PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE CHARLESTON SC
123 PM EDT MON OCT 15 2007

...UNSEASONABLY WARM TEMPERATURES RECORDED LAST WEEK...

UNSEASONABLY WARM WEATHER OCCURRED LAST WEEK AS AN UPPER LEVEL RIDGE THAT BROUGHT AN EXTENDED PERIOD OF RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURES OVER THE MIDWEST MOVED OVER SOUTH CAROLINA AND GEORGIA. WARM DRY AIR LED TO RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURES ON TUESDAY...OCTOBER 9 AND WEDNESDAY...OCTOBER 10 BEFORE A COLD FRONT PUSHED INTO THE AREA AND ALLOWED A RETURN TO NORMAL HIGH TEMPERATURES IN THE UPPER 70S. TEMPERATURES WERE ABLE TO REACH THE UPPER 80S IN SEVERAL AREAS WITH A FEW PLACES REACHING AROUND 90 ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY...WHICH LED TO LOCATIONS EXPERIENCING RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURES OF 10 DEGREES ABOVE CLIMATOLOGY FOR THIS TIME OF YEAR.

THE FOLLOWING ARE HIGH TEMPERATURE RECORDS DURING THIS 2 DAY PERIOD.

CHARLESTON AIRPORT
A RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURE OF 88 DEGREES WAS TIED AT CHARLESTON AIRPORT WEDNESDAY...OCTOBER 10. THIS TIED THE PREVIOUS RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURE OF 88 SET IN 1941.

DOWNTOWN CHARLESTON
THE MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE RECORDED AT DOWNTOWN CHARLESTON ON TUESDAY...OCTOBER 9...WAS 86 DEGREES. THIS TIED THE RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURE OF 86 PREVIOUSLY REACHED IN 1960.

THE MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE RECORDED AT DOWNTOWN CHARLESTON ON WEDNESDAY...OCTOBER 10...WAS 86 DEGREES. THIS TIED THE RECORD HIGH TEMPERATURE OF 86 DEGREES PREVIOUSLY REACHED IN 1958.

...OTHER TUESDAY HIGH TEMPERATURES...

...SOUTH COASTAL SOUTH CAROLINA...

BEAUFORT MCAS 87
CHARLESTON AIRPORT 88
CHARLESTON DOWNTOWN 86
EDISTO BEACH PARK 87
JAMESTOWN 93
MCCELELLANVILLE 7NE 86
PRITCHARDVILLE 89
RIDGEVILLE 89
WITHERBEE RAWS 90

...SOUTHEAST GEORGIA...

BROOKLET 89
HINESVILLE AWOS 89
METTER RAWS 89
MIDWAY RAWS 89
...OTHER WEDNESDAY HIGH TEMPERATURES...

...SOUTH COASTAL SOUTH CAROLINA...
BEAUFORT MCAS 88
CHARLESTON AIRPORT 88
CHARLESTON DOWNTOWN 86
FORT MOULTRIE 89
GIVHANS 89
JAMESTOWN 91
MCCLELLANVILLE 7NE 85
PRITCHARDVILLE 88
SUMMERVILLE 88
WALTERBORO 87
WITHERBEE RAWS 88

...SOUTHEAST GEORGIA...

BROOKLET 89
HINESVILLE AWOS 88
METTER RAWS 88
MIDWAY RAWS 88
ROCKY FORD 88
SAPELO ISLAND 90
SAPELO ISLAND NERRS 87
SAVANNAH 1SW AWOS 89
SAVANNAH AIRPORT 88

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