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MOBILE

GEOGRAPHIC RESPONSE PLAN

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1000 INTRODUCTION

1200 Geographic Boundaries

MOBILE MARINE INSPECTION ZONE AND CAPTAIN OF THE PORT ZONE

The following zone description can be found in Title 33 CFR Part 3.40-10:

The new Sector Mobile inspection zone, captain of the port zone, and area of responsibility starts at the Florida coast at longitude 83 50'w; thence northerly to latitude 30 15'n, longitude 83 50'w; thence due west to latitude 30 15'n, longitude 84 45'w; thence due north to the southern bank of the Jim Woodruff reservoir at longitude 84 45'w; thence northeasterly along the eastern bank of the Jim Woodruff reservoir and northerly along the eastern bank of the flint river to latitude 32 20'n, longitude 84 02'w; thence northwesterly to the intersection of the Georgia-Alabama border at latitude 32 53'n; thence northerly along the Georgia-Alabama border to the northern most point of DeKalb county, Alabama, thence westerly along the northern boundaries of DeKalb, Etowah, Blount, Cullman, Winston, Franklin counties, Alabama to the Mississippi-Alabama border; thence north along the Mississippi Alabama border to the northern boundary of Tishomingo county, Mississippi at the Mississippi Tennessee border; thence west along the northern boundaries of Tishomingo, acorn, Tippah, Benton and Marshal counties, Mississippi, thence southerly and westerly along the eastern and southern boundaries of Desoto, Tunica, Coahoma, Bolívar, Washington counties, Mississippi; thence easterly along the northern boundary of Humphreys and Holmes counties, Mississippi, thence southerly along the eastern and southern boundaries of Holmes, Yazoo, Warren, Claiborne, Jefferson Adams and Wilkinson counties, Mississippi; thence due east along latitude 31 00'n from the southern most intersection of Wilkinson and Amite counties, Mississippi to the west bank of the pearl river; thence southerly along the west bank of the pearl river to longitude 89 31.8'w (at the mouth of the river); thence south along longitude 89 31.8'w to latitude 30 10'n; thence east along latitude 30 10'n to longitude 89 10'w; thence southeasterly to latitude 29 00'n, longitude 88 00'w; thence south along longitude 88 00'w to the outermost extent of the EEZ; thence easterly along the outermost extent of the EEZ to the intersection with a line bearing 199 t from the intersection of the Florida coast at longitude 83 50'w; thence northeasterly along a line bearing 199 t from the Florida coast at longitude 83 50'w to the coast.

Federal On Scene Coordinator (FOSC) responsibilities for Sector Mobile AOR are stated below in a Memorandum of Understanding with the EPA. MOU will be updated to reflect changes in Sector Mobile AOR boundary.

U.S. Coast Guard Captain of the Port (COTP), Mobile, Alabama will be the pre-designated OSC in the following areas within Region 4. When a roadway is used to delineate a boundary, that boundary shall be to, but shall not include, the roadway.

The Coastal Zone boundary begins at the intersection of the southern limit right of the Right-of-Way on US Highway 98 (US-98) with the COTP Mobile-COTP Tampa boundary (083-50 West Longitude). The intersection is twelve (12) miles west of Hampton Springs, FL on US-98. Then, westerly on US-98 to St. Marks, FL, then southwesterly along US-98 to the junction of the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge and the north shore of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway (GICW) at Apalachicola, FL, including Ochlockonee Bay, East Bay, navigable portions of East and West Bayou, Blounts Bay, Shoal Bayou, and Alligator Bayou.

Then, continuing from the junction of the southern limit of the Right-of-Way at the John Gorrie Memorial Bridge and the north shore of the GICW to its intersection with Alabama State Highway 59 (AL-59). Responsibilities also include: East Bay, St. Andrews Bay, West Bay, Choctawhatchee Bay, Santa Rosa Sound, East Bay (Blackwater Bay), Escambia Bay, Pensacola Bay, Perdido Bay, and Wolf Bay.

Then, north on AL-59 to its intersection with Interstate 65 (I-65). Then, west and southwesterly along I-65 to its intersection with US Highway 90 (US-90) near Theodore, AL.

Then, westerly along US-90 to 89-10 W longitude (near Long Beach, MS); Thence south to the Mississippi coast, the boundary with COTP New Orleans.

Additionally all discharges or releases originating from waterfront facilities within the city limits of Panama City, Fort Walton Beach, and Pensacola, Florida; Mobile, Alabama; and Pascagoula, Biloxi, and Gulfport, Mississippi are the responsibility of the U.S. Coast Guard COTP Mobile as the pre-designated OSC.

1300 Area Committee

Mission Statement

Our mission is to ensure the highest state of readiness of the spill response community within our area of responsibility. We will strive to accomplish this by developing comprehensive and useful contingency plans, preparing the response community through training and exercises, developing coordination mechanisms to facilitate effective responses, and educating our stakeholders and the public.

Vision Statement

We will function as an efficient organization for ensuring effective response to environmental threats in our Area. Our regulatory members and non-regulatory participants will include all stakeholders representing the federal, state, and local levels and the maritime, natural resource and academic communities.

We will collaborate, sharing information and resources, to produce the best possible plans and creative solutions to problems. We will employ state of the art research and technology in both our problem solving and our decision-making.

We will learn from our responses and activities, improve our processes and develop as individuals and as an organization. We will be proud of our accomplishments and make great contributions toward the environmental protection of the Alabama, Mississippi and Northwest Florida coastal areas.

1310 Purpose

This charter establishes the Alabama, Mississippi, Northwest Florida Committee pursuant to the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (OPA90) and Alabama, Mississippi and Florida State law. OPA90 established Area Committees to serve as spill preparedness planning bodies responsible for developing strategies for coordinated responses to the discharge, or threat of discharge, of oil or hazardous substances, in pre-designated Inland and Coastal zones. This Area Committee was established to cover Alabama, Mississippi, and Northwest Florida coastal waters.

1320 Organization

The Alabama, Mississippi, Northwest Florida Area Committee is comprised of representatives from federal, state, and local governments as members and representatives from the marine industry as advisors.

Executive Steering Group (ESG) and Chairmanship: The ESG is the ultimate decision making body of the Area Committee and provides direction as appropriate. The ESG consists of the Federal On Scene Coordinator (FOSC) and the three State On Scene Coordinators/Incident Commanders. The Sector Commander of Sector Mobile, as pre-designated FOSC, shall be the

Chairman of the ESG and Area Committee. The Deputy Commander of Sector Mobile shall each serve as Alternate Chairman. The appropriate State On-Scene Coordinators (SOSC) shall each serve as Vice Chairmen concerning their appropriate state. The Chairman shall conduct each meeting of the Area Committee and provide an opportunity for participation by each regulatory member, each non-regulatory participant, and any public attendees; ensure adherence to the agenda; maintain order; and review recommendations submitted to the ESG and Area Committee. In the absence of the Chairman, the Vice-Chairmen shall perform these duties.

***Area Committee Members*:** The duties and responsibilities of the members of the Area Committee are to set goals, assign and monitor projects assigned to subcommittees and working groups, vote on issues, and represent all local, state, and federal government entities that participate in the Area Committee.

Area Committee Advisors: Advisors have been selected to allow non-regulatory participants in the Committee an opportunity to actively voice their concerns and comments. They provide comments to the Area Committee and Executive Steering Group. Each non-regulatory participant in the Committee is aligned in one of the Advisory Groups: Industry, OSRO, Natural Resources, Media, Volunteer, and Academia. The interest of the Advisors are conveyed to Area Committee and discussed at the meetings.

