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Subject: Changes to the format of the Fire Weather Planning Forecast (FWF)
for Weather Forecast Office Grand Junction (GJT), CO: Effective April 1,
2014

Effective Tuesday, April 1, 2014, at 1200 Coordinated Universal Time
(UTC), the NWS Weather Forecast Office (WFO) in Grand Junction (GJT), CO,
will include the forecasted mixing height, transport winds, and smoke
dispersal information within the Colorado portion of the Fire Weather
Forecast (FWFGJT), and the forecasted mixing height, transport winds and
clearing index within the Utah portion of FWFGJT.

http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/fire/gjt_fwf.pdf

NWS will discontinue the WFO GJT Smoke Management Forecast (FNUS75 KGJT/
SMFGJT) effective April 1, 2014.

These changes improve services for WFO GJT fire weather partners and users
by eliminating the SMF, a product rarely used, and including smoke
management information within the FWF, a product accessed daily by most
fire weather partner agencies and users.

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