Elementary School in Carrsville, Virginia, until further notice November 2 due to significant smoke damage from a fire that reportedly began in a computer cart at the school.
Source: <http://wtkr.com/2016/11/02/overnight-fire-prompts-closure-of-carrsville-elementary-school/>
15. *November 1, WTVQ 36 Lexington* – (Kentucky) **Seton Catholic School closed Tuesday due to power outage.** Seton Catholic School in Lexington, Kentucky, was closed November 1 due to a power outage at the school. Blue Grass Energy crews worked to restore power.
Source: <http://www.wtvq.com/2016/11/01/seton-catholic-school-closed-tuesday-due-power-outage/>
16. *November 1, WFTV 9 Orlando* – (Florida) **Orange County school bus with students on board involved in crash.** Authorities in Orlando, Florida, are investigating a crash involving an Orange County School District bus and another vehicle November 1. No injuries were reported and the students were transferred to another bus.
Source: <http://www.wftv.com/news/local/orange-county-school-bus-with-students-on-board-involved-in-crash/462835583>

Emergency Services Sector

Nothing to report

Information Technology Sector

17. *November 2, The Register* – (International) **Multiple RCE flaws found in Memcached web speed tool.** Web performance tool Memcached received security patches after a security researcher from Cisco Systems, Inc., discovered that Memcached version 1.4.31 and earlier were plagued with three integer overflow vulnerabilities that could be exploited to achieve remote code execution (RCE) on a targeted system, and are manifested in Memcached functions used to insert, append, or modify key-value data pairs. The researcher reported that systems with Memcached compiled with support for Simple Authentication and Security Layer (SASL) authentication were also vulnerable to another flaw due to how Memcached handles SASL authentication commands.
Source: http://www.theregister.co.uk/2016/11/02/multiple_rce_flaws_found_in_super_popular_memcached_speed_tool/

18. *November 2, SecurityWeek* – (International) **Security firm discloses unpatched flaws in Schneider HMI product.** CRITIFENCE discovered two unpatched denial-of-service (DoS) flaws, dubbed PanelShock affecting several of Schneider Electric’s Magelis human-machine interface (HMI) panels, which could allow attackers to cause the affected devices to enter into a DoS condition by sending maliciously crafted Hypertext Transfer Protocol (HTTP) requests due to a faulty implementation of HTTP request methods and resource consumption management mechanisms. Schneider Electric was working to release patches for the security holes.
Source: <http://www.securityweek.com/security-firm-discloses-unpatched-flaws-schneider-hmi-product>
19. *November 1, SecurityWeek* – (International) **Vulnerability impacts web-exposed SAP systems.** A security researcher from Quenta Solutions reported that an information disclosure vulnerability affecting SAP systems that was patched in September affects over 941 SAP systems exposed to the Internet. The flaw could be exploited to remotely access the list of SAP users from the system and obtain information such as usernames, user IDs, and email addresses that can be used to launch phishing campaigns.
Source: <http://www.securityweek.com/vulnerability-impacts-web-exposed-sap-systems>
20. *October 30, Softpedia* – (International) **Teen behind Titanium DDoS Stresser pleads guilty in London.** A British national pleaded guilty to running the Titanium Stresser, a distributed denial-of-service (DDoS) for-hire service that malicious actors used to launch a total of 1.7 million DDoS attacks internationally. Authorities reported that the service operator made over \$385,000 in profits from renting his DDoS tools to hackers.
Source: <http://news.softpedia.com/news/teen-behind-titanium-ddos-stresser-pleads-guilty-in-london-509811.shtml>

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Information on IT information sharing and analysis can be found at the IT ISAC (Information Sharing and Analysis Center) Web site: <http://www.it-isac.org>

Communications Sector

Nothing to report

Commercial Facilities Sector

21. *November 1, Butler County Journal-News* – (Ohio) **Hamilton firefighters battle blaze that does \$500K damage in plaza.** A fire at the Hamilton Plaza in Hamilton, Ohio, caused an estimated \$500,000 in damages to the Rent-A-Center and two neighboring stores November 1. No injuries were reported and the cause of the fire remains under investigation.
Source: <http://www.journal-news.com/news/local/hamilton-firefighters-battle-blaze->

[that-does-500k-damage-plaza/EVRy3iIvZKQ4Gbv9aR2WAO/](http://www.wjactv.com/news/local/westmont-bank-evacuated-after-man-threatened-to-blow-it-up/)

22. *November 1, WJAC 6 Johnstown* – (Pennsylvania) **Westmont bank evacuated after man threatened to blow it up.** A 1st Summit Bank branch in Westmont, Pennsylvania, was evacuated for several hours November 1 after an unidentified man threatened to detonate a bomb. Authorities issued an all-clear after no devices were found and the incident remains under investigation.
Source: <http://wjactv.com/news/local/westmont-bank-evacuated-after-man-threatened-to-blow-it-up>

For another story, see item [4](#)

Dams Sector

23. *November 1, Turlock Journal* – (California) **Don Pedro Reservoir to undergo major refurbishment work in 2017.** Officials from the Turlock Irrigation District in Turlock, California, announced November 1 plans to complete three projects to upgrade the Power Tunnel at the Don Pedro Reservoir, including installing a new bulkhead gate, replacing the turbine shutoff valve, and installing a new fixed wheel gate. The repair work will cost an estimated \$7 million and is slated to begin in February 2017.
Source: <http://www.turlockjournal.com/section/12/article/33038/>



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