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Subject: Updated: Upgrade of Aviation Weather Center Website on October 16, 2023

Updated for new implementation date of October 16, 2023.

The National Weather Service will upgrade the Aviation Weather Center (AWC) website at www.aviationweather.gov on October 16, 2023. A preview of the upgraded site, which was provided for public comment/review June-December 2022, is available until the implementation date at:

<https://beta.aviationweather.gov>

Upon implementation, the appearance and functionality of beta.aviationweather.gov will become operational at:

www.aviationweather.gov

The upgrade improves the website's consistency, supportability, mobile friendliness, performance, and ease of use. The information on the upgraded website is similar to the current website, but the navigation and presentation is adaptable to permit use on mobile devices. All displays and tools available on the current aviationweather.gov are available on the updated website. The new website merges the legacy Helicopter Emergency Medical Services (HEMS) tool into the same framework as the Graphical Forecasts for Aviation while keeping its focus on low-altitude flight. This update also retains 12 Canadian airports added to the Winter Weather Dashboard on June 30, 2022.

Users can find additional information and tutorials about the upgraded website at: <https://beta.aviationweather.gov/help>. Users will find specific information on the updated website to be at different links than those currently used on www.aviationweather.gov.

For additional information, please see the Product Description Document (PDD) for the updated website at:

https://nsdesk.servicenowservices.com/api/g_noa/nwspc/res2/3b57ceeb1b27655021dd20eae54bcb2c

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