Clark County Nevada

Introduction

This case study of Clark County Nevada is based on a September 2016 survey of Cisco Stealthwatch customers by TechValidate, a 3rd-party research service.

> "Stealthwatch protects my previous investments by allowing me to do more with my existing security tools."
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> "Stealthwatch has dramatically improved my organization's security posture."
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> "On the first day Stealthwatch was operating, we detected and solved two chronic issues that plagued our network team for months."
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> "Stealthwatch is the most instantly usable network monitoring software I've ever seen."

Challenges

Clark Country Nevada deployed Cisco Stealthwatch to gain visibility into the following:

- Data centers
- Access
- Edge
- Core
- User data
- Virtualized infrastructure

Organization Profile

Organization:
Clark County Nevada

Organization Size:
State & Local

Industry:
Government

Use Case

The key features and functionalities of Cisco Stealthwatch that Clark County Nevada uses:

- Uses Stealthwatch for the following reasons:
  - Combat insider threats
  - Identify malware and APTs
  - Prevent ransomware attacks
  - Improve network performance
  - Conduct forensic investigations
  - Proactively hunt for threats on the network
  - Prevent DDoS attacks
  - Enforce policy

About Cisco Stealthwatch

With Stealthwatch, organizations can improve both network security and performance, and avoid the high costs associated with downtime, security breaches and other issues.

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Results

Clark County Nevada uses Cisco Stealthwatch for the following reasons:

- Improve security efficacy
- Reduce enterprise risk
- Increase operational efficiency
- Improve regulatory compliance
- Uses Stealthwatch to enable the following:
  - Detect threats faster
  - Secure more areas of the network
  - Illuminate blind spots in the network
  - Reduce mean time to dwell for threats on the network
  - Accelerate incident response
  - Improve forensic investigations
  - Use the network as a sensor
  - Use the network as an enforcer
- Rates their experience with Stealthwatch's proposed benefits to be as follows:
  - Simple, easy to use: very strongly agree
  - Open, easy to integrate: agree
  - Automated, reduces manual work: very strongly agree
  - Effective, enhances security: very strongly agree