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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 01-26
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
330 PM EDT TUE JUN 5 2001

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS
NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS
OTHER NWS PARTNERS...USERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE Z. PIERCE
CHIEF...MARINE AND COASTAL SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: RENUMBERING AND RECONFIGURATION OF SOME MARINE FORECAST
ZONES...EFFECTIVE FRIDAY AUGUST 10 2001

ON FRIDAY AUGUST 10 2001 AT 1300 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE
NWS WILL RENUMBER...RENAME AND RECONFIGURE SOME COASTAL...OFFSHORE AND
GREAT LAKES MARINE FORECAST ZONES.

USERS SELECTING INFORMATION FOR SPECIFIC ZONES WILL NEED TO USE THE NEW
UNIVERSAL GEOGRAPHIC CODES /UGCS/ FOR THE NEW ZONES...THE RENUMBERED
ZONES...AND SOME OF THE RECONFIGURED ZONES. TABLE 1 /BELOW/ LISTS THE
PRODUCT CATEGORIES AFFECTED. TABLE 2 LISTS ALL OF THE NWS PRODUCTS AND
MARINE ZONES AFFECTED...BY ISSUING OFFICE. ZONES NOT LISTED IN TABLE 2
WILL REMAIN THE SAME.

AN UPDATED ZONE MAP SHOWING THE NEW MARINE ZONES WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR
DOWNLOAD FROM THE FOLLOWING WEB SITE BY JULY 10 2001 /USE LOWER CASE/:

[HTTP://ISL715.NWS.NOAA.GOV/MAPDATA/NEWCAT/WSOM/D51_D52.HTM](http://ISL715.NWS.NOAA.GOV/MAPDATA/NEWCAT/WSOM/D51_D52.HTM)

FOR HOLDERS OF WEATHER SERVICE OPERATIONS MANUAL /WSOM/ CHAPTER D-
51...MARINE SERVICES FOR COASTAL...OFFSHORE AND HIGH SEAS...PLEASE REFER
TO WSOM ISSUANCE 00-04 APPENDIX B DATED FEBRUARY 29 2000 AND MAKE
APPROPRIATE PEN AND INK CHANGES.

FOR HOLDERS OF WSOM CHAPTER D-52...MARINE SERVICES FOR THE GREAT
LAKES...PLEASE REFER TO OML 10-98 DATED DECEMBER 7 1998 AND MAKE THE
APPROPRIATE PEN AND INK CHANGES.

TABLE 1. PRODUCT CATEGORIES AFFECTED BY ZONE RECONFIGURATIONS.

PRODUCT /GENERIC/ -----	AFOS PIL /GENERIC/ -----	WMO HEADING /GENERIC/ -----	AWIPS ID -----
COASTAL MARINE FORECAST	CCCCWFXXX	FZAAII CCCC	CWFXXX
OFFSHORE FORECAST	CCCOFFXXX	FZAAII CCCC	OFFXXX
NEAR SHORE FORECAST	CCCNHXXX	FZAAII CCCC	NSHXXX
SPECIAL MARINE WARNING	CCCSMWXXX	WMAAII CCCC	SMWXXX
		WHA AII CCCC	
MARINE WEATHER STATEMENT	CCCMWSXXX	FZAAII CCCC	MWSXXX

AMZ775- AMZ740-
AMZ755- AMZ750-

ALL MARINE ZONE NAMES WILL REMAIN THE SAME. THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE SAN JUAN PR AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL REMAIN THE SAME.

