

Gulf County, Florida

Introduction

This case study of Gulf County, Florida is based on an August 2019 survey of SonicWall NSA firewalls customers by TechValidate, a 3rd-party research service.

“My SonicWall NSa firewall has blocked all viruses, and 95% of all the malware coming into my network,” says Steven Cherry, Application Manager, Gulf County Florida Board of County Commissioners. “As our main firewall to our network hubs, it’s is meeting or exceeding my performance and security expectations.”

Challenges

The business challenges that led the profiled organization to evaluate and ultimately select SonicWall NSA firewalls:

- Used or evaluated Cisco/Meraki before selecting their SonicWall NSA firewall(s).
- Deployed SonicWall NSA firewalls because they were challenged with consolidating security and networking features in a single solution.

Use Case

Gulf County, Florida had used or evaluated Cisco/Meraki before selecting their SonicWall NSA firewall(s). They deployed SonicWall NSA firewalls because they were challenged with consolidating security and networking features in a single solution.

Results

Gulf County, Florida is extremely satisfied with their NSa Series firewall, and found that SonicWall NSA beat the competition in security effectiveness. The Board found the following operational benefits following the deployment of their SonicWall NSA firewall:

- Reduced IT infrastructure costs
- Improved overall system uptime
- Delivered faster performance
- Met regulatory compliance standards
- Has seen the number of blocked attacks increase by 51-75% since deploying SonicWall NSA firewalls

Organization Profile

Organization:
Gulf County, Florida

Organization Size:
State & Local

Industry:
Government

About SonicWall

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