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Incidents/Articles of Note:

- Lawmaker introduces bill to ban public carry of high-capacity rifles in Virginia
- A record number of homicides in Hampton Roads
- Police say 6-year-old used mother's gun — and injured teacher's actions 'saved lives'
- VA pushes for school safety leads to increased police presence
- FBI analysis of law enforcement suicides reveals five significant themes
- Martinsville Police Department given \$567K as 'Operation Bold Blue Line' launches
- Sheriff's deputy critically hurt, suspect dead after shooting at busy Hampton intersection
- Crucial Virginia State Police databases restored following earlier outage

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Article | FacilitiesNET

Active Shooters in the Workplace: 10 Insights that Improve Safety

With all the media reporting on the hundreds of workplace active shooter incidents over the last decade since Sandy Hook, one would think that facilities managers would have been offered insights on why these workplace tragedies occur and some clues on how to respond.

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Resource | CDC

Firefighter Cancer Awareness

Cancer is a leading cause of death among firefighters, and research suggests firefighters are at higher risk of certain types of cancers when compared to the general population. January is Firefighter Cancer Awareness Month. Learn more about firefighters' cancer risk and what can be done to reduce the risk.

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