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Federal IT:

- **GAO faults defense IT acquisitions**

Agency News:

- **Innovators: Dorine Andrews, CIO of the Peace Corps**
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- **Merlin Awarded Cybersecurity Contract For The VA**
- **Service-Based IT Switches Up Feds' Vendor Relationships**
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- **Merlin Awarded Cybersecurity Contract For The**

Waste, Fraud and Abuse:

- **GAO faults defense IT acquisitions**

Defense / C4ISR / Embedded Technology:

- **More Disputes Likely in US Army's AMPV Contest**
- **Editorial: DoD Needs Industrial Strategy**

Contracting / Acquisition:

- ***Deltek: Three IT contract competitions expected this summer**
- **Merlin Awarded Cybersecurity Contract For The VA**
- **Special Report: Top US Acquisition Programs**
- **More Disputes Likely in US Army's AMPV Contest**
- **Air Force names 12 winners of NetCent-2 awards**
- **Contracts for March 28, 2014**
- **GSA tightens rules on Supply Schedules prices**

Legislation:

- **Obama unveils plan to change NSA data collection**
- **Congress Had an Unusually Productive Day Thursday**

State and Local:

- **New York Goes In On Transportation Resiliency**
- **States Consider Suing over Troubled Health Exchanges**
- **Keep Austin wired: How the city powers its bandwidth blowout**
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VA

- Hagel encourages 'restraint' in cyber warfare
- Biggest source of DOD's cyber threats: inept co-workers
- Implementing the Cybersecurity Framework within State and Local Governments
- Intel Invests In Cloudera, But What Changes?
- Pentagon to triple cyber staff to thwart attacks

Cloud Computing / Data Center Consolidation / Virtualization:

- Service-Based IT Switches Up Feds' Vendor Relationships
- Civilian cloud spending tops \$2.8B
- Intel Invests In Cloudera, But What Changes?

Health IT:

- HealthCare.gov restored after morning outage

Big Data / Analytics:

- SEC's MIDAS program highlights how to do big data
- Big Data: Will You Know it When You See it?

Mobility/Communications:

- Is the federal government ready for HD voice services?
- With Friends in Government, Motorola Beats a Path to Telecom Supremacy
- BlackBerry 10 Gets Defense Department Approval
- Microsatellite market to reach \$1.9B

AEC News:

- Construction Employment Increased in 37 States from a Year Ago and in 30 States from January to February

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