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Subject: Transition Long Range River Flood Risk Outlook (LRO)

to Operational Status Effective December 10, 2018

Effective day, December 10, 2018, 2018, the NWS experimental Long-Range River Flood Risk Outlook (LRO) will transition to operational status.

The NWS is now providing a nationally consistent, long-range river flood risk outlook displaying water predictions and probabilistic river forecasts on a national map. Stakeholders can access a single, nationally consistent map depicting the 3-month risk of minor, moderate and major, river flooding with access to more detailed probabilistic river forecast information.

To access the long-range river flood risk outlook, go to: https://water.weather.gov/ahps/long_range.php

Additional information regarding the long-range flood risk outlook is in the Product Description Document: https://nws.weather.gov/products/PDD/Long_Range_River_Flood_Risk_Outlook_PDD_Opnl.pdf

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