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Subject: Disappointed

Dr. Jacobs -

My name is Liz Skarlatos. I am a resident of Reston, VA, and a U.S. citizen. I have always been a huge fan of NOAA. Your work is vital to the country and to the world, especially in a dangerous, and uncertain time of ongoing climate change. I supported many scientists who were doing really important work for NOAA when I worked at TRW. Your mission is unbelievably important.

I am beyond disappointed with NOAA's comments supporting the President's childish and dangerous misinformation regarding the track of Hurricane Dorian (impacting Alabama). NOAA must stay neutral, apolitical, impartial when it comes to science and conveying factual information. The public depends on it. Lives depend on it.

I send kudos to the NWS staff that took a stand. They are the true scientists and dedicated to the mission. Please, don't repurpose NOAA and become a political sycophant. No job is worth that. I would quit rather than lose my principles.

Think. Re-examine. Know where you stand, and stand there.

Sincerely

Liz Skarlatos



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