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Energy Sector

1. *June 3, Baton Rouge Advocate* – (Louisiana) **Audit: State regulation of wells inadequate.** An audit released June 2 by the Louisiana Legislative Auditor's Office determined that the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources Office of Conservation was mismanaging oil and gas regulations after an investigation found that over half the oil and gas wells in the State were not inspected within a 3-year guideline set by the State, and more than 2,800 orphaned wells had not be plugged as of July 2013, among other findings.
   Source: http://theadvocate.com/home/9342671-125/audit-state-regulation-of-wells

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Chemical Industry Sector

2. *June 5, Baton Rouge Advocate* – (Louisiana) **No injuries reported in fire at Westlake Chemical.** A fire broke out June 4 inside a refrigeration unit that stores organic peroxide at the Westlake Chemical Corporation's facility in Ascension Parish, prompting company officials to shut down a polyvinyl chloride (PVC) unit as a precaution. No injuries were reported and the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality stated that air quality tests revealed no emission levels that were harmful to human health.
   Source: http://theadvocate.com/home/9362826-125/fire-at-westlake-chemical-causes

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Financial Services Sector

3. *June 5, Help Net Security* – (California) **American Express credit card data exposed.** American Express announced June 2 that over 76,000 cardholders in California may have had their payment card information disclosed in a batch of payment card information exposed by a hacktivist group in March. Many of the cards in the larger March breach appeared to come from older leaks and not from a new breach.
   Source: http://www.net-security.org/article.php?id=2034

4. *June 5, WYFF 4 Greenville* – (South Carolina; Florida) **Secret Service: Men recruited to set up ATM skimmers in Greenville.** Police in Greenville, South Carolina, arrested two men who arrived in the area May 31 and were suspected of installing ATM skimming devices to collect payment card data from bank ATMs in Greenville and Spartanburg. The men admitted during an interview with U.S. Secret Service agents to being given a list of locations to target by a man from Miami who instructed them to place skimmers and pinhole cameras on the listed ATMs.
   Source: http://www.wyff4.com/news/secret-service-men-recruited-to-set-up-atm-skimmers-in-greenville/26342786

5. *June 4, Bloomberg News* – (International) **Ex-ConvergEx trader charged with fraud over trade markups.** A Bermuda-based former ex-ConvergEx trader appeared before a judge in New Jersey June 4 after being indicted for allegedly making false reports with fabricated details about trades, causing ConvergEx clients to lose over $5.1 million.
   Source: http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2014-06-04/ex-convergex-trader-charged-with-fraud-over-trade-markups.html

6. *June 4, WCBS 2 New York City* – (New York) **FBI: 'Gatsby Bandit' arrested, charged in Manhattan bank robbery.** FBI agents arrested a suspect known as the "Gatsby Bandit" June 3 and charged him with the robbery of an HSBC Bank branch May 27 in New York City. The suspect is also believed to be connected to three other bank robberies in the Queens area of the city.
   Source: http://newyork.cbslocal.com/2014/06/04/fbi-gatsby-bandit-arrested-charged-in-manhattan-bank-robbery/

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Transportation Systems Sector

7. *June 5, Annapolis Capital* – (Maryland) **Route 50 east reopened in Annapolis after sinkhole repairs.** Eastbound Route 50 at Aris T. Allen Boulevard in Annapolis reopened June 5 after repairs took 9 hours when heavy rains caused a 24-inch corrugated metal pipe to collapse beneath the road, creating a sinkhole June 4.
   Source: http://www.capitalgazette.com/news/for_the_record/sinkhole-opens-on-route-road-closed-for-evening-commute/article_976566b7-71a1-5a25-88ca-918f7847e16a.html

