

# Daily Open Source Infrastructure Report 06 November 2013

## **Top Stories**

- SAC Capital Advisors LP agreed to plead guilty to securities and wire fraud, and to pay \$1.8 billion in penalties to end an insider trading case. *Bloomberg News* (See item <u>9</u>)
- Repairs to U.S. Highway 36, severely damaged in September by floods in northern Colorado, were completed and the highway reopened ahead of schedule. *Fort Collins Coloradoan* (See item 14)
- The U.S. Department of Justice announced that Johnson & Johnson and two of its subsidiaries will pay \$2.2 billion to settle charges for false marketing. *CNN Money* (See item <u>20</u>)
- Police found the man suspected of firing multiple shots and causing a lockdown at the Garden State Plaza mall in Paramus dead of a self-inflicted wound. *Associated Press* (See item 32)

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## **Energy Sector**

1. November 5, Hudson County Jersey Journal – (New Jersey) PSE&G begins remediation of Hoboken block that once had gas plant. PSE&G crews will spend up between 5 and 6 weeks removing contaminated soil at a vacant Hoboken site of a closed plant that once manufactured gas. The \$30 million project will require the excavation of 95,000 tons of soil that was contaminated with coal tar and other byproducts during gas manufacturing several decades ago.

Source: <a href="http://www.nj.com/jjournal-news/index.ssf/2013/11/pseg\_begins\_remediation\_of\_hob.html">http://www.nj.com/jjournal-news/index.ssf/2013/11/pseg\_begins\_remediation\_of\_hob.html</a>

2. November 5, Tulsa World – (National) Williams pipeline extension at full tilt. The Northeast Supply Link pipeline extension was brought to full capacity, Williams Partners LP announced November 4, adding 250,000 dekatherms per day of natural gas produced from the Marcellus Shale and potentially expanding capacity to 1 million homes.

Source: <a href="http://www.tulsaworld.com/business/williams-pipeline-extension-at-full-tilt/article">http://www.tulsaworld.com/business/williams-pipeline-extension-at-full-tilt/article</a> d7c6e210-4d3a-5654-8c42-1a2f7fb68d93.html

3. November 4, Charlotte Observer – (North Carolina) Duke Energy's Riverbend power plant to come down in 2016. Duke Energy announced November 4 that its Riverbend power plant in Mount Holly, North Carolina, will come down in 2016 after shutting down operations in April. Work to remove turbine units and equipment will begin in fall 2013 while remaining equipment will be removed in 2016.

Source: <a href="http://www.charlotteobserver.com/2013/11/04/4439501/riverbend-power-plant-to-come.html#.Unkca\_mkqM6">http://www.charlotteobserver.com/2013/11/04/4439501/riverbend-power-plant-to-come.html#.Unkca\_mkqM6</a>

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#### **Chemical Industry Sector**

4. November 4, Newburyport Daily News – (Massachusetts) Serious chemical spill closes down Elm St. area in Amesbury. A chemical spill of a 55-gallon drum of heptane at Arc Technologies in Amesbury closed several roads in the area, including Elm Street from Monroe Street to Congress Street, and caused six nearby residents to be evacuated from the area for an undisclosed amount of time November 4.

Source: http://www.newburyportnews.com/archive/x934972254/Serious-chemical-spill-closes-down-Elm-St-area-in-Amesbury

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## Nuclear Reactors, Materials, and Waste Sector

5. November 5, Nuclear Street – (Texas) Comanche Peak reactor trips during testing. The Unit 2 reactor at the Comanche Peak nuclear power plant near Fort Worth automatically shut down November 1 during testing after its turbine tripped. Unit 2 was

back up to 45 percent power by November 4.

Source:

http://nuclearstreet.com/nuclear\_power\_industry\_news/b/nuclear\_power\_news/archive/2013/11/05/comanche-peak-reactor-trips-during-testing-110501.aspx#.UnkXIPmkrSk

6. November 4, Cape Cod Times – (Massachusetts) Shutdowns prompt increased oversight at Plymouth nuke plant. The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission announced November 4 that the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station in Plymouth will receive an increased level of oversight following complications in two unplanned shutdowns so far in 2013.

