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I want to express the importance of establishing three new EAS event codes- Extreme Wind Warning (EWW), Storm Surge Watch(SSA) and Storm Surge Warning (SSW). Currently the EWW product is issued under the TOR event code which causes confusion amongst the public. Establishing a new code will allow the NWS to improve public alerting of destructive, life threatening winds and save lives. Most deaths from tropical cyclones are a result of storm surge, so it is equally critical to get the EAS codes for the new Storm Surge Watch/Warning products created quickly.