

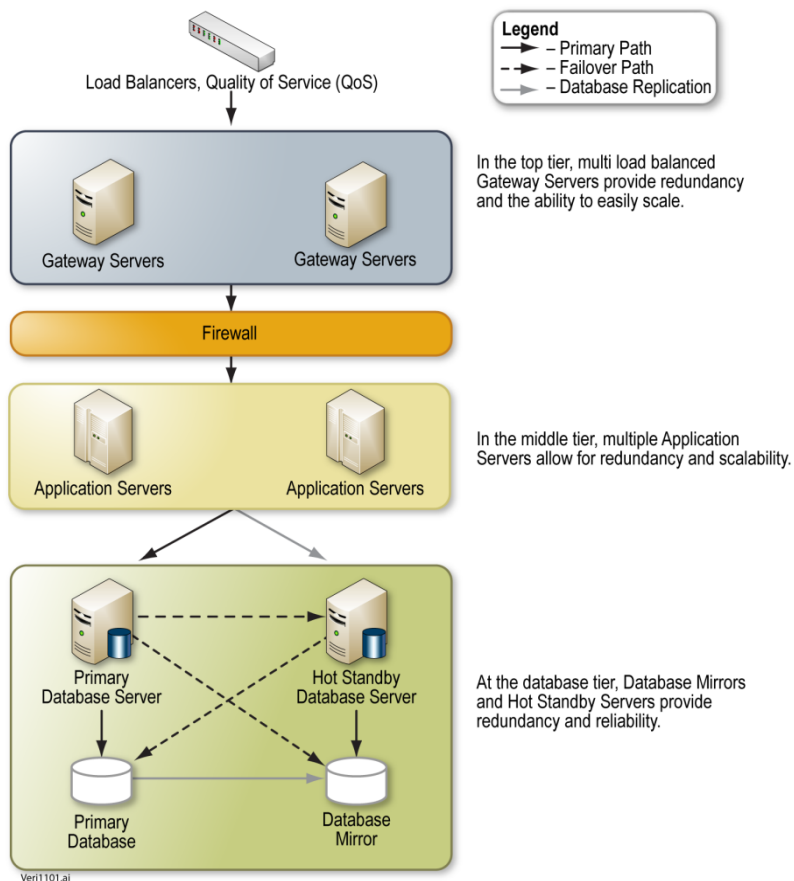


Figure 24-1: SRS Architecture. *Verisign's SRS is hierarchically designed to meet the forecasted registration volume of the .nextdirect gTLD, and it can be scaled to meet future registration volume increases.*

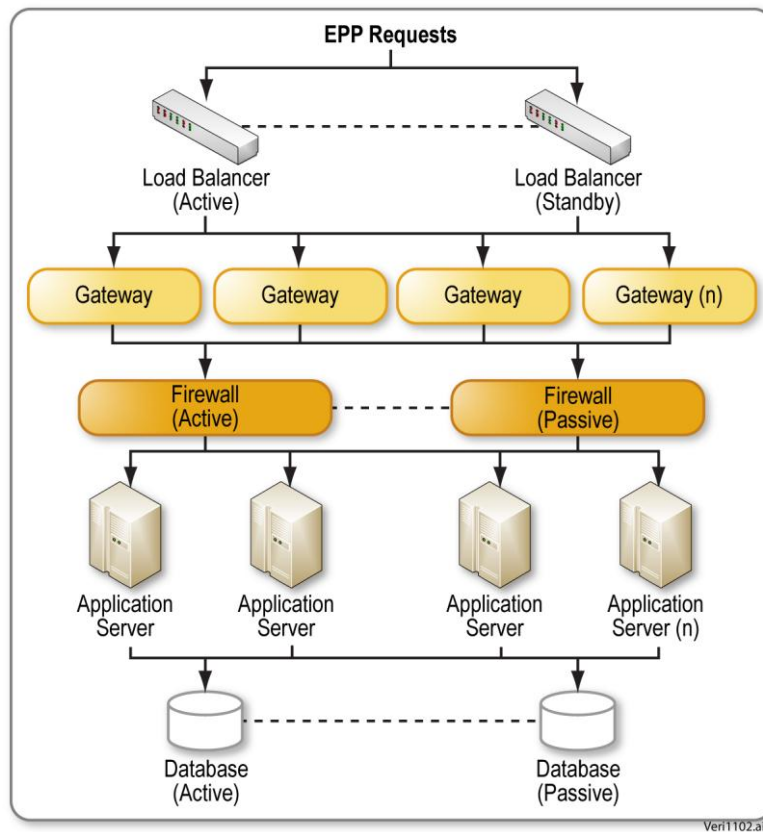


Figure 24-2: Built-in SRS Redundancy. *Verisign's SRS system is built upon multiple layers of redundancy to ensure the system remains highly available.*

