

Specializing in Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity Preparedness from Boutique Recovery Strategies to Enterprise-wide Solutions

# **Business Continuity Preparedness**

Providers today deliver solid technical solutions; yet face challenges gathering business requirements to better understand and fully meet a customer's Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity (BC/DR) needs.

<u>Disaster Readiness Solutions</u>, by partnering with industry-leading solution providers, delivers the program planning and requirements gathering expertise to ensure the fullest in customer satisfaction.

### Business Continuity (BC) Delivery Challenges

- Do you know your critical systems and its recovery plans? A BC Plan should not wrongly assume a system is available earlier in a recovery; otherwise the BC Plan will have a gap in its integrity.
- Does your Disaster Recovery (DR) program support your organization's BC plans?
- Do non-system critical functions have an assigned Recovery Time Objective (RTO)?
- What is the Recovery Point Objective (RPO) for the amount of data needing to be re-entered due to a critical system loss or full catastrophic disaster?
- Can your organization conduct business if systems, data, or facility are not available?
- Are there a mitigation plans in place to ensure operations continue in a loss of critical system loss due to a disaster, isolated outage, malicious attack or human error?
- Are plans and support in place if the staff is unavailable due to inclement weather or pandemic outbreak?
- Are your BC plans Regulatory Compliant?



*Disaster Readiness Solutions* will identify risks, mitigate support gaps, and minimize operational downtime in an outage by working with your organization to build your BC Program in alignment with your organization's needs.

#### **Business Continuity Delivery Activities**

<u>Action</u>	<u>Responsibility</u>
Enterprise Readiness Assessment (ERA)	DRS/ Customer
Detailed Requirements Gathering	DRS/ Customer
Develop BC and Mitigation Plans	DRS/ Customer
Implement BC Program	DRS/ Customer

#### **Delivery Plan**

The success of an effective BC Program is in its planning and design to ensure strategies are established, roadmaps in place, and BC plans are aligned with your DR program.

## Initial Operational Analysis of Client's Environment

- DRS will conduct its Readiness Assessment to gauge the complexity of your BC/DR needs.
- Identify systems, user groups, and critical systems; determine existing plans and regulatory compliance.

## **Detailed Requirements Gathering**

- Business Continuity Plans, RTO and RPO.
- Determine risks, vulnerabilities, continuity gaps.

#### **Develop Continuity and Mitigation Plans**

- Develop a scalable solution fitting your BC/DR needs.
- Construct Business Continuity Plans.
- Build Mitigation Plans for Outages, Pandemic Staff Shortages or Inclement Weather?

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