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**From:** Christopher Vaccaro - NOAA Federal  
**Sent:** Sunday, September 8, 2019 9:54 AM  
**To:** Julie Roberts - NOAA Federal  
**Cc:** Susan Buchanan - NOAA Federal  
**Subject:** Re: Update to statement

Thanks... will send.

On Sun, Sep 8, 2019 at 9:53 AM Julie Roberts - NOAA Federal <[julie.roberts@noaa.gov](mailto:julie.roberts@noaa.gov)> wrote:  
Good

Kindest regards,  
Julie Kay Roberts  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

On Sep 8, 2019, at 9:43 AM, Susan Buchanan - NOAA Federal <[susan.buchanan@noaa.gov](mailto:susan.buchanan@noaa.gov)> wrote:

looks good

On Sun, Sep 8, 2019 at 9:41 AM Christopher Vaccaro - NOAA Federal <[christopher.vaccaro@noaa.gov](mailto:christopher.vaccaro@noaa.gov)> wrote:

How's this?

NWS leadership sent guidance to field staff so they (and the entire agency) could maintain operational focus on Dorian and other severe weather hazards without distraction. The guidance made no reference to the president. -NWS Spokesperson

Additionally, this statement was provided to The Washington Post but it does not appear in their print story

On Sun, Sep 8, 2019 at 9:32 AM Susan Buchanan - NOAA Federal <[susan.buchanan@noaa.gov](mailto:susan.buchanan@noaa.gov)> wrote:

Chris - there is a phrase missing from the statement in your snippet. Here is the full statement:

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I suggest adding something like this: [REDACTED]

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On Sun, Sep 8, 2019 at 9:26 AM Christopher Vaccaro - NOAA Federal <[christopher.vaccaro@noaa.gov](mailto:christopher.vaccaro@noaa.gov)> wrote:

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(b)(5) do we need to adjust this statement at all? I can then send it to The Hill and MSNBC.

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