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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...COMMENT REQUEST  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC  
920 AM EST FRI NOV 17 2006

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS  
NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS  
EMERGENCY MANAGERS WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK /EMWIN/  
SUBSCRIBERS  
NOAAPORT SUBSCRIBERS  
OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: FRANK RICHARDS  
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SUBJECT: SOLICITING PUBLIC COMMENTS ON THE PROVISION OF INFORMATION IN  
GEOSPATIAL FORMAT BY NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION/S  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE

TO ADVANCE THE ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION ENTERPRISE...NATIONAL OCEANIC AND  
ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION/S NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ PLANS TO  
PROVIDE GEOSPATIAL INFORMATION IN FORMS THAT CAN BE EASILY INCORPORATED  
INTO GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM /GIS/ APPLICATIONS. WE ARE SEEKING  
COMMENTS ON THIS PROPOSAL FROM USERS ON THE PROVISION OF GEOSPATIAL  
INFORMATION.

BACKGROUND ON THIS REQUEST AND A WEB ENTRY BOX FOR SUBMISSION OF COMMENTS  
CAN BE FOUND AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

[HTTPS://OCWWS.WEATHER.GOV/GIS/INDEX.PHP](https://ocwws.weather.gov/gis/index.php)

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