Source:

 $\frac{http://www.capecodonline.com/apps/pbcs.dll/article?AID=/20131104/NEWS11/13110}{9910}$ 

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#### **Critical Manufacturing Sector**

- 7. November 5, Reuters (National) **Hyundai adds 16,000 cars to Genesis recall.**Hyundai Motor Co. announced an expansion of a recall on model year 2009-2012
  Genesis vehicles for a potential braking issue, adding 16,000 additional vehicles to the October recall, bringing the total to 43,500 cars.
  Source: <a href="http://www.chicagotribune.com/business/breaking/chi-hyundai-genesis-recall-20131105,0,7110213.story">http://www.chicagotribune.com/business/breaking/chi-hyundai-genesis-recall-20131105,0,7110213.story</a>
- 8. November 5, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (National) One World Technologies recalls Ryobi battery chargers due to fire and burn hazards. One World Technologies announced a recall of about 578,000 Ryobi P113 Dual Chemistry Battery Chargers due to their possibility of malfunctioning and posing fire and burn hazards.

Source: <a href="http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/2014/One-World-Technologies-Recalls-Ryobi-Battery-Chargers/">http://www.cpsc.gov/en/Recalls/2014/One-World-Technologies-Recalls-Ryobi-Battery-Chargers/</a>

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## **Defense Industrial Base Sector**

Nothing to report

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## **Financial Services Sector**

9. November 5, Bloomberg News – (National) **SAC** agrees to plead guilty to end insider-trading case. SAC Capital Advisors LP agreed to plead guilty to securities fraud and wire fraud, pay a \$1.8 billion penalty, and close its investment advisory

business to settle charges that it operated an insider trading scheme beginning in 1999 that made hundreds of millions of dollars in illicit profits.

Source: <a href="http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2013-11-04/sac-agrees-to-plead-guilty-to-end-insider-trading-case.html">http://www.bloomberg.com/news/2013-11-04/sac-agrees-to-plead-guilty-to-end-insider-trading-case.html</a>

10. *November 5*, *Softpedia* – (International) **Harbor Freight Tools hacked, payment processing system compromised.** Harbor Freight Tools began notifying customers of a payment processing system breach that may have exposed customers' credit card numbers, expirations dates, and CVV codes. The breach concerned transactions that occurred between May 6 and June 30.

Source: <a href="http://news.softpedia.com/news/Harbor-Freight-Tools-Hacked-Payment-Processing-System-Compromised-397103.shtml">http://news.softpedia.com/news/Harbor-Freight-Tools-Hacked-Payment-Processing-System-Compromised-397103.shtml</a>

11. *November 4, Amarillo Globe-News* – (Texas) **Man pleads guilty in Amarillo, Lubbock bank robberies.** A man pleaded guilty November 1 to three armed robberies that targeted banks in Amarillo and Lubbock. An accomplice previously pleaded guilty to one count of bank robbery.

Source: <a href="http://amarillo.com/news/latest-news/2013-11-04/man-pleads-guilty-amarillo-lubbock-bank-robberies">http://amarillo.com/news/latest-news/2013-11-04/man-pleads-guilty-amarillo-lubbock-bank-robberies</a>

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## **Transportation Systems Sector**

- 12. *November 5*, *Associated Press* (Iowa) **Iowa bridge reopens.** Iowa Transportation Department officials announced that the U.S. Highway 59 bridge over Iowa Highway 92 in Carson that was closed for repairs after being struck by a truck hauling construction equipment will reopen the week of November 4. Source: http://www.wowt.com/home/headlines/Iowa-Bridge-Reopens-230628321.html
- 13. November 5, Monroe News-Star (Louisiana) Damaged parkway could reopen Tuesday. A bridge that collapsed November 2 closed Vocational Parkway in Calhoun, reduced eastbound Interstate 20 to one lane, and canceled classes at Louisiana Delta Community College's West Monroe campus until November 5. The eastbound lanes of I-20 will continue to be reduced to one lane until the bridge is repaired. Source: <a href="http://www.thenewsstar.com/article/20131105/NEWS01/311040034/Damaged-parkway-could-reopen-Tuesday">http://www.thenewsstar.com/article/20131105/NEWS01/311040034/Damaged-parkway-could-reopen-Tuesday</a>
- 14. *November 4, Fort Collins Coloradoan* (Colorado) **U.S. Highway 36 opens today after flood repairs.** The Colorado Department of Transportation announced that repairs to U.S. Highway 36, which was severely damaged by September floods in northern Colorado and originally slated to be finished December 1, were completed and affected sections reopened November 4.