Area Coordinator Duties: Facilitate Area Committee meetings, record meeting minutes, draft meeting minutes for review by the Area Committee Chairman and distribution by the Coast Guard, prepare meeting agenda notices for distribution to the Area Committee members and advisors, and make notifications of date and time changes to meetings.

Subcommittees and Working Groups: These have been established to work on functional items pertaining to the Area Committee. They are specifically tasked to complete assigned projects, tasks, and goals that are developed by the ESG and Area Committee. The number of working groups can change as needed for the work projects established by the ESG and Area Committee.

***Area Committee Members and Advisors selection*:** The ESG will select personnel to fill the Area Committee vacancies. In addition, the ESG will select Area Committee Members to fill the Chairmen positions of the Subcommittees. The Subcommittee Chairmen will select members or advisors to serve as Co-Directors of the Subcommittee's Work Groups.

Area Committee Meeting Frequency and Location: The Area Committee meets bi-annually, although special meetings may be called when needed. There will be a combination of open meetings, open to all members of the Area Committee and the general public and closed meetings, which only the Area Committee members and advisors will attend. Meeting locations will be alternated around the COTP Mobile area in order to balance interests.

1330 Charter Members

Area Committee

- Executive Steering Group (FOSC & SOSCs)
- Members (Voting & Decision Making Body)
- Advisors (Advise Members on Issues)
- Subcommittees & Work Groups

Executive Steering Group

Chairman: Sector Commander, Sector Mobile
Alternate: Deputy Sector Commander, Sector Mobile

Vice Chairman: Alabama State On Scene Coordinator

Vice Chairman: Mississippi State On Scene Coordinator

Vice Chairman: Northwest Florida State On Scene Coordinator

Area Committee Members

- Federal Government
    - USCG Sector Mobile
    - USCG Detached Duty office Mobile
- NOAA Scientific Support Coordinator
- National Marine Fisheries Services
    - U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- Environmental Protection Agency
- Department of the Interior (National Park Service)
- State Government
    - Alabama Department of Environmental Management*
    - Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality*
    - Florida Department of Environmental Protection*
- Local Government

- Mobile County EMA
- Baldwin County EMA

- Escambia County EMA
- Santa Rosa County EMA
- Okaloosa County EMA
- Walton County EMA
- Bay County EMA
- Gulf County EMA
- Franklin County EMA
- Wakulla County EMA
- Jefferson County EMA
- Taylor County EMA

- Harrison County EMA
- Jackson County EMA
- Hancock County EMA

- Area Coordinator [Non-voting member]

USCG Eighth District Response Advisory Team (DRAT)

2000 COMMAND

2320 Joint Information Center (JIC)

An initial site for the JIC should be quickly designated to expedite the set-up and the rapid dissemination of initial incident information.

The location of an oil spill or hazardous substance release cannot be pre-determined because the Area Contingency Plan encompasses a vast area of potential locations. The initial site of the JIC for any oil or hazardous materials spill may be located at the offices of the Federal On-Scene Coordinator (FOSC).

For incidents occurring in waters of Mississippi and Alabama under the jurisdiction of Sector Mobile, the initial JIC can be established at:

USCG Sector Mobile
Brookley Complex
South Broad Street
Mobile, AL. 36615-1390
phone: (251) 441-5196
fax: (251) 441-6169

For incidents occurring in waters of Northwest Florida under the jurisdiction of Marine Safety office Mobile, the initial JIC can be established at:

USCG Detached Duty office Panama City
Panama City, 1700
Panama City, FL. 32407
phone: (850) 234-1957
fax: (850) 230-1937

The Sector or DDO's Media Relations officer or Public Affairs officer should invite public affairs representatives of each Command organization (Federal, State and RP) to respond at the initial JIC location and/or remain in frequent telephone and fax communication to coordinate information activities.

2320.1 Family Relations

Any incident may raise concerns among family members about the safety of employees, contractors, vessel crew or passengers, affected community residents, and even responders to the incident.

In general, such inquiries should be directed to the public affairs representative of the organization where the family member is employed. Inquiries about a facility or vessel crewmember should be directed to the Responsible Party, while inquiries about a Coast Guard responder should be directed to the Coast Guard.

Media or family inquiries concerning the identification of any fatality should be referred to the Medical Examiner or Justice of the Peace of the county where the death occurred.

Family inquiries concerning the identification or condition of any injuries should be referred to the Patient Care Coordinator or Nursing Supervisor of the hospital where the injured is being treated.

In the case of multiple fatalities, the Medical Examiner or Justice of the Peace should be invited to provide an agency representative to coordinate response activities with the Liaison officer and/or a public affairs representative to coordinate information activities with the Investigations officer (IO).

In the case of multiple injuries treated at multiple hospitals, each hospital should be invited to provide an agency representative to coordinate response activities with the Liaison officer and/or a public affairs representative to coordinate information activities with the IO. The IO may assign an Assistant Information officer and/or other JIC staff member(s) to coordinate family relations activities with the Responsible Party and appropriate agency representatives.

The American Red Cross can coordinate and manage family support services such as crisis and grief counseling, transportation, housing, meals, child care services for families that bring young children, and cost accounting to provide such family support services. The point of contact for Alabama is (251) 436-7910, Mississippi (228) 896-4511, Northwest Florida (850) 438-9971.

In the case of an airline, marine vessel, railroad or other transportation incident involving a "significant" number of fatalities or injuries, other directives should be referenced. Presidential Executive Memorandum on "Assistance to Families Affected by Aviation and Other Transportation Disasters" (September 9, 1996) as well as Public Law 104-264 "Family Assistance Act of 1996" may apply.

This law and presidential directive has assigned the Director, Family Support Services, of the National Transportation Safety Board (NTSB) to coordinate the integration of local, state, federal, responsible party, and other organization's resources to provide family support services. Such services may include family transportation and logistical support, psychological counseling, victim identification and forensic services, daily briefings to families on the progress of recovery and identification, communicating with foreign governments, and providing translation services as may be required. The point of contact is the Director, Family Support Services, NTSB at (202) 314-6185 or the NTSB Communications Center at (202) 314-6290.

Upon activation of this Federal Response Plan for a major transportation disaster, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has been tasked to provide FEMA personnel to assist in public information dissemination. This assistance includes establishing and staffing external media support centers such as the incident site, family support operations center, and other areas that may attract media interest. The regional point of contact is the FEMA Region IV at (770) 220-5200.

2320.2 News Release

As soon as possible, the IO should prepare a News Advisory identifying the IO (or JIC, if established) as the official source of information about the incident. By definition, "news advisory" contains information solely for the news media to plan their story coverage. A news advisory is <u>not</u> for broadcast, publication, or release to the public.

If initial incident information is readily available, the News Advisory should be accompanied by a News Release written in "bullet point" or Fact Sheet format summarizing the key facts about the incident. The time required to compile, write, and obtain Command approval of such a Fact Sheet will be substantially faster than needed to produce a narrative News Release.

As time permits, a more detailed news release should be prepared describing the incident, identifying the Responsible Party and response agencies, containment and cleanup efforts, future plans and other details as necessary. An updated news release or fact sheet should be prepared for distribution at each news conference or media briefing. By definition, a "news release" is information for broadcast, publication, and release to the public at the time identified on the news release.

Each media advisory, fact sheet, and news release should be approved by the organization's Incident Commander or On Scene Coordinator (if speaking only for that organization) or by Unified Command (if issued as a joint news release.) Pre-approval is also required for posting any information on a website. Approval authority may be delegated by Command to the IO.

