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Can this be correct? You are wasting my taxpayer dollars on this Trump ego-sensitive issue? I am ashamed of your agency.

NOAA releases a Friday evening, unattributed statement disavowing the NWS Birmingham tweet from Sunday saying Dorian wasn't going to impact Alabama.



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## Statement attributable to a NOAA Spokesperson

**September 6, 2019**

From Wednesday, August 28, through Monday, September 2, the information provided by NOAA and the National Hurricane Center to President Trump and the wider public demonstrated that tropical-storm-force winds from Hurricane Dorian could impact Alabama. This is clearly demonstrated in Hurricane Advisories #15 through #41, which can be viewed at the following [link](#).

The Birmingham National Weather Service's [Sunday morning](#) tweet spoke in absolute terms that were inconsistent with probabilities from the best forecast products available at the time.



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