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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 99-20
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
1145 AM EST FRI FEB 12 1999

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS
NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS
OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE PIERCE
CHIEF...HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

SUBJECTS: 1. FORECAST AND LONG-FUSED WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY
RESPONSIBILITY FOR MUCH OF MICHIGAN WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE WEATHER
FORECAST OFFICES IN GRAND RAPIDS...GAYLORD AND MARQUETTE
MICHIGAN...EFFECTIVE TUESDAY...APRIL 6 1999

2. CHANGES TO NWS ID/WMO HEADING FOR SELECTED PRODUCTS ISSUED
BY THE DETROIT/WHITE LAKE MICHIGAN FORECAST OFFICE...ALSO EFFECTIVE
TUESDAY...APRIL 6 1999

1. EFFECTIVE TUESDAY...APRIL 6 1999...AT 4:45 A.M. EASTERN DAYLIGHT
TIME...0845 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE WEATHER FORECAST
OFFICES /WFOS/ IN GRAND RAPIDS MICHIGAN /GRR/...NORTH CENTRAL LOWER
MICHIGAN AT GAYLORD /APN/ AND MARQUETTE MICHIGAN /MQT/ WILL ASSUME
FORECAST AND LONG-FUSED WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY RESPONSIBILITY FOR COUNTIES
IN MUCH OF LOWER MICHIGAN AND THE UPPER PENINSULA OF MICHIGAN. REFER TO
TABLES 1A...1B AND 1C.

THIS CHANGE DOES NOT APPLY TO CONVECTIVE STORM WATCHES /I.E. SEVERE
THUNDERSTORM AND TORNADO WATCHES/ WHICH WILL CONTINUE TO BE THE
RESPONSIBILITY OF THE STORM PREDICTION CENTER IN NORMAN OKLAHOMA.

2. IN ADDITION...THE WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST OFFICE /WFO/ IN
DETROIT/WHITE LAKE MICHIGAN /DTX/ WILL RETAIN RESPONSIBILITY FOR COUNTIES
IN SOUTHEAST AND EXTREME SOUTHWEST LOWER MICHIGAN. REFER TO TABLES 2A AND
2B.

TABLE 1A: WESTERN PORTIONS OF LOWER MICHIGAN...23 COUNTIES TRANSFERRED TO
WFO GRR:

UGC	ZONE	UGC	ZONE
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MIZ037-	MASON	MIZ038-	LAKE
MIZ039-	OSCEOLA	MIZ040-	CLARE
MIZ043-	OCEANA	MIZ044-	NEWAYGO
MIZ045-	MECOSTA	MIZ046-	ISABELLA
MIZ050-	MUSKEGON	MIZ051-	MONTCALM
MIZ052-	GRATIOT	MIZ056-	OTTAWA
MIZ057-	KENT	MIZ058-	IONIA
MIZ059-	CLINTON	MIZ064-	ALLEGAN
MIZ065-	BARRY	MIZ066-	EATON

MIZ067- INGHAM MIZ071- VAN BUREN
MIZ072- KALAMAZOO MIZ073- CALHOUN
MIZ074- JACKSON

TABLE 1B: NORTHERN LOWER MICHIGAN AND EXTREME EASTERN UPPER PENINSULA...25
COUNTIES TRANSFERRED TO WFO APN:

UGC	ZONE	UGC	ZONE
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MIZ008-	CHIPPEWA	MIZ015-	MACKINAC
MIZ016-	EMMET	MIZ017-	CHEBOYGAN
MIZ018-	PRESQUE ISLE	MIZ019-	CHARLEVOIX
MIZ020-	LEELANAU	MIZ021-	ANTRIM
MIZ022-	OTESGO	MIZ023-	MONTMORENCY
MIZ024-	ALPENA	MIZ025-	BENZIE
MIZ026-	GRAND TRAVERSE		
MIZ027-	KALKASKA	MIZ028-	CRAWFORD
MIZ029-	OSCODA	MIZ030-	ALCONA
MIZ031-	MANISTEE	MIZ032-	WEXFORD
MIZ033-	MISSAUKEE	MIZ034-	ROSCOMMON
MIZ035-	OGEMAW	MIZ036-	IOSCO
MIZ041-	GLADWIN	MIZ042-	ARENAC

TABLE 1C: UPPER PENINSULA OF MICHIGAN EXCEPT THE EXTREME EAST...13
COUNTIES TRANSFERRED TO WFO MQT:

UGC	ZONE	UGC	ZONE
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MIZ001-	KEWEENAW	MIZ002-	ONTONAGON
MIZ003-	HOUGHTON	MIZ004-	BARAGA
MIZ005-	MARQUETTE	MIZ006-	ALGER
MIZ007-	LUCE	MIZ009-	GOGEBIC
MIZ010-	IRON	MIZ011-	DICKINSON
MIZ012-	MENOMINEE	MIZ013-	DELTA
MIZ014-	SCHOOLCRAFT		

TABLE 2A: SOUTHEAST LOWER MICHIGAN...17 COUNTIES WITH CONTINUED SERVICE
FROM WFO DTX:

