



# Business Resilience Council

*A multi-sector collective defense community*

## The BRC offers collective defense to create more resilient businesses.

The Business Resilience Council (BRC) is a nonprofit, member driven, analyst-supported, multi-sector community that welcomes organizations to share information and collaborate on significant threats and incidents that impact business operations. The BRC provides businesses with all-source information sharing, an award-winning framework for operational resilience, a connection program for third party security, and an exercise program for testing and guidance of recovery plans.

The BRC is designed for cross-sector collaboration among professionals in cyber and physical security, geopolitical risk, business continuity and disaster recovery, and third-party risk. It supports organizations with regional, national and international footprints that must maintain vigilance, manage significant crises, and navigate response scenarios in order to maintain operations. The BRC fosters a broad, holistic community.

## Pillars of the BRC



**Multi-sector sharing of all-hazard threats, incidents, vulnerabilities and best practices**



**Framework for operational resilience in response to disruptive and destructive events**



**Collective defense and engagement with vendors and suppliers before, during, and after incidents**



**Testing and guidance for business continuity, disaster response and recovery plans**

## Information Sharing Products and Services

- All source and sector specific threat reports
- Multi-sector Situational Awareness Reports
- Threat and resilience analyst discussion calls
- Emergency Operations Situational Awareness Dashboards
- Emergency member meetings
- Peer-to-peer collaboration and information exchange across the GRF network
- Participation in exercises and development of an Operational Resilience Framework, security standards, and playbooks
- Participation in subject and region based working groups



## Operational Resilience Framework

### **Vision:**

To reduce operational risk, minimize service disruptions and limit systemic impacts from destructive attacks and adverse events.

### **Mission:**

Traditional disaster recovery and business continuity efforts have focused on data recovery with little regard for providing services in an impaired state. In 2021, the BRC launched a multi-sector working group to develop the Operational Resilience Framework to help solve that challenge. The framework provides rules and implementation aids that support a company's recovery of immutable data, while also- and uniquely- allowing it to minimize service disruptions in the face of destructive attacks and events.



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## BRC Third-Party Security Connection

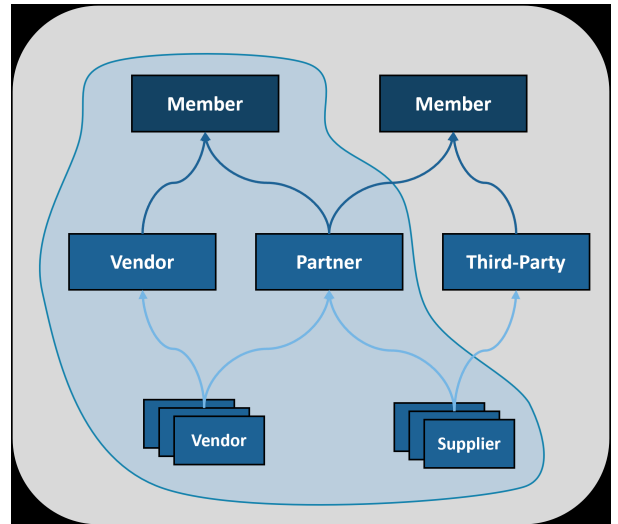
In the BRC's Third Party Security Connection (TPSC) program, vendors and suppliers engage with BRC analysts and members to help provide collective defense and resilience to their customers. When a threat is imminent, or an incident occurs, these connections become vital to cybersecurity and continuity teams for situational awareness and rapid response. The BRC builds relationships between these parties and shares common practices for assessments and response, to help facilitate information sharing during incidents when time is of the essence.

### TPSC program provides businesses and their vendors:

- Two-way engagement
- Collaborative platform
- Secure communications
- Actionable intelligence
- Resilience best practices
- Emergency communications

### BRC members contribute:

- Information on threats, incidents and security best practices
- Encouragement and incentives to vendors and suppliers to join BRC to enhance communication and ultimately, resilience



## Return on Investment

- Dedicated support staff and subject matter experts in security and resilience (\$300K value)
- BRC enriched intelligence and resilience products (\$200k value)
- Commercial geopolitical, physical, and cybersecurity intelligence feeds (\$75K value)
- Collaborative information sharing portal, secure chat, and knowledge library (\$10K value)
- Emergency Operations Situational Awareness Dashboard (\$10K value)
- Opportunities to enhance the resilience of supply chains and third parties

Member Tier	Revenue Upper Limit	Standard Dues (USD)
I	>\$1B	\$20,000
II	\$1B	\$12,000
III	\$250M	\$6,000
IV	\$100M	\$2,000

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