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SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 05-33
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TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS...NOAA WEATHER
WIRE SERVICE /NWWS/ SUBSCRIBERS...EMERGENCY MANAGERS
WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK /EMWIN/ SUBSCRIBERS...
NOAAPORT SUBSCRIBERS...OTHER NATIONAL
WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ CUSTOMERS AND PARTNERS...NWS
EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE Z. PIERCE
CHIEF...MARINE AND COASTAL SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: CHANGES IN COASTAL WATERS MARINE ZONES BETWEEN
FLORENCE AND CAPE BLANCO... OREGON: EFFECTIVE
JANUARY 10 2006

EFFECTIVE TUESDAY...JANUARY 10 2006 AT 0900 PACIFIC STANDARD
/PST/...1700 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...MARINE ZONE
DESIGNATIONS ISSUED BY THE WEATHER FORECAST OFFICE /WFO/ IN
MEDFORD... OREGON WILL BE AMENDED TO IMPROVE CLARITY. THIS
CHANGE INVOLVES THE FOLLOWING TWO IMPROVEMENTS.

CURRENTLY COASTAL MARINE ZONES WITH UNIVERSAL GEOGRAPHIC
COORDINATE /UGC/ DESIGNATORS OF PZZ350 AND PZZ353 EXTEND FROM
FLORENCE TO CAPE ARAGO OR AND FROM CAPE ARAGO TO CAPE BLANCO OR
RESPECTIVELY AND OUT 20 NAUTICAL MILES /NM/. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 10
2006...MARINE ZONE PZZ353 WILL BE DELETED. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 10
2006 MARINE ZONE PZZ350 WILL ENCOMPASS AND BE KNOWN IN FORECASTS
AS THE COASTAL WATERS BETWEEN FLORENCE TO CAPE BLANCO OR AND OUT
20 NM.

CURRENTLY MARINE ZONES PZZ370 AND PZZ373 EXTEND FROM FLORENCE TO
CAPE ARAGO OR AND FROM CAPE ARAGO TO CAPE BLANCO OR FROM 20 TO 60
NM RESPECTIVELY. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 10 2006...MARINE ZONE PZZ373
WILL BE DELETED. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 10 2006 MARINE ZONE PZZ370
WILL ENCOMPASS AND BE KNOWN IN FORECASTS AS THE WATERS FROM
FLORENCE TO CAPE BLANCO OR FROM 20 TO 60 NM.

THE NEW MARINE ZONES ARE LISTED IN TABLE 1. THE NWS WILL RETAIN
THE MARINE ZONE UGCS FOR PZZ350 AND PZZ370. THE NWS WILL DELETE
THE MARINE ZONE UGCS FOR PZZ353 AND PZZ373.

BECAUSE OF THESE CHANGES...CUSTOMERS MUST TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION
TO CONTINUE RECEIVING INFORMATION AND SERVICES CURRENTLY PROVIDED
BY WFO MEDFORD FOR MARINE ZONES PZZ353 AND PZZ373. TABLE 2
SUMMARIZES THE NWS PRODUCTS AFFECTED BY THIS CHANGE.

TABLE 1. NEW MARINE ZONES EFFECTIVE JANUARY 10 2006

ZONE NAME	UGC ZONE
COASTAL WATERS FROM FLORENCE TO CAPE BLANCO OR OUT 20 NM	PZZ350
WATERS FROM FLORENCE TO CAPE BLANCO OR FROM 20 TO 60 NM	PZZ370

TABLE 2. WFO MEDFORD PRODUCTS AFFECTED BY THE MARINE ZONE CHANGES
EFFECTIVE JANUARY 10 2006

PRODUCT NAME	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID
COASTAL WATERS FORECAST	FZUS56 KMFR	CWFMFR
SPECIAL MARINE WARNING	WHUS56 KMFR	SMWMFR
MARINE WEATHER STATEMENT	FZUS76 KMFR	MWSMFR

AN UPDATED ZONE MAP SHAPEFILE CONTAINING THE NEW BOUNDARIES FOR
THESE MARINE ZONES IS AVAILABLE FOR DOWNLOAD FROM THE FOLLOWING
WEBSITE /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/:

WWW.NWS.NOAA.GOV/GEODATA/CATALOG/WSOM/HTML/MARINEZONES.HTM

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT:

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