These written products should be faxed to the major media outlets, government agencies, and external organizations listed in Section 9900 and other media outlets that have inquired about the incident. Sector Mobile, DDO Panama City, and USCG District 8 Public Affairs have these lists pre-programmed into their broadcast fax systems. Coordination will be required among federal, state and RP information specialists to minimize duplicative faxes that can create transmission bottlenecks and indirectly weaken the joint information message. Photocopies should be provided to all Command Staff and Section Chiefs and any other key players who may end up speaking with the media such as the Coast Guard Sector Duty officer.

Updated fact sheets or news release should be prepared at regular intervals until the incident has been concluded or there is no more media interest. Distributing such updates by 0500, 1000, 1500, and 2000 hours will place timely information in the hands of the media to meet radio, television, and newspaper deadlines. For a small incident, once-a-day updates by 1500 hours or twice-a-day updates by 0500 and 1500 hours may be sufficient. (*See following pages for sample news release, fact sheet and advisory.)*

2320.3 News Advisory Example

NEWS ADVISORY #1

(Name of Incident)

Issued December 11, 1999 at 10 a.m.

For more information, contact:

(Information officer)

Joint Information Center

(xxx) xxx-xxxx

JOINT INFORMATION CENTER NOW OPEN

The U.S. Coast Guard in cooperation with the list agencies opened a Joint Information Center (JIC) to communicate information about the (name of incident).

The JIC was established at U.S. Coast Guard Sector Mobile located at Brookely Complex, South Broad Street, Mobile, Alabama.

The purposes of the JIC are:

1. Compile the latest, most accurate incident information,
2. Answer questions from the media and the public,
3. Verify and correct any rumors about the incident,
4. Schedule media tours, interviews, & joint news conferences.

A news conference has been scheduled for _____ at the _____.

Parking for media vehicles is available at the facility in the parking lot north of the main building.

News media representatives should bring proper media credentials issued by local or state law enforcement agencies for access to media areas of the JIC.

All media and public inquiries about the incident should be directed to the JIC. The JIC will be staffed 24 hours.

-end-

Additional contacts: (phone numbers optional if working JIC.)

(Name and rank), USCG (xxx) xxx-xxxx

(Name and title) , RP (xxx) xxx-xxxx

(Name and title), (xxx) xxx-xxxx

2320.4 Fact Sheet Example

FACT SHEET #1

(Name of Incident)

Issued December 11, 1999 at 10 a.m.

For more information, contact:

(Information officer),

Joint Information Center

(xxx) xxx-xxxx

TIME AND DATE OF INCIDENT:	(time)., (date)
LOCATION OF INCIDENT:	(location)
TYPE OF INCIDENT:	(type of incident)
CAUSE OF INCIDENT:	Under investigation
NAME OF VESSEL OR FACILITY:	(name)
TYPE OF VESSEL OR FACILITY:	(type)
OWNER OF VESSEL:	(vessel owner)
STATUS OF PERSONNEL:	(status)
NAME OF PRODUCT RELEASED:	(product name)
ESTIMATED SIZE OF RELEASE:	(spill size)
AMOUNT CONTAINED/RECOVERED:	(amount recovered)
STATUS OF RELEASE SOURCE:	(status)
AREAS CURRENTLY IMPACTED:	(areas impacted)
IMPACT ON SHIPPING TRAFFIC:	(Impacts listed)
IMPACT ON MARINE WILDLIFE:	(wildlife impacted)
RESPONDING AGENCIES:	(list all agencies responding)
STATUS OF RESPONSE/CLEANUP:	(list equipment status).
PHONE NUMBERS ESTABLISHED:	(list established phone lines and numbers)

-end-

2320.5 News Release Example

NEWS RELEASE #1
(Name of Incident)

Issued December 11, 1999 at 11 a.m.

For more information, contact:

(Information officer)

Joint Information Center

(xxx) xxx-xxxx

UNIFIED COMMAND LAUNCHES SPILL RESPONSE

MOBILE--The U.S. Coast Guard, Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM), and (RP), established a Unified Command Post in response to a 42,000-gallon oil spill into Mobile Bay Ship Channel from a damaged barge.

At approximately 8:45 this morning, the tugboat Lucky Lady, pushing 6 barges outbound on the Mobile Bay Ship Channel, ran aground near the entrance to the Theodore ship channel. The tugboat and barges, owned by (RP), were transporting crude oil when one of the barges, barge AT-411, suffered a rupture in the #3 port cargo tank. No injuries have been reported.

The Coast Guard has restricted vessel traffic on the Mobile Bay Ship Channel below the Theodore Ship Channel until further notice.

The Coast Guard Federal On-Scene Coordinator (FOSC) and the State on-Scene Coordinator (SOSC) are working with (RP) ensuring cleanup efforts are underway. (RP) activated its Spill Management Team and mobilized cleanup personnel and equipment from ABC Responders and XYZ Incorporated.

Two oiled egrets were sighted near Galliard Island. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife service and Alabama Department of Environmental Management will set up a wildlife rehabilitation trailer on Deer River Point. The oiled bird wildlife number is (251) xxx-xxxx.

The cause of the incident is under investigation.

-end-

Additional contacts: (phone numbers optional if working JIC.)

LT Jane Smith, USCG (xxx) xxx-xxxx

Mr. John Doe, RP (xxx) xxx-xxxx

Ms. Anne Wilson, ADEM (xxx) xxx-xxxx

2330 Media Contacts

2330.1 City Government offices

During an incident, determine the county(s) that could be impacted by the spill. Contact that county's Emergency Management Coordinator to determine if the spill could impact unincorporated areas under the county's jurisdiction, or if the spill could impact areas under the jurisdiction of one or more incorporated cities.

If one or more cities might be impacted, ask the county Emergency Management Coordinator for the name, title, phone, and fax number of each impacted city's Emergency Management Coordinator, Environmental Health Supervisor, or other appropriate municipal contact person.

The appropriate city and county officials should be added to the fax distribution of all news releases about the spill, and should be invited to send a city or county public affairs official to the Joint Information Center to serve as a local Information officer.

2330.2 External Organizations

These organizations are non-governmental agencies such as non-profit response agencies, industry associations, environmental organizations, and academic institutions that the media and public may contact for validation or additional information during a spill.

Copies of the latest news releases should be faxed to these external organizations so they can respond to questions from the media and public and so they can re-fax the same information to their members, resource personnel, or additional contacts.

Refer to section 9200 for contact information for the following agencies:

A. AMERICAN RED CROSS
B. ALABAMA DEPT. OF ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
C. AUBURN MARINE EXTENSION
D. BON SECOUR NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE
F. DAUPHIN ISLAND SEA LAB
G. WEEKS BAY, NATIONAL ESTUARINE RESEARCH RESERVE
H. MOBILE BAY NATIONAL ESTUARY PROGRAM

2330.3 News Media Outlets

SELECTION CRITERIA

During an oil spill or hazardous materials release, it would be a very time-consuming and staff-intensive task to individually notify and regularly update all media outlets by telephone or fax, so the following media list has been prioritized to identify:

1. Primary broadcast stations authorized by the Federal Communications Commission to activate the Emergency Alert System (EAS) in case of a life-threatening emergency such as toxic fume release or explosion danger from an oil or chemical spill.

2. Radio, TV, and daily newspapers which both have a full-time news staff with on-scene news capability and reach large general population audiences in the Alabama, Mississippi or Northwest Florida area. Network affiliations are included, so radio and TV affiliates can contact their own networks if the spill is of national media interest.

3. News services which serve as multiple distribution points to other news media outlets which don't meet the #2 criteria above.

