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The Portland District Office provides SBA programs and services to Oregon and SW Washington. Working with SBA resource partners, we can help businesses start, grow and achieve success.

Start your information security planning here!

NIST and FBI will provide an overview of information security threats, vulnerabilities, and corresponding protective tools and techniques that small business owners can apply directly to their business.

When: August 28, 2013
8:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Where: ODS Tower – Suite 1930
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Registration: pdxhelp@sba.gov

What do your business invoices have in common with e-mail? If both are done on the same computer, you may want to think more about computer security. Information, like payroll records, proprietary information, client or employee data, is essential to a business's success. A computer failure or other system breach could cost your business anything from its reputation to damages and recovery costs. By recognizing the threat of computer crime and taking steps to deter inappropriate activities, your business is less likely to become a victim.

You may not be able to justify an extensive security program or a full-time expert. Nonetheless, you face serious security challenges and must address security requirements based on identified needs. You may struggle to identify needed security mechanisms and trainings that are practical and cost-effective. But, by becoming educated in terms of security, you can ensure your limited resources are well applied to meet the most obvious and serious threats to your small business.

To help you with this, NIST, the Small Business Administration, and the Federal Bureau of Investigation entered into a cosponsorship agreement for the purpose of conducting a series of trainings on computer security for small businesses.

This workshop will help you learn how to define information security for your organization, understand common threats and discover current technologies being used to reduce information security vulnerabilities.

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