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Subject: Updated: Comment period extended through June 30,
 2018, on the proposed termination of the NWS
 Hydrologic Information Center (HIC) website

Updated to extend the comment period through June 30, 2018

NWS is accepting comments until June 30, 2018, on a proposal to
terminate the Hydrologic Information Center (HIC) website.
<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/hic>

This legacy web site was launched many years ago to provide NWS
flood loss information to the general public and reports to the
US Army Corps of Engineers. The HIC website is now obsolete
because these detailed reports are no longer being generated and
the underlying data is available to the public through the NOAA
National Centers for Environmental Information. To ease the
transition for NWS data partners and customers, a breakdown of
the options available for obtaining information normally found
via the HIC URL is provided below.

HIC Site Data Link: Alternative Links

Flood Damage Data currently at
<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/oh/hic/>
now at
<https://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/stormevents/>

Fatality Data currently at
http://www.nws.noaa.gov/hic/flood_stats/recent_individual_deaths.shtml
now at <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/os/hazstats.shtml>
(1996 to present) or <https://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/stormevents/>

Spring Flood Outlook formerly at
<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/oh/hic/nho/>
now at <http://nws.noaa.gov/oh/index.html>

Loss Reports currently at

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/hic/summaries/index.shtml>

now at

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/os/water/>

Flood Safety Info formerly at <http://www.floodsafety.noaa.gov/>

now at <https://www.weather.gov/safety/flood>

NWS will evaluate all comments to determine whether to proceed with this change. If approved, NWS will send a Service Change Notice giving 30 day notice of the termination date.

Send comments on this proposal to:

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National Service Change Notices are online at:

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/notif.htm>

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