



# FLORIDA DEEPWATER HORIZON RESPONSE WEEKLY UPDATE

July 11, 2012

## Gulf Coast Incident Management Team/Florida Branch

- Gulf Coast Incident Management Team (GCIMT) remains active in New Orleans with the Florida Branch Office located in Mary Esther, FL.
- Supporting the GCIMT is Darryl Boudreau (FDEP), State On-Scene Coordinator (SOSC), and George Henderson (FWC), State Scientific Support Coordinator (SSC). Darryl staffed the GCIMT office this week; George provided remote support.
- Representatives from the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG), FDEP and BP are staffing the Florida 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), Santa Rosa, Okaloosa and Walton Counties.

## Florida Activities

- A weekly FL command conference call for response activities is held every Wednesday at 0830 CDT. This call includes personnel supporting the GCIMT, FL Branch (FDEP, USCG, & BP Branch Director) and Department of Emergency Management (DEM).
- Two Shoreline Cleanup Assessment Technique (SCAT) teams, that include FDEP personnel, continue to conduct scientific assessments of the FL coast on a daily basis. Teams document oil found and provide cleanup recommendations.
- Product continues to be collected, documented and weighed by segment on a daily basis.

Weekly Totals (Lbs)							
Counties	Escambia/ Santa Rosa	Okaloosa	Walton	Bay	Gulf	Franklin	Total
Material Collected	573.30	0.20	3.30	0	0	0	576.80
Oiled Debris	8.579	0	0	0	0	0	8.579
Total- to date	2,817,879	39,881	15,747	4,019	329	138	2,877,993

\*Material collected totals represent work completed through these dates 7.05.12 – 7.11.12 - Note Santa Rosa, Bay, Gulf, and Franklin Counties are out of active response.

## Florida Activities continued

- Crews continued to recover SRB's from the intertidal zone and approximately 3 feet offshore in segment FLES1-036, Gulf Islands National Seashore (GINS), Ft. McRee. Snorkel SCAT surveyed the area on July 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> and found a buried layer of SRB's concentrated at the plunge line. Operations (OPS) crews followed behind Snorkel SCAT to recover the material; all visible material was recovered. Approximately 477 lbs of material was recovered between July 5<sup>th</sup> and the 11<sup>th</sup>.
- On July 5<sup>th</sup>, DEP Laboratory personnel took a sample of the oil that was being recovered in segment FLES1-036 for analysis. The results are expected back in a couple of weeks.
- The FOSC, SOSC, and USCG FL Branch Director met with Okaloosa and Escambia County Representatives on Monday July 9<sup>th</sup>, to discuss the GCIMT 2012 severe weather plan.
- A SAP meeting with the FOSC and SOSC was held on July 10<sup>th</sup>. The outcome of the meeting resulted in the FOSC keeping segment WA2-010 with OPS. The segment will be reviewed again following the next scheduled Patrol and Maintenance visit. Segment WA2-017 will have a repeat SIR (2) instead of returning to OPS.
- The State approved the following document(s)/plan(s):
  - Shoreline Inspection Report (SIR-(2)) - for segment FLOK2-030. This segment met shoreline cleanup criteria and will be removed from the response.
  - Frequency Reduction for GINS Perdido Key segments FLES1-036 and 037. The minimum required P&M frequency has been reduced from 2x/wk to once per week.