Public Information Statement, Comments Requested: Corrected
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Subject: Corrected: Comments Requested starting April 2, 2012 on
Modification of Severe Convective Warnings and Associated
Follow-Up Statements to Emphasize Impacts, Intensity, and
Recommended Actions via Bulleted Messaging and Coded Tag Lines

Corrected WFO St. Louis, MO, identifier to read LSX.

Beginning Monday, April 2, 2012, and continuing through November
30, 2012, select Central Region (CR) NWS Weather Forecast
Offices (WFOs) will issue enhanced convective warnings. Severe
Thunderstorm Warning (SVR), Tornado Warning (TOR) and Severe
Weather Statement (SVS) products will be stratified into
categories which distinguish extreme cases from base convective
warnings. Additional enhanced wording will be included to
convey information about associated impacts, specific hazards
expected, and recommended actions, both within the bullet
statements and as part of the tag line codes.

The Central Region offices participating in this enhanced
product project are:

St. Louis, MO (LSX)
Springfield, MO (SGF)
Kansas City, MO (EAX)
Topeka, KS (TOP)
Wichita, KS (ICT)
A Product Description Document (PDD) outlining the products is online at:

http://products.weather.gov/viewliste.php

Please submit comments to:

http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=IBW

Upon the completion of this experimental period and the close of this comment period, NWS will evaluate all comments to determine whether to proceed with further implementation of the enhanced convective products.

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