2D. AFFECTED PRODUCTS AND ZONES ISSUED BY CORPUS CHRISTI TX
AFOS PIL: SATCWFCRP SATSMWCRP SATMWSCRP
WMO HEADER: FZUS54 KCRP WHUS54 KCRP FZUS74 KCRP
AWIPS ID: CWFCRP SMWCRP MWSCRP

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF GMZ235 FROM:
NORTH MUSTANG BAYS FROM PORT OCONNOR TO ARANSAS PASS
TO:
BAYS AND WATERWAYS FROM PORT OCONNOR TO ARANSAS PASS

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF GMZ230 FROM:
SOUTH MUSTANG BAYS FROM CORPUS CHRISTI BAY TO BAFFIN BAY
TO:
BAYS AND WATERWAYS FROM CORPUS CHRISTI BAY TO BAFFIN BAY

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE CORPUS CHRISTI TX AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL REMAIN THE SAME.

2E. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY PAGO PAGO AMERICAN SAMOA
AFOS PIL: HFOCFPPG
WMO HEADER: FZZS50 NSTU
AWIPS ID: CWFPPG

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF PSZ150 FROM:
COASTAL WATERS OF TUTUTILA...MANUA...AND SWAINS ISLAND
TO:
COASTAL WATERS OF TUTUTILA AND AUNUU

ADD THESE ZONES AND UGCS:
PSZ151- COASTAL WATERS OF MANUA
PSZ152- COASTAL WATERS OF SWAINS ISLAND

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE PAGO PAGO AMERICAN SAMOA AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL REMAIN THE SAME.

2F. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY THE TROPICAL PREDICTION CENTER IN MIAMI FL

AFOS PIL: MIAOFFNT3
WMO HEADER: FZNT23 KNHC
AWIPS ID: OFFNT3

ADD THE FOLLOWING ZONE AND UGC:
AMZ087- TROPICAL NORTH ATLANTIC FROM 7N TO 22N BETWEEN 55W AND 65W
INCLUDING WATERS NORTH AND EAST OF THE LEEWARD AND WINDWARD ISLANDS

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES ISSUED BY THE TROPICAL PREDICTION CENTER IN MIAMI FL WILL REMAIN THE SAME.

2G. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY SAN DIEGO CA
AFOS PIL: LAXCWFSGX LAXSMWSAN LAXMWSSAN
WMO HEADER: FZUS56 KSGX WHUS56 KSGX FZUS76 KSGX
AWIPS ID: CWFSGX SMWSAN MWSSAN

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF PZZ750 FROM:
INNER WATERS FROM SAN MATEO POINT TO MEXICAN BORDER INSIDE SAN CLEMENTE
ISLAND
TO:
COASTAL WATERS FROM SAN MATEO POINT TO THE MEXICAN BORDER AND OUT 30 NM

ADD THE FOLLOWING ZONE AND UGC:
PZZ775- WATERS FROM SAN MATEO POINT TO THE MEXICAN BORDER EXTENDING 30 TO
60 NM OUT INCLUDING SAN CLEMENTE ISLAND
THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE SAN DIEGO CA AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL
REMAIN THE SAME.

2H. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY LOS ANGELES CA

AFOS PIL: LAXCWFLAX LAXSMWLAX LAXMWSLAX
WMO HEADER: FZUS56 KLOX WMUS56 KLOX FZUS76 KLOX
AWIPS ID: CWFLAX SMWLAX MWSLAX

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF PZZ676 FROM:
OUTER WATERS FROM SANTA CRUZ ISLAND TO SAN CLEMENTE ISLAND TO MEXICO
BORDER AND WESTWARD TO 60 NM OFFSHORE INCLUDING SAN NICHOLAS IS
TO:
OUTER WATERS FROM SANTA CRUZ ISLAND TO SAN CLEMENTE ISLAND TO 60 NM
OFFSHORE INCLUDING SAN NICHOLAS IS

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE LOS ANGELES CA AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL
REMAIN THE SAME.

