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Subject: Discontinuation of the Experimental Display of the Sperry-Piltz Ice Accumulation (SPIA) Index Graphics from NWS Webpages: Effective October 30, 2015

Effective Friday, October 30, 2015, NWS will discontinue experimental display of the Sperry-Piltz Ice Accumulation (SPIA) Index graphics on its Weather Forecast Office (WFO) webpages. The SPIA Index graphics depicted the potential impact of freezing rain and wind on exposed electrical systems. NWS has decided to discontinue the experimental display and not make the display operational.

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For partners and users who may be interested in continued access to the SPIA Index, you may contact:

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