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Subject: Update: NOAA Weather Wire Service NWS Enterprise Architecture Solution (NWWS-2) Begins April 1, 2015

The NOAA Weather Wire Service (NWWS-2) begins operation today. Satellite connectivity is by Satellite Broadcast Network (SBN)/NOAAPort Channel 201 using a NOVRA S300 or similar satellite receiver. Internet Open Interface is provided by the NWS Internet Dissemination System (NIDS).

For NWWS-2, both product streams (Satellite and OI) are required for high product availability. NWS has developed an End User Client (EUC) software application that provides three product stream ingest capabilities:

-Satellite Only
-Open Interface Only, and
-Both Satellite and Open Interface (High Availability)

Users must submit a signed disclaimer to the Program Manager before release of the EUC. For more information on the disclaimer, go to:

http://www.nws.noaa.gov/nwws/configuration.html

The legacy CSC service will end June 30, 2015. NWWS users must use NWWS-2 compatible hardware configurations and client software by that date to continue receiving NWWS alerts and warnings.

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