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Subject: Soliciting Public Comments through May 14th, 2026, on the  
Proposed Removal of All Products from Smartinit.

The NWS Environmental Modeling Center (EMC) is seeking comments until May 14th, 2026, on the proposed termination of disseminating all products from Smartinit. Smartinit products are currently in legacy status and are now targeted for retirement. The National Blend of Models (NBM) replaces Smartinit products, and users are encouraged to migrate to using the NBM.

The National Weather Service plans to cease dissemination of all Smartinit products transmitted via all transmission methods.

To provide feedback regarding this change, please contact:

Email: [emc.products.feedback@noaa.gov](mailto:emc.products.feedback@noaa.gov)

Google Form: Soliciting Public Comments on the Proposed Removal  
of All Products from Smartinit at:  
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