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SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 08-65
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
310 PM EST MON DEC 2 2008

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FROM: ELI JACKS
CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: EXPANSION OF FIRE WEATHER SERVICE BY WEATHER FORECAST
OFFICE LA CROSSE WISCONSIN TO INCLUDE EIGHT COUNTIES IN
NORTHEAST IOWA: EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 3 2009

EFFECTIVE TUESDAY FEBRUARY 3 2009 AT 0000 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL
TIME /UTC/ WFO LACROSSE WISCONSIN /ARX/ WILL EXPAND ITS FIRE
WEATHER SERVICE TO INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING NORTHEAST IOWA COUNTIES
IN ITS FIRE WEATHER PLANNING FORECAST /FWFARX - FNUS53 KARX/ AND
FIRE WEATHER WATCH/RED FLAG WARNING /RFWARX - WWUS83 KARX/
PRODUCTS:

IOWA COUNTY/FIRE ZONE NUMBER
ZONE NAME

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ALLAMAKEE	IAZ011
CHICKASAW	IAZ019
CLAYTON	IAZ030
FAYETTE	IAZ029
FLOYD	IAZ018
HOWARD	IAZ009
MITCHELL	IAZ008
WINNESHIEK	IAZ010

PERTINENT PERSONNEL/OFFICES/AGENCIES MAY NEED TO RECONFIGURE
THEIR SYSTEMS TO RECEIVE THE FIRE WEATHER FORECAST FOR THESE
COUNTIES.

THESE FIRE WEATHER COUNTIES/ZONES MATCH EXISTING PUBLIC FORECAST
ZONES. THE CURRENT FIRE WEATHER SHAPE FILE IS AVAILABLE FOR
DOWNLOAD FROM THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/:

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

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THESE ADDITIONS...CONTACT:

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