

## Christopher Vaccaro - NOAA Federal

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**From:** Christopher Vaccaro - NOAA Federal  
**Sent:** Monday, September 9, 2019 3:06 PM  
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**Subject:** Re: Urgent NPR Request

Got it

On Mon, Sep 9, 2019 at 2:59 PM Acacia Squires <[ASquires@npr.org](mailto:ASquires@npr.org)> wrote:

Hello,

Our deadline is 3:30pm today.

We are will go live today on our afternoon news program with a story from the National Weather Association conference in Huntsville, Alabama.

Will you confirm that NOAA's acting chief scientist, Craig McLean, sent an email to colleagues indicating there will be an investigation into why NOAA leadership back President Trump over their own meteorologists on the path of Hurricane Dorian, as reported in the Washington Post today.

Can you confirm such an email was sent?

Thank you,

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