

Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal

From: Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2019 4:11 PM
To: Christopher Vaccaro - NOAA Federal
Subject: Re: Message about NHC/NWS focus on mission

Again, won't use until we talk to you. Thanks!

Ken

On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 4:09 PM Christopher Vaccaro - NOAA Federal <christopher.vaccaro@noaa.gov> wrote:

I think that's great and is inline with the sharp focus that Scott and I discussed with Romano.

On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 3:57 PM Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal <kenneth.graham@noaa.gov> wrote:
Short and simple. Again, we don't have to answer right away.

Ken

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From: Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal <kenneth.graham@noaa.gov>
Date: Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 3:55 PM
Subject: Re: Message about NHC/NWS focus on mission
To: Susan Buchanan - NOAA Federal <susan.buchanan@noaa.gov>
Cc: Mary Erickson - NOAA Federal <mary.erickson@noaa.gov>, Dr. Louis Uccellini <louis.uccellini@noaa.gov>, John Murphy <john.d.murphy@noaa.gov>

Not sure we need to respond, but at least we have something we can come to you with if we need to later. Looks really close. Since the public, just a small adjustment.

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Is this okay for us to keep on standby? This works for public emails perfectly. Actually, this works for anybody with a few tweaks.

Ken

On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 3:40 PM Susan Buchanan - NOAA Federal <susan.buchanan@noaa.gov> wrote:
Hi Ken - what about something even more simple as a response email, such as:

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Susan Buchanan
Director of Public Affairs
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On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 3:30 PM Kenneth Graham - NOAA Federal <kenneth.graham@noaa.gov> wrote:
Mary,

The biggest request we are getting are emails just asking for assurance we are science based as always. The original short statement is something we might be able to use to reassure people. Not looking for anything other than assurance "we have not changed". That was the thought anyway.
This is of course if we decide to respond to the emails.

Ken

On Tue, Sep 10, 2019 at 2:24 PM Mary Erickson - NOAA Federal <mary.erickson@noaa.gov> wrote:
Ken, Louis,

Susan just called with the potential message on NHC work. I made a few suggestions, but mainly want to pitch a few delivery options to you. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (b)(5) (By the way NWSHQ has received 500!)

What if we:

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] (b)(5)

Or

[REDACTED] (b)(5)
[REDACTED]

Best,
Mary

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