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From: George Jungbluth - NOAA Federal
Sent: Wednesday, September 4, 2019 2:47 PM
To: _NWS.Executive.Council; _NWS OCOS; Jeremy Andrucyk - NOAA Federal; John Sokich
Subject: Fwd: WH Video w/ NHC Product over AL?
Attachments: Trump NHC Product.png

Team,

FYI - the White House Twitter feed put out a video today of a media availability with the President, where he referred to an old NHC product. Screenshot is attached. This is blowing up on social media and press given the product seems to have a line over AL. Downtown is handling, and directing us not to put out any messages of our own.

I'll provide more updates as they come.

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George

We are handling the situation there should be no action taken by anyone within NWS or NHC. Please call Chris if you have any questions.

Kindest regards,

Julie Kay Roberts, CEM

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“You can tell a lot about a fellow’s character by his way of eating jelly beans.” President Ronald Reagan

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Looping in Chris, Scott, and Julie here as they are handling some media inquiries about this.

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On Wed, Sep 4, 2019 at 2:36 PM George Jungbluth - NOAA Federal <george.jungbluth@noaa.gov> wrote:

Team,

Please see the video linked to the White House Twitter Feed here:

<https://twitter.com/WhiteHouse/status/1169300628000124929>

Note the NHC forecast product includes an extra black line over Alabama. Do we know what day this product was from, and whether the AL portion was included on our original product?

Jeremy, please monitor Twitter on this to see about retweets, any other media activity.

CCing Ken for awareness but hoping NCEP and Coms/PA teams can work this to ensure Ken can stay on ops as needed.

Thanks

George

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