  Source: <a href="http://www.coloradoan.com/article/20131104/NEWS01/311040058">http://www.coloradoan.com/article/20131104/NEWS01/311040058</a>
- 15. November 4, Dakota Radio Group News (South Dakota) Semi trailer damaged in

**collision with Pierre's train bridge Saturday.** An accident involving a semi-truck that collided with a train bridge in Pierre, South Dakota, delayed train traffic for over 4 hours until the semi was cleared from the bridge November 2. Officials are investigating the accident.

Source: <a href="http://www.drgnews.com/2013/11/04/semi-trailer-damaged-in-collision-with-pierres-train-bridge-saturday/">http://www.drgnews.com/2013/11/04/semi-trailer-damaged-in-collision-with-pierres-train-bridge-saturday/</a>

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## **Food and Agriculture Sector**

16. November 3, U.S. Food and Drug Administration – (International) Reser's Fine Foods, Inc. voluntarily expands recall of refrigerated ready-to-eat products due to potential health risk. Reser's Fine Foods, Inc. of Beaverton, Oregon, November 3 voluntarily expanded its October 22 recall of refrigerated ready-to-eat products manufactured at a Topeka, Kansas salad manufacturing facility because of potential Listeria monocytogenes contamination. The products were distributed nationally and in Canada.

Source: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm373511.htm

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#### **Water and Wastewater Systems Sector**

17. November 5, WFFF 44 Burlington/WVNY 22 Burlington – (Vermont) St. Johnsbury under boil water notice. A precautionary boil water notice was issued for St. Johnsbury November 5 after a water main break caused a drop in water pressure. Source: <a href="http://www.mychamplainvalley.com/story/st-johnsbury-under-boil-water-notice/d/story/VampZ3-6U0OO8fPlrjp4rg">http://www.mychamplainvalley.com/story/st-johnsbury-under-boil-water-notice/d/story/VampZ3-6U0OO8fPlrjp4rg</a>

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## **Healthcare and Public Health Sector**

- 18. *November 5*, *WMC-TV 5 Memphis* (Tennessee) **Early morning fire at nursing home, all residents evacuated.** Approximately 50-60 residents were evacuated from a nursing home in Hickory Hill November 5 while Memphis Fire Department crews worked to put out the blaze. Officials are investigating the cause of the fire, but believe it was ignited around an air conditioning unit.
  - Source: <a href="http://hickoryhill.wmctv.com/news/news/203472-early-morning-fire-nursing-home-all-residents-evacuated">http://hickoryhill.wmctv.com/news/news/203472-early-morning-fire-nursing-home-all-residents-evacuated</a>
- 19. *November 5, Rochester Democrat and Chronicle* (New York) **Rochester General addresses scabies outbreak.** Officials at Rochester General Hospital announced November 4 that there have been 4 confirmed cases and 16 suspected cases of scabies within the last 2 weeks, prompting the hospital to notify all patients who may have

been infected. The hospital launched a preventative treatment plan for anyone who may have been exposed to the disease.

Source: http://www.democratandchronicle.com/story/news/local/2013/11/04/rochester-general-addresses-scabies-outbreak/3435667/

20. *November 4, CNN Money* – (National) **Johnson & Johnson to pay \$2 billion for false marketing.** The U.S. Department of Justice announced November 4 that Johnson & Johnson and two of its subsidiaries will pay \$2.2 billion to settle charges that the company marketed drugs for unapproved uses and paid kickbacks to doctors and nursing homes while being fully aware of the increased risks involved with the prescribed medication.

Source: <a href="http://money.cnn.com/2013/11/04/news/companies/johnson-and-johnson-settlement/index.html">http://money.cnn.com/2013/11/04/news/companies/johnson-and-johnson-settlement/index.html</a>

21. November 4, Cleveland Plain Dealer – (Ohio) UH notifies 7,100 patients of stolen hard drive with personal medical information. University Hospitals notified over 7,100 patients that their personal medical information may have been exposed after a hard drive containing physician office data was stolen from a third-party vendor August 8. Hospital officials determined the encryption process on the stolen hard drive had not been initiated and that a small number of Social Security numbers may have also been accessed.

