To:      National Weather Service (NWS) Offices
         Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Customers
         Family of Services (FOS) Subscribers
         Other Customers of NWS Aviation Forecasts

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Subject: Implementation of Terminal Aerodrome Forecast (TAF)
         Service for Gogebic Iron County Airport, MI: Effective October
         12, 2011

Note: The following changes have no impact on NOAA Weather Wire
       Service subscribers.

Effective Wednesday, October 12, 2011, at 0000 Coordinated
Universal Time (UTC), the NWS office at Marquette, MI, will
begin TAF service for Gogebic Iron County Airport (KIWD) in
Ironwood, Michigan. After that date, routine and updated TAFs
will be issued for this airport 24 hours a day.

NWS personnel/offices will need to add the following identifier
to their communications systems to receive the new TAF:

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In addition, the new TAF will be added to the existing TAF
collectives below, which are transmitted to Federal Aviation
Administration (FAA) personnel and other external users.

WMO Headings available to the Following Customers:
FTUS80 KWBC    Non-FAA Domestic and Family of Services
FTUS90 KWBC    FAA Weather Message Switching Center and FAA
               Facilities
FTUS52 KWBC    Global Telecommunication System Customers

Holders of NWS procedural instruction 10-813 (Terminal Aerodrome
Forecasts) should make appropriate additions to the appendices.
For questions regarding this TAF addition, please contact:

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