

Larry Wick

From: Larry Wick
Sent: Saturday, September 7, 2019 3:13 PM
To: christopher.vaccaro@noaa.gov
Subject: FW: Dorian / Trump Debacle Corrections Needed from NOAA

Mr. Vaccaro, My apologies for the misspelling of your name in the earlier email.

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From: [Larry Wick](#)
Sent: Saturday, September 7, 2019 2:10 PM
To: [kenneth.graham@noaa.gov](#)
Cc: [dennis.feltgen@noaa.gov](#); [christoper.vaccaro@noaa.gov](#)
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The current public chaos resulting from President Trump's Dorian / Alabama comments, and the conflicting public comments from Birmingham NWS and NOAA, needs to be addressed publicly, honestly and soon by Director Graham - ASAP - lest NOAA / NWS / NHC's previously sterling, trustworthy reputation for scientific reliability, accuracy and truthful public service be damaged irreparably. What the fact situation really was - certainly I do not know the facts - must be explained clearly and convincingly. Responsibility must be assumed at the top with no punishment for innocent scapegoats. Please do not let Washington's epidemic of dystopian politics contaminate your previously respected agencies.

In addition to Director Graham, this email has been sent to Mr. Feltgen, because he is Comm & PA Officer, and to Mr. Vaccaro, whose is the only real, current NOAA individual name publicized - and identified as "NOAA spokesman" - as referred to in current online media regarding this mess.

Sincerely,
Lawrence S. Wick
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