The Fulcrum Group, Inc. Announces

Security Operations Center-as-a-service in Partnership with Arctic Wolf

SOC-as-a-Service Gives The Fulcrum Group, Inc. Customers Industry-Leading Managed Threat Detection and Response Services to Tackle the Increasing Dangers of Advanced Cyberattacks

Fort Worth, TX – June 18, 2019 – The Fulcrum Group, Inc. has selected <u>Arctic Wolf Networks</u>, a leading security operations center (SOC)-as-a-service company, to provide threat detection and response capabilities to protect Fulcrum and its Managed Security clients against today's advanced cyberattacks.

Arctic Wolf's Managed Detection and Response (MDR) and Managed Risk (MR) services provide an enterprise-class security operations center, the most essential element of any modern cybersecurity strategy. The service includes the expertise of experienced security engineers who manage all security matters using the full spectrum of advanced defense mechanisms for asset identification, vulnerability assessment, network monitoring, and threat detection and response.

In recent years, the Fulcrum management team has targeted enhancing its security portfolio to better protect its local government and healthcare clients that are bound by compliance areas such as HIPAA/HITECH, PCI, FFIEC and others. Additionally, the National Cybersecurity and Communications Integration Center (NCCIC) issued Advanced Persistent Threat warnings targeting Managed Service Providers in April 2017 and October 2018. Supply chain risk is important to address and and this relationship adds 24x7 security review to help protect Fulcrum systems and thusly, protecting our clients.

"Arctic Wolf is delighted to partner with The Fulcrum Group, Inc. and help them expand their product portfolio to offer a critical service that many of their customers are specifically requesting," said Arctic Wolf's Chief Revenue Officer, Nick Schneider. "Cyberattacks threaten companies of every size, and organizations are increasingly finding that the value and protection of a SOC-as-a-service makes sense to improve their cybersecurity."

"We continue to add solutions and services that our clients need. Recent statistics say 68% of firms take months or even year to detect a breach," says Steve Meek, CISSP, President and CEO of The Fulcrum Group, Inc. "Their combination of technology and service adds the insight into the network to capture a baseline and notice anomalous activity very quickly. Their monitoring focuses on the security events to complement the network events MSPs, like us, should be watching."

The Arctic Wolf <u>SOC-as-a-service</u> is anchored by the <u>Concierge Security Team™</u> who provide custom threat hunting, alerting, and reporting. Arctic Wolf's purpose-built, cloud-based service offers 24x7 monitoring, vulnerability assessment, threat detection, and response. The service provides superior risk management and threat detection with fewer false positives, and includes:

- Dedicated security expertise
- 24x7 network monitoring
- Managed threat detection
- Risk management to assess internal and external vulnerabilities
- Compliance reporting

About The Fulcrum Group, Inc.

The Fulcrum Group, Inc. is a 17 year old Fort Worth-based Managed Service Provider delivering outsourced IT services to small and medium sized organizations. Engaged with our client's executive team, our STARpower approach helps develop and execute a 1 year technology plan and keeps your technology aligned to your business needs. Our clients extend throughout the entire DFW area and primary industries include healthcare, local government and non-profits. We are also a State of Texas Certified HUB vendor. https://www.fulcrum.pro

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