Other media outlets, cable TV systems, and business and oil/petrochemical trade publications NOT included in this Contact List may contact the Joint Information Center to request that they be added to the broadcast fax distribution list for news releases about a specific incident.

News releases can be posted on the Internet by 8th District Public Affairs for media and public to access. The 8th District's home page is http://www.uscg.mil/d8/uscgd8/htm.

NEWS MEDIA CONTACT LIST - Refer to Section 9200

3000 OPERATIONS

3200 Recovery and Protection

3210 Protection

3210.1 Strategy Checklist

1. Evaluate level of response needed for incident (ref RP's VRP or FRP)

a. Most probable discharge ☐

b. Maximum most probable discharge ☐

c. Worst case discharge ☐

2. Evaluate if special circumstances exist requiring special action.

a. Fire/explosion ☐

b. Vessel grounding ☐

c. Lightering operations ☐

d. Salvage operations ☐

3. Implement support infrastructure.

Determine response structure that will be used, and from there determine level of support needed to fill positions in the structure. Forward needs to Resource Unit Leader. ☐

4. Mobilization of personnel

Determine personnel needed for response, and identify source of personnel. Ensure personnel are properly trained, and health and safety issues are addressed.

a. Special Teams ☐

b. Reserve augmentation ☐

c. District Response Group (DRG) support ☐

d. Spills of National Significance (SONS) augmentation ☐

5. Mobilization of equipment ☐

a. Type of equipment needed ☐

b. Quantity ☐

c. Location - staging area ☐

d. Support needed

(1) Boats for hauling and positioning boom ☐

(2) Aircraft support for transporting equipment ☐

e. Additional requirements ☐

f. Contact list ☐

g. Forward equipment needs to Resource Unit Leader ☐

6. Logistics

a. Logistics needed to support personnel

(1) Food ☐

(2) Lodging ☐

(3) Additional clothing ☐

(4) Transportation ☐

b. Logistics needed to support response

(1) Adequate communications ☐

(2) Command post - Establish command post in location to support response. Command post must be adequate in size to support the anticipated number of personnel. ☐

(3) Air support (overflights)

(a) Coast Guard and Auxiliary ☐

(b) Other agencies ☐

(c) Private sources ☐

7. Local impacts

a. Impact on water intakes ☐

(1) Drinking water ☐

(2) Industrial ☐

b. Transportation of fresh water supply ☐

8. Funding issues

a. On Scene Coordinator (OSC) access to the fund ☐

b. State access to the fund ☐

c. Vendors - Basic Ordering Agreement (BOA) policy ☐

9. Volunteers ☐

10. Fish, wildlife and habitat protection and mitigation of damage ☐

11. Ensure coordination with natural resource damage assessment personnel ☐

3320 Salvage/Source Control

3320.1 Salvage Survey

Vessels Name: _____ Official Number:_____

Vessel Type: _____ Flag: _____

Owner/Operator: _____ Ph. _____
Builder:_____

Class Society: _____ Year:_____

L _____ B _____ D_____

Brief description of casualty:

a. Date/Time of casualty:

_____

b. Extent of damage:

_____

c. Hazardous Cargo Spill?

_____

d. Structural details (double bottom): _____

e. Number of Tanks/Holds (tank soundings):

_____

f. Drafts (strandings) before Fwd: ____ Aft: _____

g. Drafts (strandings) after Fwd: ____ Aft: _____

h. Tides at time of casualty: _____

i. Type of bottom (mud, sand): _____

j. Condition of vessel's propulsion: _____

Aim/Intent of salvage operation:

_____

- If vessel is foreign flag, then USCG will need plans such as Lines Plan, General Arrangement, Tank Tables, T&S Booklet, etc… for detailed calculations.

3500 Staging Areas

REFER TO THE MS, AL, & FL Panhandle Digital Area Contingency Plan, located at the following website:

This application is also available on DVD, and master documents and data are maintained by USCG Sector Mobile.

4000 PLANNING

4610 Natural/Physical Protection Environmental Sensitivity Maps

The Area Committee has developed a comprehensive GIS-based digital response resource called the Digital Area Contingency Plan. The Geographic Specific Tactical Response Plan is designed to provide an effective environmental response based on specific area biological, ecological, physical, chemical, archaeo-cultural and socioeconomic concerns. The end user can query the document for specific geographic divisions of an area as to its descriptive (biological, ecological, physical, chemical, archaeo-cultural and socioeconomic) and clean up (driving directions, staging areas, access points, collection points, and response resources) information. You can access Sector Mobile's Geographic Specific Tactical Response Plan for Alabama, Mississippi or Florida online at:

The link to the Digital ACP will be posted on CG Homeport and is also available on DVD.

4620 Natural Collection Areas and Boom Sites

REFER TO THE MS, AL, & FL Panhandle Digital Area Contingency Plan.

ONLINE: The link to the Digital ACP will be posted on Sector Mobile's Homeport website, and the entire application is available on DVD.

4870 Disposal

4870.1 Removal and Waste Disposal Checklist

A. WASTE DETERMINATION

(Circle One)

Y N Has the RP determined if the material being recovered is a waste or a reusable product? (40 CFR 262.11)

Y N Has all recovered waste been containerized and secured such that there is no potential for further leakage while the material is being stored? (40 CFR 262.34)

B. WASTE CHARACTERIZATION

Y N Has the RP identified each of the discrete waste streams? (40 CFR 262.11 ****(Attach a list of the waste streams)**

Y N Has a representative sample of each waste stream been collected? 40 CFR 262.11(A)(c)(1)

Y N Has the sample been sent to an approved laboratory for the appropriate analysis, i.e., hazardous waste determination?

C. WASTE CLASSIFICATION

Y N Has the RP received a temporary EPA identification number if they are not already registered with the EPA? 40 CFR 262.12(a)

Y N Has the RP received an appropriate waste classification and waste code number for the individual waste streams? 40 CFR 262.12(a)

D. STORAGE

Y N Has the RP obtained preapproval for the temporary storage locations? 40 CFR 262.10 (b)/ 262.34

E. TRANSPORTATION

Y N Has the RP retained the services of a registered hazardous waste transporter, if the waste is hazardous? 40 CFR 262.12(c)

Y N If the waste is non-hazardous, is the transporter registered?

F. DISPOSAL

Y N Is the waste being taken to an approved waste disposal site? 40 CFR 262.12(c)

Y N Has the RP maintained documentation that the waste/product arrived at the designated facility, i.e., manifest or bill of lading.

G. MANIFEST

Y N Is the waste hazardous or Class I nonhazardous?

Y N If the waste is hazardous or Class I nonhazardous is a manifest being used? 40 CFR 262.20

Y N If the waste is a Class I nonhazardous is a manifest being used? 40 CFR 262.20 *

Y N Is the manifest properly completed? 40 CFR 262.23

*** No responses require further explanation and investigation.**

5000 LOGISTICS

5200 Support

5220 Facilities

5220.1 Command Post

An incident command post will initially be established at either Sector Mobile or DDO Panama City. The responsible party is invited to combine his command post at these locations to institute a unified command at the earliest opportunity. This will allow the responsible party time to locate and organize an incident command post. The actual location of the spill may determine whether the Sector or the DDO will take the lead in formulating a response to a spill and where the command post will be located. In addition to an incident command post, field command posts can be established to supervise response efforts. Field command posts should be close to the spill site or work area to monitor and supervise the cleanup.

