Subject: Soliciting Public Comments on the Proposed Termination of Certain Web Graphics Being Produced by EMC through May 28, 2023

The Environmental Modeling Center (EMC) is seeking comments on the proposed termination of certain web graphics that it has been producing in real time from its operational modeling systems. The graphics proposed to be terminated were intended for model development and evaluation efforts and were not meant to be considered Operational. EMC has a mission of transitioning new modeling innovations into operations. Providing real time graphics from the operational model output detracts from EMC’s ability to apply full resources to meeting that mission.

Note that the NWS official location for web graphics from NWS Operational models will NOT be terminated, and will remain available at: https://mag.ncep.noaa.gov/

EMC is seeking comment on its proposal to shut down the following subset of web products and the corresponding pages. Input on what, if any, graphics are considered essential to our external users is encouraged.

GEFS Products pages
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/users/meg/gefs_plumes/index.html?stationname=KIAD
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/gmb/yluo/GEFS_VRFY/CPQPF_6h.html
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/gmb/yluo/GEFS_VRFY/CPQPF_24h.html
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/gmb/yluo/ccpa/ccpa.php

NAM Graphics
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/namsvrfcst/
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/mmbp11/opsnam/
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/mmbp11/nam_conusnest_hourly60/
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/mmbp11/nam_alaskanest_hourly/
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/mmbp11/nam_hawaiinest/
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/mmbp11/nam_priconest/
RAP Meteograms
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/rucmeteograms/

HIRESW forecasts
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/mpyle/hiresw/
(alternative web page with the products is:
https://mag.ncep.noaa.gov/model-guidance-model-area.php)

SREF Aviation products
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/wd20bz/SREF Aviation/web Site/html_212/filestr.html

Precip analysis graphics
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/mmb/SREF/pcpanl/

CCPA Graphics
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/gmb/yluo/CCPA.html

Wave graphics
https://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/viewer.shtml?-gfswave-
https://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/validation/gefsv12/
https://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/hindcasts/
https://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/nfcens/viewer.shtml

Monsoon Desk
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/emc/pages/projects/monsoondesk.php

CFS Products
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/gc_wmb/wd20xw/cfsrr_6h/index.html
https://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/gc_wmb/wd20xw/cfsrr/index.html

Experimental Ensemble Sensitivity Graphics:

If you have comments regarding these changes please contact:
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National Service Changes Notices are online at:
https://www.weather.gov/notification/

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