2I. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY MARQUETTE MI

AFOS PIL: ARBNSHMQT ARBSMWMQT ARBMWSMQT
WMO HEADER: FZUS53 KMQT WHUS53 KMQT FZUS73 KMQT
AWIPS ID: NSHMQT SMWMQT MWSMQT

AFOS PIL: ARBGLFLS
WMO HEADER: FZUS63 KMQT
AWIPS ID: GLFLS

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LSZ246 FROM:
MARQUETTE TO GRAND MARAIS MI
TO:
MARQUETTE TO MUNISING MI

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LSZ247 FROM:
GRAND MARAIS TO WHITEFISH PT MI
TO:
MUNISING TO GRAND MARAIS MI

ADD THE FOLLOWING ZONE AND UGC:

LSZ248- GRAND MARAIS TO WHITEFISH PT MI

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE MARQUETTE MI AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL REMAIN THE SAME.

2J. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY GAYLORD MI

AFOS PIL:	ARBNSHAPN	ARBSMWAPN	ARBMWSAPN
WMO HEADER:	FZUS53 KAPX	WHUS53 KAPX	FZUS73 KAPX
AWIPS ID:	NSHAPN	SMWAPN	MWSAPN

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LMZ341 FROM:
MACKINAC BRIDGE TO SEUL CHOIX PT MI
TO:
SEUL CHOIX PT MI TO 5 NM WEST OF MACKINAC BRIDGE

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LMZ342 FROM:
MACKINAC BRIDGE TO NORWOOD MI
TO:
NORWOOD MI TO 5 NM WEST OF MACKINAC BRIDGE

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LMZ363 FROM:
LAKE MICHIGAN MACKINAC BRIDGE TO MANISTEE MI NORTHWESTWARD BEYOND 5 NM OFF SHORE TO MID-LINE OF LAKE
TO:
LAKE MICHIGAN 5 NM WEST OF MACKINAC BRIDGE TO MANISTEE MI NORTHWESTWARD BEYOND 5 NM OFF SHORE TO MID-LINE OF LAKE

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ346 FROM:
MACKINAC BRIDGE TO FALSE DETOUR CHANNEL
TO:
ST IGNACE TO FALSE DETOUR CHANNEL

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ347 FROM:
MACKINAC BRIDGE TO PRESQUE ISLE LT MI
TO:
5 NM EAST OF MACKINAC BRIDGE TO PRESQUE ISLE LT MI INCLUDING BOIS BLANC ISLAND

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ348 FROM:
PRESQUE ISLE LT TO ALABASTER MI
TO:
PRESQUE ISLE LT TO STURGEON POINT MI INCLUDING THUNDER BAY NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ361 FROM:
LAKE HURON MACKINAC BRIDGE TO PRESQUE ISLE LT MI EASTWARD BEYOND 5 NM OFF SHORE TO US-CANADIAN BORDER
TO:
LAKE HURON 5 NM EAST OF MACKINAC BRIDGE TO PRESQUE ISLE LT MI EASTWARD BEYOND 5 NM OFF SHORE TO US-CANADIAN BORDER

ADD THE FOLLOWING ZONES AND UGCS:
LHZ345- STRAITS OF MACKINAC WITHIN 5 NM OF MACKINAC BRIDGE INCLUDING

MACKINAC ISLAND
LHZ349- STURGEON POINT TO ALABASTER MI

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE GAYLORD MI AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL
REMAIN THE SAME.

2K. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY DETROIT MI

AFOS PIL:	ARBNSHDTX	ARBSMWDTX	ARBMWSDTX
WMO HEADER:	FZUS53 KDTX	WHUS53 KDTX	FZUS73 KDTX
AWIPS ID:	NSHDTX	SMWDTX	MWSDTX

AFOS PIL:	ARBGLFLH	ARBGLFSC
WMO HEADER:	FZUS63 KDTX	FZUS63 KDTX
AWIPS ID:	GLFLH	GLFSC

ADD THE FOLLOWING ZONES AND UGCS:

LHZ422- INNER SAGINAW BAY...SOUTHWEST OF POINT AU GRES TO BAY PORT MI
LHZ464- LAKE HURON...PORT SANILAC TO PORT HURON 5 NM OFFSHORE TO US-
CANADIAN BORDER

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ462 FROM:

