

**Louis Uccellini - NOAA Federal**

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**From:** Louis Uccellini - NOAA Federal  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 10, 2019 4:05 PM  
**To:** Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal  
**Cc:** Susan Buchanan - NOAA Federal; Mary Erickson - NOAA Federal; John Murphy  
**Subject:** Re: Message about NHC/NWS focus on mission

Put the [REDACTED] (b)(5)

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On Sep 10, 2019, at 2:55 PM, Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal <[kenneth.graham@noaa.gov](mailto:kenneth.graham@noaa.gov)> wrote:

Not sure we need to respond, but at least we have something we can come to you with if we need to later. Looks really close. Since the public, just a small adjustment.

[REDACTED] (b)(5) [REDACTED]

Is this okay for us to keep on standby? This works for public emails perfectly. Actually, this works for anybody with a few tweaks.

Ken

On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 3:40 PM Susan Buchanan - NOAA Federal <[susan.buchanan@noaa.gov](mailto:susan.buchanan@noaa.gov)> wrote:

Hi Ken - what about something even more simple as a response email, such as:

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Susan Buchanan  
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National Weather Service  
301-427-9000

On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 3:30 PM Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal <[kenneth.graham@noaa.gov](mailto:kenneth.graham@noaa.gov)> wrote:

Mary,

The biggest request we are getting are emails just asking for assurance we are science based as always. The original short statement is something we might be able to use to reassure people. Not looking for anything other than assurance "we have not changed". That was the thought anyway. This is of course if we decide to respond to the emails.

Ken

On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 2:24 PM Mary Erickson - NOAA Federal <[mary.erickson@noaa.gov](mailto:mary.erickson@noaa.gov)> wrote:

Ken, Louis,

Susan just called with the potential message on NHC work. I made a few suggestions, but mainly want to pitch a few delivery options to you. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] (By the way NWSHQ has received 500!)

What if we:

1) [REDACTED]

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Or

2) [REDACTED]

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Best,  
Mary

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