8. *June 5, Nextgov* – (National) **Flaw lets hackers control electronic highway billboards.** The U.S. Department of Homeland Security advised transportation operators June 4 of a hard-coded password vulnerability discovered in Daktronics Vanguard highway notification sign configuration software which could allow hackers to gain unauthorized access to the highway signs. The vendor was notified and is working to fix the issue.
   Source: http://www.nextgov.com/cybersecurity/2014/06/flaw-lets-hackers-control-electronic-highway-billboards/85849/

9. *June 4, Access North Georgia* – (Georgia**) One killed in Hwy. 316 wreck.** Highway 316 in Barrow County, Georgia, was closed in both directions between Patrick Mill Road and Carl Bethlehem Road for more than 8 hours June 4 after two consecutive accidents on eastbound and westbound lanes that left one person dead and another injured.
   Source: http://www.accessnorthga.com/detail.php?n=275687

10. *June 4, Associated Press* – (Delaware) **Massive dirt pile may have led to bridge closure.** Officials said June 4 that a contractor who dumped a massive pile of dirt about two stories high and 100 yards long over several years next to an Interstate 495 bridge in Delaware may have caused the ground to shift underneath the bridge, causing four structural columns to tilt and prompting officials to shut the bridge down indefinitely until repairs can be made.
   Source: http://www.seattlepi.com/news/us/article/Crucial-East-Coast-highway-bridge-remains-closed-5527088.php

11. *June 4, WJLA 7 Washington, D.C.* – (Virginia) **Three northern Va. residents killed, one injured in deadly I-81 crash.** Southbound Interstate 81 in Washington County, Virginia, was shut down for about 3 hours June 3 after a car crashed into a parked semi-truck on the side of the road, killing three passengers and sending a fourth to a local hospital for injuries.
   Source: http://www.wjla.com/articles/2014/06/three-northern-va-residents-killed-one-injured-in-deadly-i-81-crash-103789.html

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Food and Agriculture Sector

12. *June 4, Associated Press* – (Washington) **Washington's Wilcox Farms cited for fatal silo accident.** The Washington Department of Labor & Industries cited Wilcox Farms Feedmill, Inc., for several safety violations following an inspection that was initiated after a worker was buried under tons of spilled corn and died when a grain silo collapsed on a Roy, Washington farm in December 2013. Proposed penalties totaled $67,000.
   Source: http://seattle.cbslocal.com/2014/06/04/wilcox-farms-cited-for-fatal-silo-accident/

13. *June 4, U.S Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **Ocean Spray voluntarily**

recalls limited quantity of 8-ounce Greek Yogurt Covered Craisins® Dried Cranberries which may contain undeclared peanuts. Ocean Spray voluntarily issued a recall for 8-ounce packages of its Ocean Spray Greek Yogurt Covered Craisins Dried Cranberries due to the potential that the products may contain undeclared peanuts.
Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm399945.htm

14. *June 4, U.S. Food and Drug Administration* – (National) **Health Matters America, Inc, recalls Organic Sprouted Chia Seed Powder and Sprouted Chia/flax Seed Powder due to possible health risk.** Health Matters America, Inc., voluntarily recalled its Organic Traditions Sprouted Chia Seed Powder and Sprouted Chia/Flax Seed Powder products due to possible Salmonella contamination. The products were sold in 8-ounce, 16-ounce, and 50 pound packages and were sold to distributors, retailers, and via Internet sales in several States.
Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm399894.html

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Water and Wastewater Systems Sector

15. *June 5, Towanda Daily Review* – (Pennsylvania) **Chemical spill reported at GTP causes restriction on boat travel on Susquehanna River.** Boating and river traffic between the Hornbrook Park river access in Seshequin Township and the Wysox river access was restricted for 24 hours by authorities after approximately 100 gallons of solvent spilled into the Susquehanna River from Global Tungsten & Powders Corp., in Towanda. A power outage prompted a tank to overflow and spill the solvent.
Source: http://thedailyreview.com/news/chemical-spill-reported-at-gtp-causes-restriction-on-boat-travel-on-susquehanna-river-1.1698098

