



FLORIDA DEEPWATER HORIZON RESPONSE WEEKLY UPDATE

October 31, 2012

Gulf Coast Incident Management Team/Florida Branch

- Gulf Coast Incident Management Team (GCIMT) remains active in New Orleans, LA 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). George provided remote support this week; Darryl had the week off.
- 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

- 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	271.50	0	0.60	0	0	0	272.10
Oiled Debris	110.71	0	0	0	0	0	110.71
Total- to date	2,823,767	39,894	15,765	4,019	329	138	2,883,912

*Material collected totals represent work completed through these dates 10.25.12 - 10.31.12 - Note Santa Rosa, Bay, Gulf, and Franklin Counties are out of active response.

Florida Activities continued

- A SAP meeting with the FOSC and SOSC was held on October 25th. The outcome of the meeting resulted in the FOSC advancing segments FLOK2-001 and FLOK2-002 to a SIR (2) instead of returning to Operations.
- Snorkel SCAT team 8 worked in Florida on 10.30.12 surveying segment FLES1-023. The team observed large SRBs in the ITZ but did not find any indication of a submerged oil mat.
- Gulf Islands National Seashore, Ft. Pickens segments delineated this week for subsurface oil.
 - FLES1-035 (all manual augering)- 50 pits total- NOO to patchy (all below criteria)
 - FLES2-011- (mechanical augering)- Areas of Interest A & B- 66 pits total- all NOO
- The 9.25.12 FOSC Walton Directive, SIR (2) surveys have all been completed minus segments FLWA1-017 & 018. Results for the SIR (2) surveys ranged from NOO to 128 SRBs. The two OPS sweeps, as directed by the FOSC, for segments FLWA1-017 and 018 have also been completed. Collection totals for the two sweeps: FLWA1-017= 0.63 lbs, FLWA1-018= 0.46 lbs. The data will be reviewed by the FOSC to determine the next step.
- The FL plan and surge meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday, Nov. 6th in NOLA.
- The Thanksgiving Holiday schedules for the GCIMT and the FL Branch office were distributed.
 - GCIMT will be closed from 1200 Nov. 21 to 0700 Nov. 26, 2012.
 - FL Branch office will be closed from 1500 Nov. 21 to 0600 Nov. 26, 2012.All operations, including beach cleaning, will be stood down during this time.