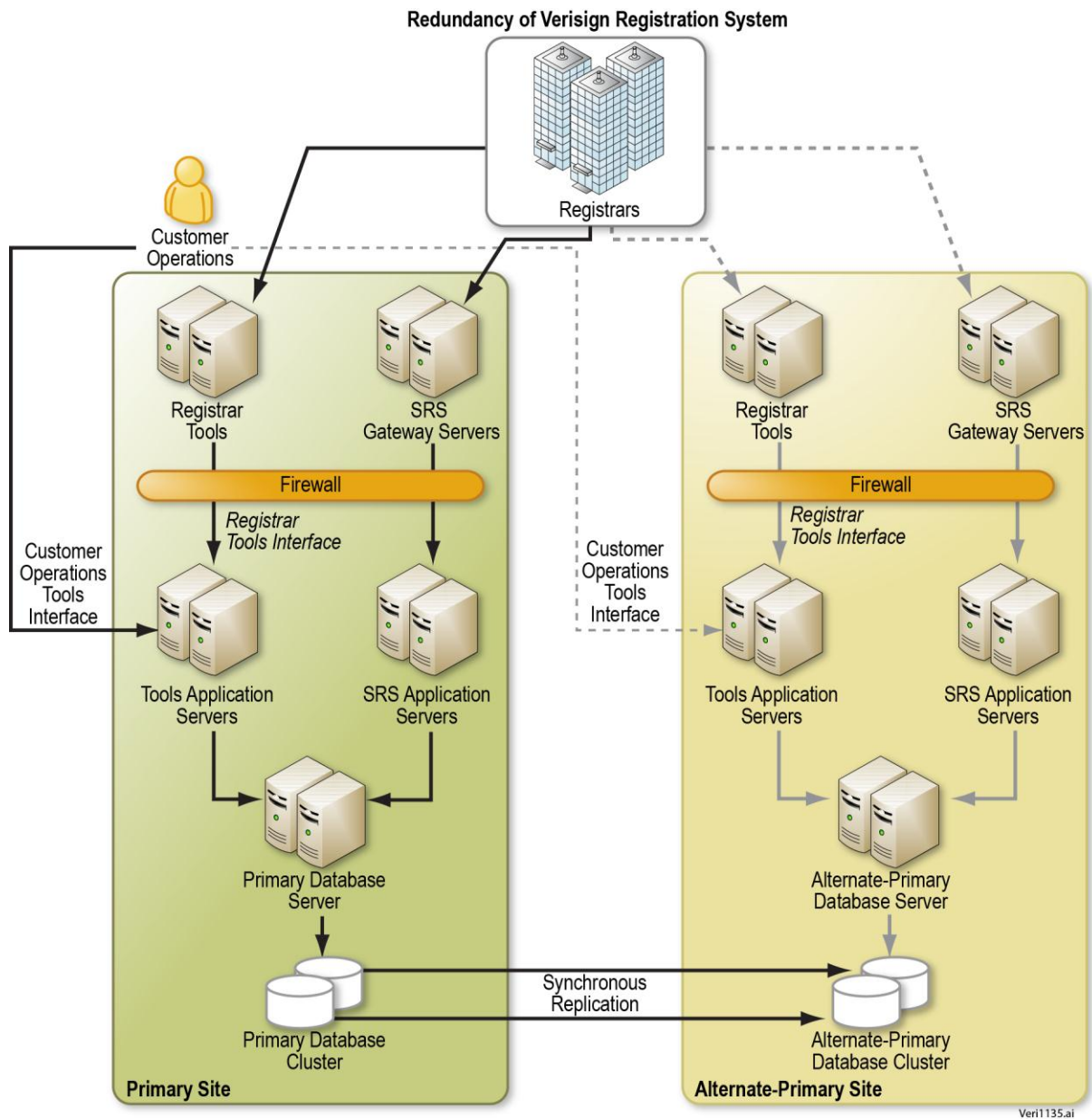


Figure 24-3: SRS Network Diagram. Verisign's fully redundant SRS design and geographically separated data centers help ensure service level availability requirements are met.

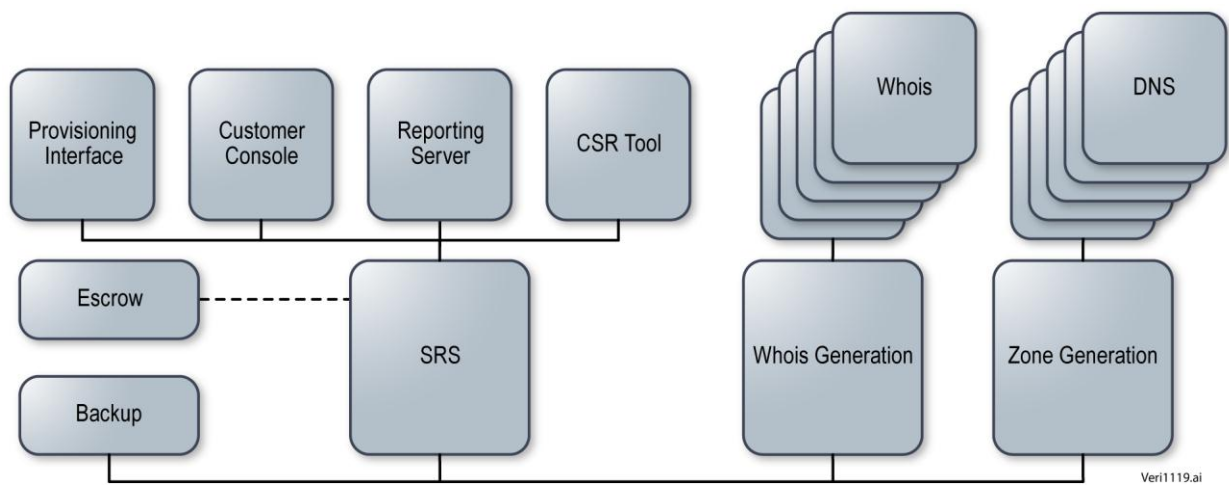


Figure 24-4: Technical Overview. *Verisign's SRS provides the registrar-facing component of the system establishing the zone file needed to enable DNS and Whois services.*