16. *June 4, WGHP 8 High Point* – (North Carolina) **15,000 gallons of untreated waste water spill in Greensboro.** Greensboro officials reported that an estimated 15,000 gallons of untreated wastewater spilled into North Buffalo Creek in Greensboro June 3 after a tree collapsed and hit a section of pipeline, causing the wastewater to flood for over 2 hours. The pipeline was replaced and several fire hydrants were opened to help clear the spill.
Source: http://myfox8.com/2014/06/04/15000-gallons-of-untreated-wastewater-spill-in-greensboro/

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Healthcare and Public Health Sector

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Government Facilities Sector

17. *June 5, CNN* – (California) **Navy jet crashes into Pacific on approach to carrier.** The pilot of a U.S. Navy fighter jet ejected and was safely recovered after an F/A-18E Super Hornet jet crashed into the Pacific Ocean near southern California while approaching the USS Carl Vinson June 4. All operations on the aircraft carrier were suspended indefinitely.
    Source: http://www.cnn.com/2014/06/05/us/california-navy-jet-crash/index.html

18. *June 5, Associated Press* – (California) **Military jet crashes in California neighborhood.** The pilot of a U.S. Marine Corps jet safely ejected before a Harrier AV-8B jet crashed into a residential area and destroyed two homes in Imperial, California, June 4. The plane was based in Marine Corps Air Station Yuma in Arizona.
    Source: http://www.washingtonpost.com/national/military-jet-crashes-in-california-neighborhood/2014/06/04/6726671c-ec4f-11e3-b10e-5090cf3b5958_story.html

19. *June 4, St. Paul Pioneer Press* – (Minnesota) **St. Paul Central High School cancels classes, no makeup day scheduled.** Classes were cancelled at St. Paul Central High School in Minnesota June 4 due to a power outage. Service was restored to the building after nearly 2 hours.
    Source: http://www.twincities.com/education/ci_25894958/st-paul-central-high-school-cancels-classes-power

20. *June 4, Macomb Daily* – (Michigan) **Power outage closes two government buildings in Mount Clemens.** Macomb County's Talmer Building and the Clemens Center building were closed June 3 due to a power outage caused by a fallen utility pole.
    Source: http://www.macombdaily.com/general-news/20140603/power-outage-closes-two-government-buildings-in-mount-clemens

21. *June 4, WKBT 8 La Crosse* – (Wisconsin) **School buses pulled off road for missing brake sensor.** Durham School Services in Wisconsin is investigating after seven Minnesota City Bus Service school buses were pulled out of service the week of May 26 when authorities learned the buses were missing their brake sensors. Police found that the sensors were tampered with and reinstalled to appear as though they were in their original condition.
    Source: http://www.news8000.com/news/school-buses-pulled-off-road-for-missing-brake-sensor/26313650

22. *June 4, Hanover Evening Sun* – (Pennsylvania) **Update on Wednesday's bus crash in Upper Adams school district.** Eleven Bendersville Elementary School students were transported to an area hospital for minor injuries after their school bus hit the back of a car in Bendersville Borough June 4.
    Source: http://www.eveningsun.com/local/ci_25896589/police-investigate-bus-crash-bendersville

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Emergency Services Sector

23. *June 4, Charleston Daily Mail* – (West Virginia) **Six charged in riot at detention center.** Six teenagers were charged for their involvement in a February riot at the Lorrie Yeager Jr. Juvenile Center in Parkersburg after two teens began assaulting correctional officers and four others became involved, escalating violence against staff members.
Source: http://www.charlestondailymail.com/article/20140604/DM02/140609664/1276

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Information Technology Sector

24. *June 5, Threatpost* – (International) **New OpenSSL MitM flaw affects all clients, some server versions.** A security researcher identified a remotely exploitable vulnerability in all versions of OpenSSL that could be used in a man-in-the-middle (MitM) attack to decrypt traffic between vulnerable clients and servers. The researcher reported that the vulnerability appears to have existed in OpenSSL's code since 1998
Source: http://threatpost.com/new-openssl-mitm-flaw-affects-all-clients-some-server-versions

