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Subject: What Has NOAA done to itself now? Cow-towing to the POTUS to the sacrifice of best

official scientific data!

Just one more citizen out there in America, (from CA) who is sickened by what we have heard regarding "not contradicting Trump" no matter how wrong he is. Does NOAA really want to go there, and rip its reputation to shreds over this simple issue of right and wrong. Obviously, the dates showed that when Trump showed the poster board chart, that new data had been already available for at least 2 days.

In the 1970's, I worked on a final report for a field demonstration project on reverse osmosis using municipal wastewater as a feed, and had to decide how to handle the data; to my own credit, I adhered to the truth, despite some pushes to bend the data in favor of vested interests.

Get some "huevos", gentlemen. It will let you leave this world with clearer consciences, when that day comes. I am not laying blame to anyone, other than the scoundrel who directed NOAA staff to avoid contradicting the Commander in Chief.

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