UGC	ZONE	UGC	ZONE
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MIZ047-	MIDLAND	MIZ048-	BAY
MIZ049-	HURON	MIZ053-	SAGINAW
MIZ054-	TUSCOLA	MIZ055-	SANILAC
MIZ060-	SHIAWASSEE	MIZ061-	GENESEE
MIZ062-	LAPEER	MIZ063-	ST. CLAIR
MIZ068-	LIVINGSTON	MIZ069-	OAKLAND
MIZ070-	MACOMB	MIZ075-	WASHTENAW
MIZ076-	WAYNE	MIZ082-	LENAWEE
MIZ083-	MONROE		

TABLE 2B: SOUTH CENTRAL AND EXTREME SOUTHWEST LOWER MICHIGAN...FIVE COUNTIES WITH CONTINUED SERVICE FROM WFO DTX. THIS RESPONSIBILITY WILL BE ASSUMED BY WFO NORTHERN INDIANA /IWX/ DURING THE SUMMER OR EARLY FALL OF 1999.

MIZ077- BERRIEN MIZ078- CASS
MIZ079- ST. JOSEPH MIZ080- BRANCH
MIZ081- HILLSDALE

TABLE 3A: FOR THE ZONES IN TABLES...1A...1B AND 1C...THE FOLLOWING WILL BE THE PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS FOR TRANSFER OF RESPONSIBILITY TO WFOS GRR...APN AND MQT.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	AFOS/NWWS ID	WMO HEADING
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+PUBLIC ZONE FORECASTS	*ARBZFPGRR	FPUS53 KGRR
	*ARBZFPAPX	FPUS53 KAPX
	*ARBZFPMQT	FPUS53 KMQT

+BEGINNING APRIL 6 1999...PUBLIC ZONE FORECASTS ISSUED BY MICHIGAN WFOS WILL BE EXTENDED THROUGH FIVE DAYS.

WINTER STORM ADVISORY/WATCH/WARNING		
	*ARBWSWGRR	WWUS43 KGRR
	*ARBWSWAPN	WWUS43 KAPX
	*ARBWSWMQT	WWUS43 KMQT

NON-PRECIPIATION WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY		
	*ARBNPWGRR	WWUS73 KGRR
	*ARBNPWAPN	WWUS73 KAPX
	*ARBNPWMQT	WWUS73 KMQT

FLOOD/FLASH FLOOD WATCH	*ARBFFAGRR	WGUS63 KGRR
	*ARBFFAAPN	WGUS63 KAPX
	*ARBFFAMQT	WGUS63 KMQT

REGIONAL TEMPERATURE AND PRECIPITATION TABLE	ARBRTPGRR	ASUS63 KGRR
	ARBRTPAPN	ASUS63 KAPX
	ARBRTPMQT	ASUS63 KMQT

AREA FORECAST DISCUSSION	ARBAFDGRR	FXUS63 KGRR
	ARBAFDAPN	FXUS63 KAPX
	ARBAFDMQT	FXUS63 KMQT

CODED CITIES FORECAST	ARBCCFGRR	FPUS43 KGRR
	ARBCCFAPN	FPUS43 KAPX
	ARBCCFMQT	FPUS43 KMQT

AIR QUALITY INDEX	ARBAQIGRR	AEUS73 KGRR
	ARBAQIAPN	AEUS73 KAPX
	ARBAQIMQT	AEUS73 KMQT

*THESE NWWS/FOS IDS ALREADY EXIST...HOWEVER...ACTION MAY BE REQUIRED TO RECEIVE THESE PRODUCTS.

TABLE 3B: FOR THE ZONES IN TABLES 2A AND 2B...THE FOLLOWING WILL BE THE PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS FOR CONTINUING SERVICE PROVIDED BY WFO DTX:

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	AFOS/NWWS ID	WMO HEADING
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PUBLIC ZONE FORECASTS	*ARBZFPDTX	FPUS53 KDTX
	*INDZFPIWX	FPUS53 KIWX
WINTER STORM ADVISORY/WATCH/WARNING		
	*ARBWSWDTX	WWUS43 KDTX
	*INDWSWFWA	WWUS43 KIWX
NON-PRECIPIATION WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY		
	*ARBNPWDTX	WWUS73 KDTX
	*INDWSWFWA	WWUS73 KIWX
FLOOD/FLASH FLOOD WATCH	ARBFFADTX	WGUS63 KDTX
	INDFFAFWA	WGUS63 KIWX
CODED CITIES FORECAST	*ARBCCFDTX	FPUS43 KDTX
REGIONAL TEMPERATURE AND PRECIPITATION TABLE	*ARBRTPDTX	ASUS63 KDTX
	INDRTPFWA	ASUS63 KIWX
AREA FORECAST DISCUSSION	**ARBAFDDTX	FXUS63 KDTX
AIR QUALITY INDEX	*ARBAQIDTX	AEUS73 KDTX

**ARBAFDDTX REPLACES ARBSFDDTX. ARBSFDDTX WILL NO LONGER BE ISSUED.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

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GARY G. CAMPBELL METEOROLOGIST-IN-CHARGE NWS FORECAST OFFICE GAYLORD MICHIGAN 517-731-1194 X 642	JOHN F. MACHOWSKI METEOROLOGIST-IN-CHARGE NWS FORECAST OFFICE NEGAUNEE MICHIGAN 906-475-5782 X 642
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