

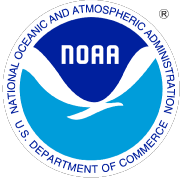
DATASET DISCOVERY DAY
Discussion on NCDC's Severe Weather Data
November 28th – 29th, 2012
NOAA's National Climatic Data Center – GSA Room 264
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AGENDA

Wednesday, November 28, 2012

1:00 – 1:10	Welcome and Review of Objectives	Tamara Houston NOAA/NCDC
1:10 – 1:30	NCDC Overview	Tim Owen NOAA/NCDC
1:30 – 1:50	Overview of NCDC Sectoral Engagement Datasets	Steve DelGreco NOAA/NCDC
1:50 – 2:30	Why Climate Data Matters * Climate Science Overview * General Observed Trends	Deke Arndt, NOAA/NCDC
2:30 – 3:15	Overview of NCDC Dataset (Storm Data) * History of Severe Weather Data * Current Status and Output Datasets * Demo of Web Application and Access	Stuart Hinson NOAA/NCDC
3:15 – 3:30	BREAK	
3:30 – 4:25	Overview of Severe Weather Data Inventory (SWDI) * Discussion on SWDI Dataset * Current Status of Dataset * Demo of Access to SWDI Dataset	Steve Ansari NOAA/NCDC
4:25 – 4:45	NCDC Dataset Uses * Uses of Dataset from Current Users	Stuart Hinson / Steve Ansari NOAA/NCDC
4:45 – 5:10	Group Discussion: Data Uses * How do you use NCDC data? * Where do you get your data?	Jenny Dissen NOAA/NCDC/CICS-NC
5:10 – 5:15	End of Day Summary	Tamara Houston NOAA/NCDC
6:00 – 7:00	Networking Activity	---



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8:30 – 9:00	Coffee and Networking	---
9:00 – 9:10	Opening Remarks / Day 1 Recap	Tamara Houston NOAA/NCDC
9:10 - 10:10	Data Application and Case Study Overview	Jim Fox RENCI / NEMAC
10:10 – 10:40	CICS-NC Research Activities in NEXRAD	Scott Stevens CICS-NC
10:40 – 11:00	BREAK	
11:00 – 11:40	Breakout Session: Data Applications and User Observations	Deke Arndt NOAA/NCDC
11:40 – 12:15	Breakout Session Discussion and Summary	Jenny Dissen NOAA/NCDC/CICS-NC
12:15 – 12:30	Closing Remarks and Next Steps	Tamara Houston NOAA/NCDC
12:30	Adjourn	----

1:30 – 3:30	Optional Roundtable Discussion Public / Private / Academic Partnership Opportunities	Steve DelGreco, NOAA/NCDC Otis Brown, CICS-NC