5220.2 Command Post Establishment Procedures

General - Several basic features must be considered when selecting potential incident command post sites. These considerations include:

Location - The incident command post should be in the general area of the incident. It does not need to be at the incident site and for many reasons should be located away from the incident, including preventing the administrative activities surrounding a spill from interfering with operations. Above ground facilities may enhance radio communications and antenna placement.

Size - The command post must be capable of accommodating the number of people anticipated. For major incidents the number of people can easily reach 200. An estimated need of 50-sq. ft./person results in a requirement for about 10,000 sq. ft. Additional support area for food service, etc. should be considered.

Layout - The command post should be compatible with the NIIMS organization. Individual spaces for the following are desirable:

- Unified Commander Private Rooms
- Unified Command Center
- Planning Section
- Logistics Section
- Operations Section
- Finance Section

- Public Affairs (should be separated from the above)
- Meeting Room (should be separated from the above)

Parking - Parking for the above 200 personnel plus visitors and command vehicles should be present. For planning purposes a minimum of 300 parking spaces should be available.

Electricity - Power demands at command posts are heavy. Computers, cell phones, and radios are becoming standard equipment for responders. Each person in the command post will likely have need for at least one outlet, or a total of 200 outlets. Power strips can decrease the number of building outlets provided the electrical supply is adequate for the load. Estimated power load may exceed 400 amps.

Telephones - Telephones are critical. For planning purposes one phone line for every two people in the command post is used, or 100 lines. Some of these phones should be designated "incoming only".

Air Operations - Air overflights will be a normal part of the incident response daily routine. Helicopter landing areas should be in close proximity to the command post. This will reduce staff and unified commanders' travel time to and from overflights.

Security - A security control station will be needed, along with sufficient security personnel to control access to the command center and associated peripheral equipment/facilities.

Sanitary Facilities - Provisions should be made to accommodate large numbers of people on site around the clock.

5220.3 Field Command Post Establishing and Potential Sites

Refer to the Geographic Specific Tactical Response Plan online at:

http://www.uscg.mil/d8/mso/mobile/Gstrp/mainGSTRP.htm

Establishing:

1. Contact owner of property.
2. Arrange for utility activation:
   a. Electric
   b. Telephone
3. Anticipate period before utility activation with portable generators, cellular telephones, and VHF radios.
4. Have command post delivered.
5. Items that should be considered when choosing a field command post site:
   a. Hard surface road with adequate parking
   b. Helicopter landing area
   c. Accessibility to the waterway
   d. Proximity to the actual incident

For field command posts, either modular buildings (portable) or motor homes (RV) can be used. Many of the cleanup contractors, major oil companies, and response agencies have ready response mobile command posts available. One advantage of motor homes is they allow the command post to be easily moved as the oil spill response changes.

5400 Communications

5410 Coast Guard Communications Capabilities

Sector Mobile Command Center maintains VHF Radios that can be activated for an incident. Sector Mobile is also equipped with Satellite phones that can also be activated if needed. Contact Sector Planning Department.

5410.1 Gulf Strike Team Command Trailer

The Gulf Strike Team has a Communication/Mobile Command Post trailer with various VHF and UHF radio and multiple telephone lines. This resource may be requested by contacting (251) 441-6601.

5410.2 Communication Frequencies

Channel	Frequency	Use	Remarks
6	156.3	Ship-to-Ship Safety	Use for Ship-to-Ship safety and Search and Rescue
12	156.6	Vessel Traffic Service (VTS)	Not currently in use.
13	156.65	Bridge to Bridge	Message must be about ship navigation
16	156.8	International Distress, Safety, and Calling	Only for hailing, distress, and Search and Rescue
21A	157.5	U. S. Coast Guard Only	
22A	157.1	USCG Liaison & Maritime	Use this Channel to talk to Coast Guard and public
23A	157.05	U. S. Coast Guard Only	Working Frequency
81A	157.075	MSO Houston-Galveston, MSU Galveston	Not currently in use.
83A	157.175	MSO Houston-Galveston, MSU Galveston	Not currently in use.

• **Figure 1 - USCG Monitored Frequencies**

5410.3 Coast Guard VHF-FM High Sites

Contact Sector Mobile Command Center at (251) 441-6211.

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6000 FINANCE

6200 Finance and Resource Management Field Guide

Refer to the "U. S. Coast Guard Federal On Scene Coordinator's (FOSC) Finance and Resource Management Field Guide" for requirements and policies concerning contracting and financial management of oil and hazardous substance response activities.

http://www.uscg.mil/hq/npfc/npfc.htm

7000 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

7100 Introduction

The spill, release or discharge of hazardous substances is unique compared to an oil spill that hazardous substances have a greater potential to impact human health. In general, oil spills are of great concern due to their potential to cause long-term damage to the environment. Oil spills do not routinely pose an immediate threat to human life. On the contrary, hazardous substance spills can pose an immediate danger to humans when discharged in even the smallest quantities. This chapter of the ACP provides general guidelines for initial response actions necessary to abate, contain, control, and remove the spilled material and describes some of the unique issues associated with a hazardous material spill..

The definition of hazardous substances is: any substance designated as such by the administrator of the EPA pursuant to the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (42 U.S. C. Sec 9601 et seq), regulated pursuant to Section 311 of the federal Clean Water Act (33 U. S. C. Sec. 1321 et seq), or designated by the appropriate state authority.

The definition of harmful quantity is: a quantity of a hazardous substance the discharge or spill of which is determined to be harmful to the environment or public health or welfare or may reasonably be anticipated to pursuant an imminent and substantial danger to the public health or welfare by the administrator of the EPA pursuant to federal law, or by the appropriate state authority.

The following assumptions are made regarding HAZMAT responses:

1. A unified command structure will be established as soon as possible.
2. Responders will be adequately trained in hazardous substance response and will operate within the level of their training, expertise, and capabilities as described in 29 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1910.120.
3. There will be sufficient resources locally available to adequately respond to hazardous substance incidents.

In addition to the Coast Guard and the Environmental Protection Agency in their Federal On-Scene Coordinator roles, many federal, state, and local agencies and other organizations will be providing assistance with hazardous substance response operations. These organizations may include:

1. Vessel and/or waterfront facility owners and operators*
2. Fire and Police Departments
3. Port Authorities
4. Mutual aid organizations
5. Product experts
6. Cleanup contractors

* Vessel Response Plans (VRP) and Facility Response Plans (FRP) provide supplemental chemical response guidance to the ACP.

7400 Incident Command

In executing this portion of the Area Contingency Plan (ACP), the senior emergency responder is designated the Incident Commander until relieved by a more senior responder, or until such time as a unified command structure is established. At a minimum, the unified command structure will consist of the Federal On-Scene Coordinator (FOSC), State On-Scene Coordinator (SOSC), and the Responsible Party On-Scene Coordinator (RP-OSC). See Section 2200 for details describing unified command responsibilities.

The Responsible Party for a chemical release impacting waterways within the coastal zone described in Section 1400 will be notified by the Federal On Scene Coordinator (FOSC) by Notice of Federal Interest issued in accordance with 40 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 300. (See Section 3400) The Responsible Party is expected to provide timely and accurate notification, and cooperate with the FOSC's response effort.

Other agencies, organizations, or parties with interest in the response but not designated to serve in the unified command will be engaged by way of the command staff Liaison officer (see Section 2200).

As soon as practicable, the Incident Commander will establish a command post. (See Section 5400 for predesignated response command post resources and locations)

The primary initial means of communication will be determined by the principal response organization that has jurisdiction to respond to the hazardous substance event. Refer to Sections 2000 and 5300 of this plan for general command, control, and communications procedures common to any sustained response within the Mobile COTP zone.

