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## Press Release:

### Eastern Wyoming College Victim of Cybersecurity Attack

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**Torrington, Wyoming, June 22, 2021** - Officials at Eastern Wyoming College (EWC) have announced that a cybersecurity attack received early this morning has currently disabled the College's computer, phone and email systems. Investigations are currently underway to appropriately determine the extent of the cyber-attack. College officials are working with local law enforcement agencies, the Department of Homeland Security, local IT professionals and state IT professionals.

The Wyoming Community College Commission (WCCC) is supporting EWC's efforts, and further details will be shared as the investigation continues. The College currently has limited operations and response times will be delayed at this time. Additional information will be posted on the WCCC website as well as through EWC's social media pages and the EWC website: [ewc.wy.edu](http://ewc.wy.edu).