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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-35
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ACTING CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: ADDITION OF NEW MARINE AND PUBLIC UGC CODES FOR GUAM GEOGRAPHIC
AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY: EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 3 2003

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY...SEPTEMBER 3 2003 AT 400 PM GUAM LOCAL STANDARD
TIME...0600 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE NATIONAL WEATHER
SERVICE WEATHER FORECAST OFFICE /WFO/ IN GUAM WILL ADD NEW MARINE AND
PUBLIC ZONES TO ITS GEOGRAPHIC AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY. THE NEW ZONES ARE
BROKEN OUT ACCORDING TO TYPE AND LOCATION AND ARE LISTED IN TABLE 1.
PRODUCTS AFFECTED BY THESE CHANGES ARE LISTED IN TABLE 2.

NWS CUSTOMERS WHO AUTOMATICALLY PROCESS PRODUCTS LISTED IN TABLE 2 USING
THE Z FORM OF THE UNIVERSAL GEOGRAPHIC CODE /UGC/ MAY NEED TO PROGRAM THE
NEW Z CODES INTO THEIR SYSTEM/S/ NO LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 3 2003 TO
CONTINUE TO PROCESS THE PRODUCTS.

AN UPDATED ZONE MAP SHAPEFILE CONTAINING THE REALIGNED ZONES IS NOW
AVAILABLE FOR DOWNLOAD FROM THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE /USE LOWER CASE/:

[HTTP://WWW.NWS.NOAA.GOV/GEODATA/CATALOG/WSOM/HTML/PUBZONE.HTM](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/geodata/catalog/wsom/html/pubzone.htm)

TABLE 1: NEW MARINE AND PUBLIC ZONES FOR WFO GUAM GEOGRAPHIC AREA OF
RESPONSIBILITY WITH CORRESPONDING UGCS

NEW MARINE SYNOPSIS	UGC
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WATERS OUT TO 40 NAUTRICAL MILES:	
SYNOPSIS FOR KOROR/PALAU WATERS	PMZ160
SYNOPSIS FOR THE FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA WATERS	PMZ170
SYNOPSIS OF MAJURO WATERS	PMZ180
SYNOPSIS OF WAKE ISLAND WATERS /NEW MARINE ZONE/	PMZ190

WATERS OUT TO 40 NAUTICAL MILES:

LOCATION -----	LATITUDE -----	LONGITUDE -----	UGC ---
WAKE ISLAND	19.3N	166.6E	PMZ191

NEW PUBLIC ZONES:

COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANAS:

AGRIHAN	18.8N	145.7E	GUZ005
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REPUBLIC OF PALAU:

KOROR	7.3N	134.5E	GUZ011
SONSOROL	5.3N	132.2E	GUZ012
KAYANGEL	8.1N	134.7E	GUZ013

YAP STATE /FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA/:

YAP	9.5N	138.1E	GUZ021
NGULU	8.3N	137.5E	GUZ022
ULITHI	10.0N	139.8E	GUZ023
SOROL	8.2N	140.4E	GUZ024
WOLEAI	7.4N	143.9E	GUZ025
SATAWAL	7.4N	147.2E	GUZ026

CHUUK STATE /FEDERATED STATED OF MICRONESIA/:

CHUUK	7.5N	151.9E	GUZ031
PLULUWAT	7.4N	149.2E	GUZ032
LUKUNOR	5.5N	153.8E	GUZ033

POHNPEI STATE /FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA/:

POHNPEI	7.0N	158.2E	GUZ041
MOKIL	6.8N	159.8E	GUZ042
PINGELAP	6.2N	160.7E	GUZ043

KOSRAE STATE /FEDERATED STATES OF MICRONESIA/:

KOSRAE	5.3N	163.0E	GUZ051
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REPUBLIC OF THE MARSHALL ISLANDS:

MAJURO	7.1N	171.4E	GUZ061
UJELANG	9.8N	161.0E	GUZ062
ENEWETAK	11.4N	162.4E	GUZ063
AILINGLAPLAP	7.3N	168.8E	GUZ064
JALUIT	5.9N	169.6E	GUZ065
UTIRIK	11.2N	169.8E	GUZ066
WOTJE	9.5N	170.2E	GUZ067
MILI	6.1N	171.7E	GUZ068

WAKE ISLAND:

WAKE ISLAND	19.3N	166.6E	GUZ081
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TABLE 2: PRODUCTS AFFECTED BY NEW MARINE AND PUBLIC ZONES IN WFO GUAM
GEOGRAPHIC AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY

PRODUCT NAME -----	WMO HEADING -----	AWIPS ID -----
MICRONESIAN COASTAL ZONE FORECAST	FZPQ50 PGUM	CWFPQ
HURRICANE LOCAL STATEMENT	WTPQ81 PGUM	HLSPQ1
	WTPQ82 PGUM	HLSPQ2
	WTPQ83 PGUM	HLSPQ3
	WTPQ84 PGUM	HLSPQ4
	WTPQ85 PGUM	HLSPQ5
SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENT	WWPQ80 PGUM	SPSPQ
MICRONESIAN HIGH SURF ADVISORY	FZPQ70 PGUM	MWSPQ

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THESE UGC CODES OR LOCATIONS...PLEASE CONTACT:

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