25. *June 5, Softpedia* – (International) **Skype users face security risk due to unencrypted data.** Solutionary researchers reported in the company's May Threat Report that Skype users' personal information and chat transcripts could be vulnerable to attackers due to the data being kept in an unencrypted file on the local system in Windows and Linux. The files are hidden by default but could easily be found by an attacker.
Source: http://news.softpedia.com/news/Skype-Users-Face-Security-Risk-Due-to-Unencrypted-Data-445414.shtml

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Communications Sector

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Commercial Facilities Sector

26. *June 5, WNBC 4 New York City* – (New York) **Father throws kids out window to escape Staten Island blaze; 34 hurt: FDNY.** A 5-alarm fire broke out June 5 at an apartment building in the Rosebank neighborhood of New York City's Staten Island, injuring at least 34 people, including 23 firefighters. The cause of the fire that rendered the 5-unit building uninhabitable is under investigation.
Source: http://www.nbcnewyork.com/news/local/Fire-Rosebank-Staten-Island-4-Alarm-Injuries-261933161.html

27. *June 5, WKRN 2 Nashville* – (Tennessee) **2-alarm fire destroys church near Nashville airport.** Firefighters responded to a 2-alarm fire at the Trinity Church of the Nazarene in Nashville June 5 after a suspected lightning strike sparked the blaze which caused extensive damage to the structure's roof.
Source: http://www.wkrn.com/story/25698867/church-catches-fire-near-nashville-airport

28. *June 5, WXIA 11 Atlanta* – (Georgia) **Fire damages DeKalb County hotel.** Authorities are investigating the cause of a fire that broke out at a Quality Inn hotel in DeKalb County June 4 and prompted the evacuation of 55 people from the hotel.
Source: http://www.11alive.com/story/news/local/tucker/2014/06/05/quality-inn-northlake-fire/10001043/

29. *June 4, Asbury Park Press* – (New Jersey) **Bomb threats lead to searches at Walmart, Kmart.** Customers and employees inside three Walmart and Kmart stores in Monmouth and Ocean Counties were evacuated June 4 due to bomb threats that were phoned in to each location. Police searched and then cleared each store about 3 hours later when no explosive devices were found.
Source: http://www.app.com/story/news/crime/2014/06/04/walmart-kmart-evacuate/9993229/

30. *June 3, KING 5 Seattle* – (Washington) **"Professionals" steal $1 million in jewelry from Puyallup store.** Police are investigating after up to four suspects broke into Gold Dimensions in Puyallup June 1, cut through a wall behind the store's safe, and stole nearly $1 million in jewelry.
Source: http://www.king5.com/news/local/Puyallup-jewelery-store-robbed-by-professionals-261779001.html

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Dams Sector

31. *June 4, WDSU 6 New Orleans* – (Louisiana) **Lafourche Parish declares state of emergency after levee breach.** Lafourche Parish authorities declared a state of emergency June 2 after a levee was breached in the Belle Terre area of Choupic, likely due to water that infiltrated from a nearby swamp after heavy rains. Crews sandbagged

the weakened areas to stabilize the levee until officials are able to determine a solution to strengthen the levee against future incidents.
Source: http://www.wdsu.com/news/local-news/new-orleans/lafourche-parish-declares-state-of-emergency-after-levee-breach/26312636

32. *June 4, Denver Post* – (Colorado) **Chatfield Reservoir expansion approved by feds, will flood state park.** Federal engineers approved the expansion of Chatfield Reservoir in Colorado which will re-allocate the reservoir to help supply an average of 2.8 billion gallons of water a year for industrial, environmental, municipal, and agricultural use in the Denver and Front Range communities. The project will submerge 10 percent of Chatfield State Park.
Source: http://www.denverpost.com/environment/ci_25900035/chatfield-reservoir-expansion-approved-by-feds-will-flood

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