Source:

http://www.cleveland.com/healthfit/index.ssf/2013/11/uh\_notifies\_7100\_patients\_of\_l.html

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## **Government Facilities Sector**

22. November 5, Associated Press – (Colorado) **Denver police arrest 2 inside empty** school after standoff. Police arrested 2 juveniles after they broke into an empty KIPP Montbello College Prep Middle School in Denver November 4 carrying two guns and two backpacks. The suspects ransacked several rooms and were arrested after a 3 hour standoff with officers.

Source: http://abclocal.go.com/wabc/story?section=news/national\_world&id=9314179

- 23. November 5, WBIW 1340 AM Bedford (Indiana) 21 State parks to close temporarily for deer reduction hunts. Twenty-one Indiana State parks will temporarily close to allow for two-day controlled deer reductions within the coming weeks.

  Source: <a href="http://www.wbiw.com/local/archive/2013/11/21-state-parks-to-close-temporarily-for-deer-reduction-hunts.php">http://www.wbiw.com/local/archive/2013/11/21-state-parks-to-close-temporarily-for-deer-reduction-hunts.php</a>
- 24. November 4, Los Angeles Times (California) 28 Marines reservists charged in alleged travel scam. Twenty-eight Marine reservists from the Third Air Naval Gunfire Liaison Company at Terminal Island were charged by the Internal Revenue Service in a travel voucher scheme in which the government was fraudulently charged for hotel stays and other expenses. Six indicted reservists were charged, with the seventh person

remaining at large, for conspiring to defraud the U.S. Department of Defense, while 21 others were charged with filing false tax returns.

Source: <a href="http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-ln-marine-reservists-travel-scam-20131104,0,185129.story#axzz2jn4uujR9">http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-ln-marine-reservists-travel-scam-20131104,0,185129.story#axzz2jn4uujR9</a>

25. November 4, Associated Press – (Connecticut) 3 in custody after Conn. college lockdown. Officials cancelled classes at Central Connecticut State University November 4 after a 3 hour lockdown that was prompted by reports of a person carrying a sword or handgun. Authorities are investigating a motive after three individuals were detained by police without incident.

Source: <a href="http://news.msn.com/crime-justice/3-in-custody-after-conn-college-lockdown">http://news.msn.com/crime-justice/3-in-custody-after-conn-college-lockdown</a>

- 26. November 4, WFFF 44 Burlington/WVNY 22 Burlington (Vermont) Police: 14 Apple laptops stolen from UVM computer lap. Police arrested a suspect in connection with stealing 14 Apple laptops from a University of Vermont computer lap and continue to search for the remaining 13 computers that have not been recovered.

  Source: <a href="http://www.mychamplainvalley.com/story/police-14-apple-laptops-stolen-from-uvm-computer-lab/d/story/iXwqIhWvSE-8kvv29YU4tQ">http://www.mychamplainvalley.com/story/police-14-apple-laptops-stolen-from-uvm-computer-lab/d/story/iXwqIhWvSE-8kvv29YU4tQ</a>
- 27. November 4, WKBW 7 Buffalo (New York) Early morning fire in Holland forces school district to close. A fire at a nearby Sunoco gas station that destroyed the building, forced Holland Central School to close November 4.

  Source: <a href="http://www.wkbw.com/news/Early-Morning-Fire-in-Holland-Forces-School-District-to-Close--230499371.html">http://www.wkbw.com/news/Early-Morning-Fire-in-Holland-Forces-School-District-to-Close--230499371.html</a>
- 28. November 4, KREM 2 Spokane (Idaho) Suckers found in suspicious package, one person in custody. Coeur d'Alene police and the Spokane Bomb Squad responded to a suspicious package found along a window at a congressman's office near Hubbard Avenue and W. Empire Street in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Police determined the items were harmless and that it did not appear the congressman was singled out; a man was in custody for questioning.

Source: http://www.krem.com/news/230525911.html

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## **Emergency Services Sector**

29. *November 5, Softpedia* – (North Carolina) **Website of Guilford County Sheriff's Office hacked, malicious code planted.** Guilford County Sheriff's Office representatives reported the official Web site for the North Carolina county was cleaned up after being breached allegedly through a vulnerability in GoDaddy's systems, instead of a security hole in the site itself.