The Mobile Captain of the Port, in the role of FOSC, will:

1. Be prepared to assume the role of Incident Commander if the response is inadequate or nonexistent.
2. Be prepared to assume the role of Incident Commander following conclusion of firefighting response operations if the incident involves pollution or is classified as a marine disaster.
3. Work in cooperation with the State On-Scene Coordinator to direct the employment of resources in conjunction with an Incident Action Plan.

7500 Resources

Refer to Section 9200 for a list of Hazardous Material resources.

8000 MARINE FIRE FIGHTING

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9000 APPENDICES

9100 Emergency Notification

A substantial spill of oil usually has a responsible party (RP) who is aware the discharge has occurred; i.e., a vessel grounding or collision, or a tank or pipeline rupture at a facility. The party responsible for a discharge of oil into the navigable waters of the United States is required by federal law to immediately report the discharge to the National Response Center. Time permitting, the parties are recommended to contact the local Coast Guard Marine Safety office or Sector. If the discharge occurs within the jurisdiction of a state, then the RP is required to report it to the appropriate state. The number below is provided to help facilitate this process.

NRC USCG: (800) 424-8802

9110 Notification Checklist

Date/Time of Notification _____

Reporters Name: _____ **Address:** _____

phone No: _____ **City:** _____

Company: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Title: _____

Latitude: _____ **Longitude:** _____

River Mile: _____

Incident Location: _____

Incident Description: _____

_____

Source and/or Cause: _____

_____

Vessel Name and Number: _____

Facility Name: _____

Date of Incident: _____ **Time of Incident:** _____

Material Discharged: _____ **Quantity:** _____

Is the material in the water? (Y/N) Is the Source Secured: _____ **(Y/N)** _____

Incident Commander: _____

Where is Incident Command Post:

_____

Directions:

_____

Actions taken to Correct, Control or Mitigate Incident:

_____

Number of Injuries: _____ **Number of Fatalities:** _____

Were there evacuations? _____ **(Y/N)** **Number of Evacuated:** _____

Areas Affected: _____

9200 Personnel and Services Directory

9210 Federal Resources/Agencies

9210.1 Trustees for Natural Resources

9210.11 Department of Interior

DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR - U.S. FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE
(Federal trustee for Natural Resource Damage Assessment)

Alabama (Daphne)	phone:	(251) 441-5181
Mississippi (Jackson)	phone:	(601) 965-4900
Florida (Panama City)	phone:	(850) 769-0552

DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR

Mr. Gregory Hogue	phone:	(404) 909-0537

GINS-DISTRICT RANGER

Mr. Robert Harris	phone:	(228) 230-4107
	fax:	(228) 872-2954

GINS-Research Manager

Mr. Gary Hopkins	phone:	(228) 230-4104
National Park Service (www.nps.gov)		(850) 916-3010
Gulf Islands National Seashore (www.nps.gov/guis/index.htm)		
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Mobile (bonsecour.fws.gov)		(251) 843-5238
U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service Gautier (www.mississippisandhillcrane.fwf.gov)		(228) 497-6322

9210.2 U. S. Coast Guard

Sector Mobile:

Brookley Complex	phone:	(251)441-6213
South Broad Street	fax:	(251) 441-6169
Mobile, AL 36615	24-hour:	(251) 441-5976

Detached Duty office Panama City:

Supervisor, DDO	phone:	(850) 233-0366 ext. 176
Panama City 1700	fax:	(850) 230-1937
Panama City, FL 32407	Emerg:	(850) 230-1957
Station Dauphin Island	phone:	(251) 861-5008
Station Pascagoula	phone:	(228) 769-5600
Station Gulfport	phone:	(228) 868-3743
Station Pensacola	phone:	(850) 453-8282
Station Destin	phone:	(850) 244-7147
Station Panama City	phone:	(850) 234-4228

9210.21 USCG National Strike Force (NSF)

Atlantic Strike Team, Fort Dix, NJ	(609) 724-0008
Gulf Strike Team, Mobile, AL	(251) 441-6601
Pacific Strike Team, Novato, CA	(415) 883-3311
National Strike Force Coordination Center, Elizabeth City, NC	(252) 331-6000

9210.22 USCG District Response Advisory Team (DRAT)

Commander (mer)

Eighth Coast Guard District	phone:	(504) 671-2231
Hale Boggs Federal Bldg.	phone:	(504) 589-6225 (24 hrs)
501 Magazine Street		
New Orleans, LA 70130-3396		

9210.23 USCG Public Information Assist Team (PIAT)

Eighth District Public Affairs:

PAO	phone:	(504) 671-2020
USCG 8th District (dpa)	fax:	(504) 671-2022
500 Poydras St, Suite 1234	24-hour:	(618) 225-9008
New Orleans, LA 70130		

Public Information Assist Team (PIAT)

NSFCC - PIAT	phone:	(252) 331-6000 x3025
1461 US Highway 17 North	fax:	(252) 331-6012
Elizabeth City, NC 27909		

Coast Guard Atlantic Area Public Affairs:

USCG Atlantic Area PA	phone:	(757) 398-6608
431 Crawford Street	fax:	(757) 391-8109
Portsmouth, VA 23704-5004		

Coast Guard Commandant's Media Relations Branch:

Media Relations Branch	phone:	(202) 372-4633
USCG Commandant (G-CP-2)	fax:	(202) 372-4980
2100 Second Street SW	24 hour:	(202) 267-2100
Washington, DC 20593		

9210.24 USCG Reserve

Reference Sector Mobile reserve roster.

9210.25 Auxiliary

Reference Sector Mobile Auxiliary Roster

9210.3 NOAA

National Marine Fisheries Service
John Mitchell phone: (228) 762-4591 ext. 384

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration office of Response and Restoration (301) 713-3038

Mr. Doug Helton, EXT. 1
WSC 1 Room 425, 6001 Executive Boulevard
Rockville, MD 20852

Mr. Ron Gouguet phone: (206) 526-6938
fax: (206) 526-6865

9210.31 NOAA Scientific Support Coordinator (SSC)

Mr. Charlie Henry	office phone:	(504) 589-4414
Eighth Coast Guard District	phone:	(504) 589-4416
Hale Boggs Federal Bldg.	24 hour cell:	(206) 526-4911
501 Magazine Street fax:		(206) 526-6329
New Orleans, LA 70130-3396		

9210.32 NOAA Discharge and Release Trajectory Modeling

Robert Jones	Work:	(206) 526-6326
NOAA/NOS/ORCA/HMRAD	Pager: Pin 2168798	(800) 759-7243
7600 Sand Point Way, NE	fax:	(206) 526-6329
Bin C15700	24 Hr:	(206) 526-4911
Seattle, WA 98115-0070		
NOAA Hazmat Duty officer		

9210.33 NOAA Oceanic and Atmospheric Modeling

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE
Mobile/Pensacola
8400 Airport Blvd, Bldg 11
Mobile, AL 36608

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE (830) 629-0205
Austin/San Antonio, Texas 78130

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE (850) 942-8835
Tallahassee Weather Forecast office
Love Building
Florida State University
Tallahassee, FL 32306-4509

9210.4 US Navy Supervisor Salvage (SUPSALV)

Naval Sea System Command	24 hour	(202) 781-3889
Supervisor of Salvage - U.S. Navy 2531 Jefferson Davis Hwy. Arlington, VA 22242-5160	Working hours	(202) 781-0534

