NOAA Tsunami Program Update

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Summer NTHMP Subcommittee Meetings
NOAA/Pacific Marine Environmental Lab
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New Program Developments

- FY15 Budget – PPA transition at NWS HQ
- Operational Transition of TWC Models to NCEP
- IT Modernization of TWC Operational System (update)
- NWS Restructuring
- Tsunami.gov
Budget (ROM)

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TWERA

- Begich Senate Bill 2181 introduced and assigned to Committee on 03/27/14.
- "Discussion Draft" of TWERA circulated for review in May.
- Bonamici House Bill 5309 introduced and assigned to Committee on 07/31/14.
- NOAA OLA remains engaged
- TSU Program objections include:
  - TR in an NWS *recognition* v. *certification* Program. Should not be subject to the Emergency Management Accreditation Program.
  - Do not concur with adding the section on "Outreach Responsibilities". Feel this should remain within the NTHMP section.
Discussion