

## A Message from NWSEO President Dan Sobien

(September 7, 2019) As employees of NOAA we are blessed to have the jobs we have. Few people can come home from work knowing they helped so many people. Whether your job is protecting lives and property, protecting ecosystems, gathering data for people protecting lives, property and ecosystems or you are part of the administrative staff without which no one else can do their jobs you can hang your head high today. You are members of the most effective, professional team in the Federal Government, actually in the world.

We work with adversity every day and yet still do an outstanding job. Employees of NOAA are like no other.

Recently NOAA management did not show support to one of its NWS forecast offices, a forecast office that was doing what was right, that is unfortunate. But remember we work for the American public and we have the overwhelming support of the American Public.

So hold your heads high, you have the support of the people and press as well as members of the Weather Enterprise from all across the country. But for today continue to do the absolutely best job that you can do to serve every person in your service area. Make them proud of us, go the extra mile for them. We are NOAA and we are here to serve the public.

## -NWSEO-

No one cares more for National Weather Service employees than National Weather Service employees.

No one works harder for National Weather Service employees than National Weather Service employees.

We are NWSEO.