9210.5 EPA Emergency Response Teams

EPA Response & Prevention Branch Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center 61 Forsyth Street, SW Atlanta, GA 30303-3104		(404) 562-8700
Area EPA representative		
Dean Ullock	cell phone	(251) 490-6308
EPA Analysis Lab, Metairie, LA	.....	(504) 889-0710
EPA Region IV (www.epa.gov)	.....	(404) 562-9900
EPA Gulf Breeze (www.epa.gov)		(850) 934-9200

9210.6 Agency for Toxic Substance and Diseases (ATSDR)

ATSDR 1600 Clifton Road NE (E-57) Atlanta, GA 30333	phone:	(404) 498-0120

9210.7 Weapons of Mass Destruction Teams

46th Civil Support Team (WMD)		
PO Box 9038		(334) 954-3400
Montgomery, AL 36108		(334) 206-2451
Operations officer	fax:	(334) 206-2454

9210.8 MMS

Houma District 3804 Country Drive P.O. Box 760 Bourg, LA 70343-0760	phone: cell: fax:	(985) 853-5884 (985) 688-6050 (985) 879-2738
New Orleans District 990 North Corporate Drive, Suite 100 New Orleans, LA 70123-3392	phone: cell: fax:	(504) 734-6740 or 6742 (504) 615-0114 (504) 734-6741
Pipeline Section, Mail Stop 5232 Blvd New Orleans, LA 70123-2394	phone: cell: fax:	(504) 736-2814 Elmwood Park (8-5 weekdays) (504) 452-3562 (504) 736-2408

9210.9 UDA – APHIS Wildlife Services

Mississippi Wildlife Services State Director P.O. Drawer FW 200 Thompson Hall Mississippi State, MS 39762	phone: fax:	(662) 325-3014 (662) 325-3690
Alabama Wildlife Services State Director 602 Duncan Drive Auburn University, AL 36849-5418	phone: fax:	334-844-5670 334-844-5321
Florida Wildlife Services State Director 2820 East University Avenue Gainesville, FL 32641	phone: fax:	(352) 377-5556 (352) 377-5559

9210.10 Miscellaneous Federal Agencies

Federal Communications Center	(888) 225-5322
Immigrations and Customs Enforcement (ICE)	(800) 973-2867
Minerals Management Service (www.mms.gov)	(800) 373-2867
American Crop Protection Association (www.acpa.org)	(202) 296-1585
U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) Mobile	(251) 586-7586
Pensacola	(850) 476-0117
Panama City	(850) 785-4688
Gulfport	(228) 863-6350
Pascagoula	(228) 762-7311
Jackson	(601) 932-3324
USDA APHIS	(251) 661-2742

9210.11 Department of Defense

U.S. ARMY	
Corps of Engineers (www.usace.army.mil)	(251) 690-2495
Ft. Benning, Columbus, GA	(706) 545-2011
Ft. Rucker, AL., Military Police	(334) 255-3510
U.S. AIR FORCE	
Columbus AFB, Columbus, MS	(662) 434-7322
Eglin AFB, Valparaiso, FL	(850) 883-4020
Keesler AFB, Biloxi, MS (www.mil.keesler.af.mil)	(228) 377-4330
Maxwell AFB, Montgomery, AL	(334) 953-7333
Tyndall AFB, Panama City, FL	(850) 283-2155
U.S. NAVY	
Naval Air Station Meridian, MS	(601) 679-2211
Naval Air Station Pensacola, FL (850) 277-1110	(850) 452-2353
Naval Construction Battalion, Gulfport, MS	(228) 871-2555
USN Supply Center, Warehouse 12, Cheatham Annex, Williamsburg, VA	(757) 887-7108
Naval Air Station Whiting Field, Milton, FL	(850) 623-7011
U.S. MARINE CORPS	
U.S. Marine Corps Logistics Base, Albany, GA	(229) 639-5000

9210.12 Department of Justice

FBI Mobile (www.fbi.gov)		(251) 438-3674
FBI Gulfport		(228) 864-6131
	fax	... (228) 214-2335
FBI Pascagoula		(601) 948-5000
FBI Pensacola		(850) 432-3476

9220 State Resources/Agencies

9220.1 Government Official Liaisons

9220.2 Trustees for Natural Resources

9220.21 Alabama

AL Emergency Management Agency		(205) 280-2200
AL Department of Environmental Management (www.adem.state.al.us)	.....	(251) 450-3400
	coastal office:	... (251) 432-6533
AL Dept. of Conservation and Nat. Resources		(251) 861-2882
AL Dept. of Economic and Community Affairs		(334) 242-5099

9220.22 Mississippi

MS Emergency Management Agency (www.mema.org.com)	(800) 222-6362 (601) 933-6362
MS Department of Environmental Quality (www.deq.state.ms.us)	(601) 961-5171
MS Department of Marine Resources	(228) 374-5000
MS Bureau of Pollution Control (www.dequ.state.ms.us)	(601) 961-5171
Marine Patrol	(800)294-5551

9220.23 Northwest Florida

FL Department of Environmental Protection	.....	(850) 595-8608
Northwest Regulatory office		(850) 595-8300
Northwest Florida Water Mgmt. District		(850) 539-5999
FL Department of Aquaculture		(850) 488-5471
Florida Marine Research Institute (FMRI)		(727) 896-8626
FL Emergency Management (Response)		(850) 413-9814 or
Director (www.floridadesaster.org)		(850) 413-9969

9220.3 State Emergency Response Committees (SERC)

FL SERC
Division of Emergency Management ..... (850) 413-9969
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

9220.4 State Environmental Agencies

9220.41 Alabama

AL Department of Environmental Management (251) 450-3400
(www.adem.state.al.us)
AL Dept. of Conservation and Nat. Resources (334) 242-3486

9220.42 Mississippi

MS Department of Environmental Quality (601) 961-5171
(www.deq.state.ms.us)
MS Bureau of Pollution Control (601) 961-5171
'Greenlee, James'www.dequ.state.ms.us)

9220.43 Northwest Florida

FL Department of Environmental Protection (800) 320-0519

Northwest Regulatory office (850) 595-8300
Northwest Florida Water Mgmt. District (850) 539-5999
FL Department of Aquaculture (850) 488-5471

9220.5 State Historic Preservation office

ALABAMA

State Historic office ..... (334) 230-2090
FT. Morgan ..... (251) 540-7127
FT. Mims ..... (334) 937-5490

MISSISSIPPI

Mississippi Department of Archives and History (601) 576-6850

FLORIDA

Office of Cultural and Historic Programs (850) 245-6300

9220.6 State Law Enforcement Agencies

AL Highway Patrol (www.dps.state.al.us)	(251) 660-2300
AL Marine Police	(251) 981-2673
FL Highway Patrol	(850) 617-2000
FL Game and Fish	(850) 488-4676
Mississippi State Police	(601) 987-1212

9220.7 Hazardous Substances Response Teams

ALABAMA

Fire Department Mobile	(251) 208-7351
Fire Department Bayou La Batre	(251) 824-2133
Fire Department Bay Minnette	(251) 580-1618
Fire Department Chickasaw	(251) 452-0574
Fire Department Daphne	(251) 621-2836
Fire Department Fairhope	(251) 928-9732
Fire Department Prichard	(251) 452-7817
Fire Department Saraland	(251) 679-5506
Fire Department Satsuma	(251) 675-0152

FLORIDA

Fire Department Carraballe	(850) 697-3227
Fire Department Ft. Walton Beach	(850) 833-9565
Fire Department Valparaiso	(850) 729-5410
Fire Department Gulf Breeze	(850) 934-5131
Fire Department Milton	(850) 983-5430
Fire Department Panama City	(850) 872-3030
Tyndall AFB Fire Department	(850) 283-2884
Fire Department Pensacola	(850) 435-1603
NAS Pensacola Fire Department	(850) 452-3211
Fire Department Pt. St. Joe	(850) 229-6337

