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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 99-14 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 845 AM EST WED FEB 10 1999

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS

NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWWS/ SUBSCRIBERS OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE PIERCE

CHIEF...HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: FORECAST RESPONSIBILITIES FOR TWENTY-ONE /21/ ZONES IN WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA AND FIVE /5/ ZONES IN NORTHEASTERN WYOMING TRANSFERRED TO THE WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST OFFICE IN RAPID CITY SOUTH DAKOTA...AND CHANGE IN SIOUX FALLS SOUTH DAKOTA ZONE FORECAST PRODUCT IDENTIFIER...ALL EFFECTIVE TUESDAY...APRIL 6 1999

EFFECTIVE TUESDAY...APRIL 6 1999...AT 3:00 A.M MOUNTAIN DAYLIGHT TIME...0900 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE OFFICE /NWSO/ IN RAPID CITY SOUTH DAKOTA /RAP/ WILL ASSUME FORECAST RESPONSIBILITY FOR TWENTY-ONE /21/ ZONES IN WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA AND FIVE /5/ ZONES IN NORTHEAST WYOMING. FOR THE AFFECTED ZONES...REFER TO TABLES 1 AND 2.

SUBSCRIBERS TO THE NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWWS/ AND THE FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ WILL NEED TO INITIATE ACTION TO ACCOMMODATE THIS CHANGE. THESE PROGRAM CHANGES WILL REQUIRE PRODUCT IDENTIFIER CHANGES...E.G...FSDZFPSD TO FSDZFPUNR.

ALSO...EFFECTIVE WITH THIS CHANGE...ZONE FORECASTS ISSUED BY THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST OFFICE SIOUX FALLS SOUTH DAKOTA /NWSFO FSD/ WILL BE ISSUED USING THE PRODUCT IDENTIFIER FSDZFPFSD. THIS REPLACES THE EXISTING PRODUCT IDENTIFIER FSDZFPSD.

TABLE 1: FROM WSFO SIOUX FALLS /FSD/ TO RAP: TWENTY-ONE /21/ ZONES IN WESTERN SOUTH DAKOTA:

SDZ001- HARDING SDZ002- PERKINS

SDZ012- BUTTE SDZ013- MEADE CO. PLAINS

SDZ012- BOTTE SDZ013- MEADE CO. FLATNS
SDZ014- ZIEBACH SDZ024- NORTHERN BLACK HILLS

SDZ025- NORTHERN FOOTHILLS

SDZ026- CENTRAL FOOTHILLS

SDZ027- SOUTHERN FOOTHILLS

SDZ028- CENTRAL BLACK HILLS

SDZ029- SOUTHERN BLACK HILLS

SDZ030- CUSTER PLAINS SDZ031- PENNINGTON PLAINS

SDZ032- HAAKON SDZ041- FALL RIVER SDZ042- SHANNON SDZ043- JACKSON SDZ044- BENNETT SDZ046- MELLETTE SDZ047- TODD SDZ049- TRIPP

TABLE 2: FROM WSFO CHEYENNE WYOMING /CYS/ TO RAP: FIVE /5/ ZONES IN NORTHEASTERN WYOMING

WYZ054- GILLETTE

WYZ055- SOUTH CAMPBELL

WYZ056- MOORCROFT

WYZ057- WYOMING BLACK HILLS

WYZ058- WESTON

TABLE 3: FOR THE ZONES IN TABLES 1 AND 2...THE FOLLOWING WILL BE THE NEW PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS FOR THIS SERVICE TRANSFER TO WFO RAP.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	NWWS ID	WMO/FOS ID
*PUBLIC ZONE FORECASTS	FSDZFPUNR	FPUS53 KUNR
*PUBLIC ZONE FORECAST WILL BE EXTEN	NDED THROUGH	FIVE DAYS
WINTER STORM ADVSY/WATCH/WARNING	FSDWSWRAP	WWUS43 KUNR
NON-PRECIPITATION ADVISORY/WATCH/		
WARNING	FSDNPWRAP	WWUS73 KUNR
FLOOD/FLASH FLOOD WATCH	FSDFFARAP	WGUS63 KUNR
AREA WEATHER SUMMARY	FSDAWSRAP	AWUS43 KUNR
AREA FORECAST DISCUSSION	FSDAFDRAP	FXUS63 KUNR
REGIONAL TEMPERATURE AND		
PRECIPITATION TABLE	FSDRTPRAP	ASUS63 KUNR
CODED CITIES FORECAST	FSDCCFRAP	FPUS43 KUNR

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING METEOROLOGISTS-IN-CHARGE:

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