

RC Priority Levels

PRIORITY LEVEL	TIME (Working Days)	DESCRIPTION
Routine	5 Working Days To Review (Full CCB Votes)	This priority level applies to all RCs that do not meet the Emergency or Urgent criteria.
Urgent *	Less than 5 Working Days To Review (Full CCB Votes)	This priority level applies when any of the following criteria is met: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1.) To correct a potentially hazardous condition, the un-corrected existence of which could result in injury to the general public, injury to personnel installing or using the AWIPS equipment, or damage to the equipment itself. (2.) To effect a change which, if not accomplished expeditiously, may seriously compromise the effectiveness of the AWIPS program equipment, software or products. (3.) To effect an interface change which, if delayed, would cause a schedule slippage or cost increase.
Emergency *	Taken to the CCB Chair ASAP (Only CCB Chairperson votes)	This priority level applies when changes are necessary to correct a failure of AWIPS that would: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1.) Delay weather and /or water warnings to the general public of a hazardous weather condition which may result in fatal or serious injuries to the general public (2.) To correct a hazardous condition which may result in fatal or serious injuries to personnel installing or using the AWIPS equipment (3.) Cause extensive damage or destruction to the equipment itself.

- **Failure of proper planning/scheduling does not constitute an Urgent or Emergency Priority level assignment.**