

66th Interdepartmental Hurricane Conference



Working Group for Hurricane and Winter Storms Operations and Research (WG/HWSOR)

Dr. Ed Rappaport

Deputy Director, NHC

Chair, WG/HWSOR

and

Ms. Sabrina Taijeron

STC/OFCM

Executive Secretary, WG/HWSOR

WG/HWSOR Action Item Review

- **19 Action Items**
 - **16 Submitted at 66th IHC**
 - **3 Submitted from Previous IHCs**
 - **Disposition**
 - **10 Closed**
 - **6 Open**
 - **2 Withdrawn**
 - **1 Deferred**

Administrative Items

- **Storm Name Pronunciations (#1)**
- **Communications Headings For SAB Dvorak Analysis Products (#2)**
- **Update NHOP Hard Copy Recipient List (#3)**
- **Update Definition Of Subtropical Cyclone (#10)**
- **Update NHOP Chapter 5 - Airspace Use During Tropical Cyclone Missions**
 - **BIG THANKS to CAPT Harris Halverson (NOAA AOC), Mr. John Mineo (FAA), Lt Col Dave Borsi (AFRC), and Lynn Fitchpatrick (FAA) and others**

Informational Action Items

- **Breakpoint Updates (#4,5)**
- **NWS Issuance Of Watches And Warnings Before Tropical Cyclone Formations (#6)**
- **Modify Placement Of “Additional Header Information” In TWO Products (#7)**
- **Modify Saffir-Simpson Hurricane Wind Scale (#9)**

Open Action Items (1)

- **Revise wording for overall tropical cyclone MAX WIND location in VORTEX message remarks section (#8)**
- **Use of the “EYE” Remark in TEMP DROP Code (#11)**
- **Coding Banded Eyes on the VDM (#12)**

Open Action Items (2)

- **Reconnaissance Support For Development Of In-situ Ocean Data Base For Use In Initializing And Validating Navy And NOAA Operational Air-sea Coupled Tropical Cyclone Prediction Models Update Of Memorandum Of Agreement (65th #2)**
- **Update Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between United States Air Force Reserves and NOAA (62nd #10)**
- **CLOSED Eastern Extension Of AOR (64th #10); OPEN Related Item**

Questions