



FLORIDA DEEPWATER HORIZON RESPONSE WEEKLY UPDATE

April 19, 2013

Gulf Coast Incident Management Team/Florida Branch

- Gulf Coast Incident Management Team (GCIMT) remains active in New Orleans, LA with the consolidated MS/AL/FL Branch Office located in Gulf Shores, AL.
- Supporting the GCIMT is George Henderson (FWC), State On-Scene Coordinator (SOSC). George staffed the NOLA office this week.
- Representatives from the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG), FDEP and BP are staffing the consolidated Branch Office.
- The Florida Branch, is supervising the activities of two Divisions, staffed by BP and their contract personnel with USCG oversight:
 - Division 1 - Western Escambia County (Perdido Key)
 - Division 2 - Eastern Escambia (Pensacola Beach) and Okaloosa Counties.

Florida Activities

- Two Shoreline Cleanup Assessment Technique (SCAT) teams, that include FDEP personnel, continue to conduct scientific assessments of the FL coast on a daily basis. The teams document oil found and provide cleanup recommendations.
- Product continues to be collected, documented and weighed by segment on a daily basis.

Weekly Totals (lb)							
Counties	Escambia/ Santa Rosa	Okaloosa	Walton	Bay	Gulf	Franklin	Total
Material Collected	186.90	0	0	0	0	0	186.90
Oiled Debris	0.63	0	0	0	0	0	0.63
Total- to date	2,832,201	39,920	15,767	4,019	329	138	2,892,374

*Material collected totals represent work completed through these dates 4.12.13 - 4.18.13 - Note Santa Rosa, Walton, Bay, Gulf, and Franklin Counties are out of active response.

Florida Activities continued

- Pensacola Beach Buried Oil Project (BOP) – project has been completed and all equipment has been removed from the beach. No oil was found in the three polygons worked this week.
- Okaloosa County EPEVP update- the FOOSC signed the remaining five segments out of the response. All of Okaloosa County has been returned to the National Contingency Plan (NCP) process.
- SCAT team 9 was stood down on April 16th until further notice.
- Inclement weather and rough surf conditions limited water and beach operations all week.
- The FOOSC met with Escambia County representatives on April 17th. They received an OSAT 3/BOP briefing, met with BP regarding finance issues and discussed final clean up options for Escambia County amenity beaches.
- The FOOSC announced his strategy plan for the Eastern States, AL, MS and FL. Effective May 1, 2013 all of Mississippi, most of Alabama and all National Park Service segments in FL will be removed from the response. The CG plans to enhance staffing to respond to National Response Center (NRC) reports. It is anticipated that the remaining FL segments, Escambia County amenity beaches and NAS, will be removed by June 1, 2013.