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TO: Wisconsin County and Municipal Clerks
FROM: Jacob Walters, Elections Security Trainer
SUBJECT: Trainings available from the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA) offers a wide range of trainings and helpful material for Wisconsin's county and municipal clerks, including a five-part training series this summer in partnership with the Wisconsin Elections Commission.

Three of these five trainings have already taken place, but WEC will soon have *Cybersecurity for Home and Work*, from May 3rd, and *See Something, Say Something & Mail Handling*, from June 12th, available to view as interactive webinars on ElectEd.

There's still time to sign up for the two remaining trainings, however! Please find that information below:

| What | When | How To Register |
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| <i>Generative AI & Elections</i> | Monday, July 8 th from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. | https://electiontraining.wi.gov/events/generative-ai-elections |
| <i>The Power of Hello/De-Escalation</i> | Thursday, August 1 st from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. | https://electiontraining.wi.gov/events/power-hello-de-escalation |

CISA is also offering round two its #Protect2024 webinar series, and clerks can find a listing of those training opportunities below:

| Title Of Training | When | Topics Covered | How To Join |
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| <i>Securing Your Election Network Against Common Attacks</i> | Friday, July 12 th , from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. | Phishing, Ransomware, and DDOS & CISA Cybersecurity Services 101 | https://cisa.webex.com/cisa/j.php?MTID=mde679b34d0da9d1928bd7f15eed75a8b |
| <i>Securing Election Infrastructure Against Physical Threats</i> | Friday, July 19 th , from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. | Securing Local Election Offices & Election Mail Handling Procedures to Protect Against Hazardous Materials | https://cisa.webex.com/cisa/j.php?MTID=m4620e4817bfe4b7a20be6a707cea949a |

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| <i>Ready for Anything</i> | Friday, July 26 th , from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. | Tactics of Foreign Malign Influence Operations & Incident Management Assistance and Communications Planning | https://cisa.webex.com/j.php?MTID=m6d4a91520d13127c5fc2ee505b577938 |
| <i>Managing Risk on the Frontline</i> | Friday, August 2 nd , from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. | Conflict Prevention/Personal Security Considerations & Reporting and Responding to Suspicious Behavior and Items | https://cisa.webex.com/j.php?MTID=m8b28b538db5c9c01be38dcba71a4325 |