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Workspace/channel: Vortex Grid / #war-room-ir-2026-017

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Display timezone: UTC

Timestamp resolution: seconds, as exported from the incident channel

- [2026-05-19 16:42:03 UTC] @morgan.i: Opening IR-2026-017. North Harbor telemetry delay.
- Everyone breathe and timestamp things. *Reactions: [eyes] 4*
- [2026-05-19 16:42:41 UTC] @morgan.i: Channel rule for tonight: say who saw it and when.
- Theories get labelled as theories.
- [2026-05-19 16:44:18 UTC] @marta.a: Customer sees stale dashboards + late alerts since the window.
- [2026-05-19 16:44:52 UTC] @marta.a: That's their wording, not a diagnosis. I'm pasting it as received.
- [2026-05-19 16:46:07 UTC] @leila.g: Sites still collecting locally. The view upstream is behind.
- [2026-05-19 16:49:33 UTC] @theo.b: I'm in reconnect logs now. Config snapshots are saved.
- [2026-05-19 16:50:11 UTC] @theo.b: Saved before I touch anything, so we can compare later without arguing about it.
- [2026-05-19 16:52:26 UTC] @morgan.i: Good. Marta = what customer said, Leila = field, Theo = engineering. Keep your names on your claims.
- [2026-05-19 16:56:04 UTC] @theo.b: Credential-renewal warning immediately before one failed reconnect.
- [2026-05-19 16:58:19 UTC] reply: Reply to @theo.b at 16:56 - @morgan.i: Preliminary, please.
- A nearby warning isn't a root cause by proximity.
- [2026-05-19 17:01:02 UTC] reply: Reply to @theo.b at 16:56 - @theo.b: Marked preliminary. I

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- am not marrying the first theory. *Reactions: [check] 3*
- [2026-05-19 17:05:44 UTC] @marta.a: I'll say it's one condition under investigation.
- [2026-05-19 17:06:12 UTC] @morgan.i: Yes. And give the next update time in UTC.
- [2026-05-19 17:09:37 UTC] @leila.g: Two renewed credentials and are *still* slow coming back.
- [2026-05-19 17:10:05 UTC] @leila.g: Which is inconvenient for the neat version of tonight.
- [2026-05-19 17:12:21 UTC] @theo.b: Well, there goes the tidy version. Comparing retry throttle with control.
- [2026-05-19 17:15:48 UTC] @morgan.i: Only the listed set, Theo. Don't generalize while tired.
- [2026-05-19 17:18:09 UTC] @theo.b: Four affected use conservative retry; control has shorter interval.
- [2026-05-19 17:18:53 UTC] @theo.b: Same certificate schedule on all five, for the record.
- [2026-05-19 17:21:30 UTC] @leila.g: Separate annoyance: handoff had UTC window but no expected recovery time. Shift lead was guessing.
- [2026-05-19 17:24:16 UTC] @morgan.i: Put it in the field note. Important, but not the same thing as the mechanism.
- [2026-05-19 17:27:02 UTC] @marta.a: Customer reply: "declare the release team responsible now." Quoting, obviously.
- [2026-05-19 17:30:25 UTC] reply: Reply to @marta.a at 17:27 - @morgan.i: Keep the quote. Don't adopt it.
- [2026-05-19 17:32:48 UTC] reply: Reply to @marta.a at 17:27 - @marta.a: Wasn't going to.
- External update names no culprit. *Reactions: [check] 3*
- [2026-05-19 17:36:11 UTC] @theo.b: Config Mgmt checking whether an old template set the conservative interval.
- [2026-05-19 17:41:29 UTC] @leila.g: Late readings arriving from local buffers. I don't see complete data loss.
- [2026-05-19 17:42:03 UTC] @leila.g: Kai is reading them off the cabinet and writing the UTC time beside each one.
- [2026-05-19 17:45:37 UTC] @morgan.i: Marta, you can say backfill is happening as of 17:41 UTC.

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- [2026-05-19 17:49:14 UTC] @marta.a: Corrected preliminary draft ready. Says multiple conditions under review.
- [2026-05-19 17:50:02 UTC] @marta.a: First message stays in the thread above it. It is not a nice look, but it is the record.
- [2026-05-19 17:52:40 UTC] @morgan.i: Good to send as preliminary. Definitely not the final review.
- [2026-05-19 18:05:18 UTC] @theo.b: Control comparison: retry behavior likely extended recovery after the initial failure.
- [2026-05-19 18:08:03 UTC] @morgan.i: "Extended recovery" and "contributor." Keep both guardrails. *Reactions: [pin] 3*
- [2026-05-19 18:22:47 UTC] @leila.g: Field sheet uploaded. Times are mine; the interpretation is nobody's yet.
- [2026-05-19 18:37:22 UTC] @theo.b: Old template revision confirmed on all four. Conservative interval came from there.
- [2026-05-19 18:38:06 UTC] @theo.b: The revision predates this window by weeks. Not tonight's change.
- [2026-05-19 18:41:15 UTC] @morgan.i: Noted as a documented contributor, not as the cause.
- [2026-05-19 19:12:09 UTC] @leila.g: All gateways trending toward normal. Slowly, but the right direction.
- [2026-05-19 19:40:52 UTC] @marta.a: Customer acknowledged the correction. They didn't agree a cause, and I didn't ask them to.
- [2026-05-19 20:06:34 UTC] @theo.b: Normal reporting restored. Backfill caught up.
- [2026-05-19 20:07:11 UTC] @leila.g: Field agrees. Nothing outstanding at the sites.
- [2026-05-19 20:30:05 UTC] @morgan.i: Closing containment. Formal review stays open, and so does correction history.
- [2026-05-19 20:30:48 UTC] @morgan.i: Nobody writes a cause sentence tonight. Tomorrow, with dates on it.
- [2026-05-19 20:32:19 UTC] @marta.a: Customer updated. No single-cause victory speech. Please sleep eventually. *Reactions: [check] 4*
- [2026-05-19 20:35:57 UTC] @theo.b: Eventually begins now. Night.