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Subject: Tsunami Warning Downgraded to Advisory

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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1530 hours
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The tsunami warning for California and Oregon has been downgraded to an advisory by the West Coast/Alaska Warning Center. While the warning has been downgraded to an advisory, dangerous conditions continue to exist along the west coast, especially in the Crescent City area. An advisory means that a tsunami capable of producing strong currents and waves dangerous to persons in or very near the water. Citizens are discouraged from returning to low-lying coastal areas until the "all clear" has been issued.

Michael Downey
Sheriff
Director of OES

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