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Subject: National Safe Boating Week: May 19-25, 2018

The NWS and the National Safe Boating Council will partner again this year for National Safe Boating Week, May 19-25, 2018. The week will highlight relevant weather topics and offer safety-specific Public Service Announcements (PSAs) and resources for the recreational boating public.

Topics include:

Saturday 5/19: Life Jackets Sunday 5/20: Fire Extinguishers

Monday 5/21: Boating under the Influence

Tuesday 5/22: Distress Beacons

Wednesday 5/23: Thunderstorm Safety Thursday 5/24: Hurricane Preparedness

Friday 5/25: Marine Forecast

For more information on hazardous weather and boating safety, visit the following websites:

https://www.weather.gov/safety/safeboating-weekhttp://www.safeboatingcouncil.org/

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National Public Information Statements are online at:

https://www.weather.gov/notification/archive

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