Source: <a href="http://news.softpedia.com/news/Website-of-Guildford-County-Sheriff-s-Office-Hacked-Malicious-Code-Planted-397166.shtml">http://news.softpedia.com/news/Website-of-Guildford-County-Sheriff-s-Office-Hacked-Malicious-Code-Planted-397166.shtml</a>

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## **Information Technology Sector**

30. *November 5, Softpedia* – (International) **Over 1.9 million of Adobe hack victims used "123456" as password.** Stricture Consulting Group published a list of the most common passwords used by Adobe customers whose information was part of a major data breach and found lax password practices among many users, with "123456" used by 1.9 million users.

Source: <a href="http://news.softpedia.com/news/Over-1-9-Million-of-Adobe-Hack-Victims-Used-123456-as-Password-397148.shtml">http://news.softpedia.com/news/Over-1-9-Million-of-Adobe-Hack-Victims-Used-123456-as-Password-397148.shtml</a>

#### **Internet Alert Dashboard**

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#### **Communications Sector**

31. *November 4, News On 6 Tulsa* – (Oklahoma) **FCC proposes \$33M in fines against cell phone companies providing Lifeline.** The U.S. Federal Communications Commission proposed \$33 million in fines, including reimbursement for fraudulent accounts, against three cell phone companies for giving customers multiple cell phones when only allowed one under the Lifeline program and receiving \$35 a month from the government for each account it started.

Source: <a href="http://www.newson6.com/story/23875743/fcc-proposes-33-m-in-fines-against-cell-phone-companies-providing-lifeline">http://www.newson6.com/story/23875743/fcc-proposes-33-m-in-fines-against-cell-phone-companies-providing-lifeline</a>

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## **Commercial Facilities Sector**

- 32. *November 5, Associated Press* (New Jersey) **NJ mall shooter only wanted to harm self: Official.** Police found the man suspected of firing multiple shots and causing a lockdown at the Garden State Plaza in Paramus November 4, dead of a self-inflicted wound. The mall was locked down after shots were fired at the ceiling and elsewhere with a modified gun and remained closed November 5 while authorities investigated the incident.
  - Source: http://news.msn.com/us/authorities-suspect-in-nj-mall-shooting-found-dead
- 33. *November 5*, *WBIW 1340 AM Bedford* (Indiana) **Fort Wayne apartment shooting leaves on dead another seriously injured.** Police are investigating a double shooting

at the Black Bear Creek Apartment complex in Fort Wayne, Indiana, November 4 that left one person dead and another seriously injured after an attempted home invasion.

Source: <a href="http://www.wbiw.com/state/archive/2013/11/shooting-at-fort-wayne-apartment-left-one-man-dead-another-seriously-injured.php">http://www.wbiw.com/state/archive/2013/11/shooting-at-fort-wayne-apartment-left-one-man-dead-another-seriously-injured.php</a>

34. *November 5*, *WFAA 8 Dallas* – (Texas) **Resident: Three-alarm blaze started in kitchen where grease was cooking.** Authorities are investigating after a 3-alarm grease fire severely damaged a number of units at the Autumn Breeze Apartments in Lewisville November 5.

Source: <a href="http://www.wfaa.com/news/local/Firefighters-battle-three-alarm-blaze-at-Lewisville-apartment-complex-230635151.html">http://www.wfaa.com/news/local/Firefighters-battle-three-alarm-blaze-at-Lewisville-apartment-complex-230635151.html</a>

35. November 2, Fort Wayne Journal Gazette – (Indiana) Man posing as GI pleads guilty to fraud. A Fort Wayne man pleaded guilty and admitted to conning money from several employers by claiming he was a deployed member of the military, collecting \$363,878 from May 2004 to August 2008. The man would fax phony military deployment orders to the companies who offered military pay differential policies.

Source:

 $\frac{\text{http://www.journalgazette.net/article/20131102/LOCAL03/311029930/1039/LOCAL0}}{3}$ 

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#### **Dams Sector**

36. *November 4, Associated Press* – (Utah) **Corps: Utah county levees have problems.** The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers announced November 1 that a review determined that levee systems along the Surplus Canal in Salt Lake County were in unacceptable condition, with problems including old pipes, excessive vegetation, and disintegrated levees. The county has begun fixing the issues and completed repairs on 55 sites. Source: http://www.insurancejournal.com/news/west/2013/11/04/310204.htm

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