(March 24, 2014) Two informative documents are posted on NWSEO.org this week. NWSEO’s comments on the President’s Budget for FY15 were sent to Capitol Hill on Friday, March 21 and are now available online.

Despite the increasing frequency of severe weather and its corresponding impact on the nation’s safety and economy, the President’s budget for the National Weather Service contains shocking reductions that total $54 million. This represents five percent of the agency’s budget and includes greater reductions than those required by the FY ’13 sequestration decried by the Administration. Even the agency’s own Congressional Submission concedes that a number of these reductions will endanger the public and impede the agency’s ability to continue or improve services.

NWSEO Comments to the President’s Budget

Also posted on NWSEO.org is NWSEO’s Hiring Freeze Arbitration Post-hearing Brief. The four day arbitration on the 2013 hiring freeze was held in mid-January. It was one of the longest and most important in NWSEO history. In addition to this brief, transcripts are also available online. A decision is expected this summer.

NWSEO Post-hearing Brief of Hiring Freeze Arbitration

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