LAKE HURON 5 NM NORTH OF PORT AUSTIN TO 5 NM EAST OF WHITE ROCK EASTWARD
TO US-CANADIAN BORDER

TO:

LAKE HURON PORT AUSTIN TO HARBOR BEACH MI 5 NM OFFSHORE TO THE US-CANADIAN
BORDER

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ421 FROM:

SAGINAW BAY ALABASTER TO 5 NM NORTH OF PORT AUSTIN MI

TO:

OUTER SAGINAW BAY SOUTHWEST OF ALABASTER TO PORT AUSTIN MI TO INNER
SAGINAW BAY

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ441 FROM:

PORT AUSTIN TO WHITE ROCK MI

TO:

PORT AUSTIN TO HARBOR BEACH MI

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ442 FROM:

WHITE ROCK TO LAKEPORT MI

TO:

HARBOR BEACH TO PORT SANILAC MI

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ443 FROM:

LAKEPORT TO PORT HURON MI

TO:

PORT SANILAC TO PORT HURON MI

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LHZ463 FROM:

LAKE HURON WHITE ROCK TO PORT HURON MI EASTWARD 5 NM OFFSHORE TO US-
CANADIAN BORDER

TO:

LAKE HURON HARBOR BEACH TO PORT SANILAC 5 NM OFFSHORE TO US-CANADIAN

BORDER

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LCZ422 FROM:
ST CLAIR RIVER PORT HURON TO UPPER ENTRANCE TO LAKE ST CLAIR
TO:
ST CLAIR RIVER

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LCZ423 FROM:
DETROIT RIVER LOWER ENTRANCE TO LAKE ST CLAIR TO DETROIT RIVER LIGHT
TO:
DETROIT RIVER

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LEZ444 FROM:
DETROIT RIVER LT TO NORTH CAPE MI
TO:
MICHIGAN WATERS OF LAKE ERIE FROM DETROIT RIVER TO NORTH CAPE MI

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE DETROIT MI AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL
REMAIN THE SAME.

2L. AFFECTED NWS PRODUCTS ISSUED BY GRAND RAPIDS MI

AFOS PIL:	ARBNSHGRR	ARBSMWGRR	ARBMWSGRR
WMO HEADER:	FZUS53 KGRR	WHUS53 KGRR	FZUS73 KGRR
AWIPS ID:	NSHGRR	SMWGRR	MWSGRR

ADD THE FOLLOWING ZONES AND UGCS:
LMZ843- NEW BUFFALO TO ST JOSEPH MI
LMZ844- ST JOSEPH TO SOUTH HAVEN MI
LMZ845- SOUTH HAVEN TO HOLLAND MI
LMZ846- HOLLAND TO GRAND HAVEN MI
LMZ868- LAKE MICHIGAN HOLLAND TO WHITEHALL MI 5 NM OFFSHORE TO MID-LINE OF
LAKE
LMZ869- LAKE MICHIGAN WHITEHALL TO MANISTEE MI 5 NM OFFSHORE TO MID-LINE
OF LAKE

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LMZ847 FROM:
NEW BUFFALO TO SOUTH HAVEN MI
TO:
GRAND HAVEN TO WHITEHALL MI

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LMZ848 FROM: SOUTH HAVEN TO MUSKEGON MI
TO:
WHITEHALL TO PENTWATER MI

CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LMZ849 FROM: MUSKEGON TO MANISTEE MI
TO:

PENTWATER TO MANISTEE MI
CHANGE ZONE NAME OF LMZ867 FROM:
LAKE MICHIGAN NEW BUFFALO MI TO MANISTEE MI WESTWARD 5 NM OFFSHORE TO MID-
LINE OF THE LAKE

TO:

LAKE MICHIGAN NEW BUFFALO TO HOLLAND MI 5 NM OFFSHORE TO MID-LINE OF LAKE

THE OTHER MARINE ZONES IN THE GRAND RAPIDS MI AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY WILL
REMAIN THE SAME.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT:

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