



# FLORIDA DEEPWATER HORIZON RESPONSE WEEKLY UPDATE

August 1, 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	48.50	0.10	0.30	0	0	0	48.90
Oiled Debris	1.40	0	0	0	0	0	1.40
Total- to date	2,818,092	39,882	15,751	4,019	329	138	2,878,211

\*Material collected totals represent work completed through these dates 7.26.12 – 8.01.12 - Note Santa Rosa, Bay, Gulf, and Franklin Counties are out of active response.

### **Florida Activities continued**

- Received a request to stand up an additional SCAT team on August 9<sup>th</sup>. Florida requested documentation that shows the necessity and expected increase in workload to justify the request. Documents are being reviewed and a decision to support the request will be made early next week.
- Continued discussions at the Branch office and NOLA regarding developing a strategy for completing work on National Park Service segments in Florida post nesting season. The plan was added as a GCIMT action item and is due in two weeks.
- The State approved the following document(s)/ plan(s):
  - Shoreline Inspection Report (SIR-(1)) - for segments FLES2-036; FLOK2-001 and 002; FLWA1-038; and FLWA2-019, 026 and 031. These segments met shoreline cleanup criteria and in accordance with the SCCP will be transferred into SCAT monitoring for a minimum of 30 days prior to conducting a second SIR (SIR-(2)).