





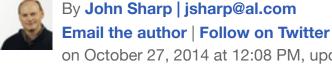
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## Mobile city email system attacked by hackers





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Government Plaza in Mobile, Ala. (file photo)

Alabama --Hackers shut down the city of Mobile's external email system last week,

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causing a massive disruption in email that affected all city

departments. The system is up and running Monday after the nearly sixday shutdown. The city is now encouraging anyone who sent an email to any city employee last week -- including

police and fire departments -- to resend their message

spokesman George Talbot called a "cyber attack."

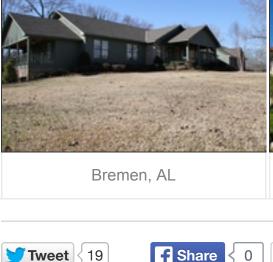
since not all of the emails were recovered after what city

The server shut down Tuesday afternoon when the hackers used the city's computer system to send out spam and email blasts, according to a news release. No citizen's private information was compromised during the attack, Talbot said.

A new system, according to Talbot, has replaced a 20-yearold server to protect against future cyber attacks. The new

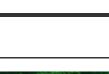
He said the cyber attack is being investigated by "the

server was installed last week and the transfer of data was completed over the weekend, he said. AL Real Estate FOR SALE FOR SALE



proper authorities."





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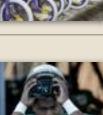


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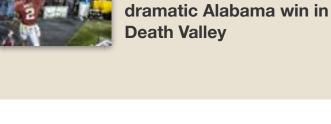
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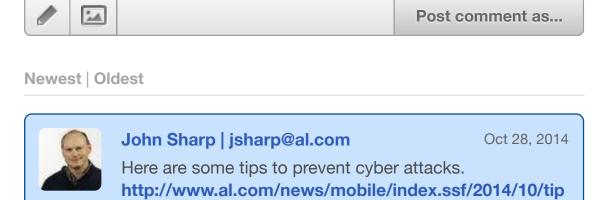




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Scam Jones and fred richarson would rather spend money on Moon pies and vacations.

Wait ... 20 years ... they hadn't upgraded their email system since I was in high school?!?! Are you freaking kidding me?

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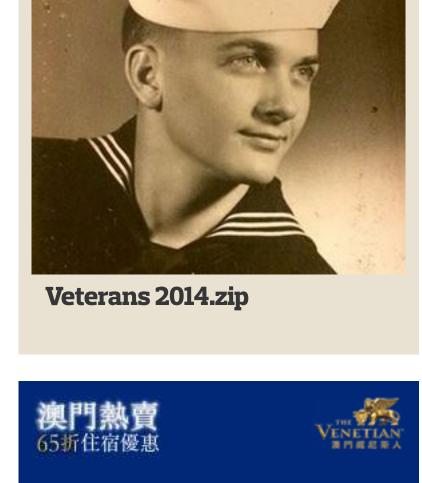
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