

**BULLETIN - IMMEDIATE BROADCAST REQUESTED  
SPECIAL MARINE WARNING  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE GAYLORD MI  
1141 PM EDT SUN JUL 17 2011**

THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE IN GAYLORD HAS ISSUED A

\* SPECIAL MARINE WARNING FOR...

THE STRAITS OF MACKINAC...

NEARSHORE WATERS FROM SAINT IGNACE TO FALSE DETOUR CHANNEL...

NEARSHORE WATERS FROM 5 NAUTICAL MILES EAST OF THE MACKINAC BRIDGE  
TO PRESQUE ISLE LIGHT...

OPEN WATERS OF LAKE HURON NORTH OF PRESQUE ISLE LIGHT...

NEARSHORE WATERS FROM SEUL CHOIX POINT TO 5 NAUTICAL MILES WEST OF  
THE MACKINAC BRIDGE...

NEARSHORE WATERS FROM NORWOOD TO 5 NAUTICAL MILES WEST OF THE  
MACKINAC BRIDGE...

OPEN WATERS OF LAKE MICHIGAN NORTH OF CHARLEVOIX...

THE SAINT MARYS RIVER...

\* UNTIL 115 AM EDT

\* AT 1138 PM EDT...DOPPLER RADAR INDICATED A LINE OF THUNDERSTORMS... CAPABLE OF PRODUCING  
STRONG WINDS 34 KNOTS OR GREATER FROM LIME ISLAND TO POINT AUX CHENES...MOVING EAST AT 25 KNOTS.

\* THESE STRONG THUNDERSTORMS WILL PASS NEAR... BEAVER TAIL POINT...CHEBOYGAN...DETOUR  
VILLAGE...GROS CAP...LIME ISLAND...MACKINAC BRIDGE...NINE MILE POINT...POTAGANISSING BAY...  
SAINT IGNACE AND SAINT MARYS RIVER.

PRECAUTIONARY/PREPAREDNESS ACTIONS...

MARINERS CAN EXPECT GUSTY WINDS...HIGH WAVES...DANGEROUS LIGHTNING...AND HEAVY RAINS. BOATERS  
SHOULD SEEK SAFE HARBOR IMMEDIATELY...UNTIL THESE STORMS PASS.