MISSISSIPPI

Fire Department Biloxi	(228) 435-6200
Fire Department Gulfport	(228) 868-5950
Pascagoula Fire Department	(228) 762-3066
Pascagoula Naval Station Fire Department	(228) 935-6703
Fire Department Bay St. Louis	(228) 467-4736
Fire Department Waveland	(228) 467-6154

9230 Local Resources/Agencies

9230.1 Local Trustees for Natural Resources

9230.2 Local Emergency Planning Committees

Mobile County EMA	phone:	(251) 460-8000
Jackson County EMA/LEPC http://www.co.jackson.ms.us/BC/BC_LEP.html	phone:	(228) 482-9678
Baldwin County EMA	phone:	(251) 972-6807
Escambia County EMA	phone:	(850) 471-6400
Santa Rosa County EMA	phone:	(850) 983-4636
Walton County EMA	phone:	(850) 892-8392
Okaloosa County EMA	phone:	(850) 651-7560
Gulf County EMA	phone:	(850) 229-9110
Franklin County EMA	phone:	(850) 653-8977
Wakulla County EMA	phone:	(850) 926-0860
Hancock County EMA	phone	(228) 467-9226

9230.3 Local Environmental Agencies

ALABAMA

AUBURN MARINE EXTENSION
Research Manager ..... phone: (251)438-5690
Bon Secour National Wildlife Refuge
..... phone: (251) 540-7720
Dauphin Island Sea Lab
Dr. Dardeau phone: (251) 861-7527
Dr. Crozier phone: (251) 861-2141/7507

WEEKS BAY, NATIONAL ESTUARINE RESEARCH RESERVE
..... phone: (251) 928-9792

MISSISSIPPI

GULF ISLANDS NATIONAL SEASHORE (GINS)
District Ranger phone: (228) 875-0823
Research manager phone: (228) 875-9057

NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICES
John Mitchell phone: (228) 762-4591

FLORIDA

GULF ISLANDS NATIONAL SEASHORE (GINS) . (850) 934-2600

ROCKY BAYOU STATE RECREATION AREA phone: ..... (850) 833-9144
GRAYTON BEACH STATE PARK phone: ..... (850) 231-4210

9230.4 Law Enforcement Agencies

ALABAMA

BALDWIN COUNTY

Baldwin County Sheriff (www.sheriff.co.baldwin.al.us)	(251) 937-0202
Emergency Management Civil Defense	(251) 928-7661

MOBILE COUNTY

Civil Defense (EMA) (www.mcema.net)	(251) 460-8000
Sheriff's Department	(251) 574-8633

CITY OF BAY MINETTE

Police Department (www.ci.bay-minette.al.us)	(251) 580-2559

CITY OF CHICKASAW

Police & Fire Department	(251) 452-0571

CITY OF CREOLA

Police Department	(251) 675-8145

CITY OF DAPHNE

Fire Department	(251) 928-2836
Police Department (www.law-enforcement.org/daphnepd)	(251) 621-9100

CITY OF FAIRHOPE

Police Department (www.cofairhope.com)	(251) 928-2385

CITY OF MOBILE

Police Department	(251) 208-1700

CITY OF PRICHARD

Police Department	(251) 452-2211

CITY OF SARALAND

Police Department (www.saraland.org)	(251) 675-5331

CITY OF SATSUMA

Police Department (www.cityofsatsuma.com)	(251) 675-0151

CITY OF WILMER

Police & Fire Department	(251) 571-8633

FLORIDA

COUNTY OKALOOSA

FL Highway Patrol	(850) 689-7904
FL Game and Fish	(850) 245-7716

COUNTY SANTA ROSA

Sheriff's Department	(850) 983-1100
FL Highway Patrol	(800) 459-6861

COUNTY ESCAMBIA

Sheriff's Department (www.escambiaso.com)	(850) 436-9620
FL Highway Patrol	(850) 459-6861
FL Emergency Management Public Safety	(850) 595-3311
Civil Defense (EMA)	(850) 436-9710

CITY OF CARRABELLE

FL Marine Patrol (FWCC)	(850) 697-3741
Police Department	(850) 697-3691

CITY OF FREEPORT

Sheriff's Department	(850) 892-8111
FL Highway Patrol	(800) 459-6861
FL Dept. Environmental Protection L.E	(850) 245-2118
Walton Co.So. Substation	(850) 267-2000

CITY OF FT WALTON BEACH

Sheriff's Department (www.sheriff-okaloosa.org)	(850) 267-2000
Police Department (www.fwb.org)	(850) 833-9546

CITY OF VALPARAISO

Police & Fire Departments (www.valp.net)	(850) 729-5410

CITY OF GULF BREEZE

Police Department (www.gulfbreezepolice.com)	(850) 934-4050

CITY OF MILTON

Police Department (www.ci.milton.fl.us/police.html)	(850) 983-5420

CITY OF PANAMA CITY

Sheriff's Department (www.bayso.org)	(850) 747-4700
Police Department	(850) 872-3100/3112
Florida Highway Patrol	(850) 872-4150

CITY OF PENSACOLA

Police Department (www.pensacolapolice.com)	(850) 435-1845/1915
Florida Highway Patrol	(850) 484-5000

CITY OF PORT ST. JOE

Sheriff's Department	(850) 227-1115
Florida Highway Patrol	(800) 459-6861
Police and Fire Department	(850) 229-8265

MISSISSIPPI

GULFPORT/BILOXI

Sheriff's Department	(228) 865-7060
Mississippi State Police	(601) 987-1530x47

CITY OF PASCAGOULA

Jackson County Sheriff	(228) 769-3063
Mississippi State Police	(601) 987-1530x47

CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS

Bay St. Louis City Police Dept	(228) 255-9191
Hancock County Civil Defense	(228) 466-8320
Hancock County Sheriffs office	(228) 255-9191

CITY OF WAVELAND

Waveland Police Dept	(228) 467-3669
Hancock County Civil Defense	(228) 467-9226
Hancock County Sheriffs office	(228) 255-9191

9230.5 Port Authority/Harbormaster

MOBILE

Harbormaster	.....(251) 441-7251/7250
Mobile Port Authority	.....(251) 441-7200
Mobile Bar Pilots' Association	.....(251) 432-2639
Health Department	.....(251) 937-6935

GULFPORT/BILOXI

MS Port Authority	.....(228) 865-4300
Operations	(228) 865-4315
Gulfport Pilots Association	.....(228) 865-4323
(Rusty Hilton) Cell	(228) 365-5532

PASCAGOULA

Harbormaster	.....(228) 762-4041
Jackson County Port Authority	..(228) 762-4041
Bar/Harbor Pilots	.....(228) 762-1151

PENSACOLA .....

Port Authority	.....(850) 436-5080
Bar Pilots Association	.....(850) 433-3632

PANAMA CITY

Panama City Port Authority	.....(850) 767-3230
Harbor/Bar Pilots	.....(850) 785-2524

PT. ST. JOE

Port St. Joe Port Authority	.....(850) 229-5240

9230.6 Explosive Ordinance Detachments (EOD)

officer In Charge
Naval School, Explosive Ordnance Disposal phone: (850) 882-8370
Building 845, Eglin Air Force Base
Fort Walton Beach, FL

9230.7 Site Safety Personnel/Health Departments

Mobile County Health Department (PIO)	.....(251) 690-8158
Baldwin County Health Department	.....(251) 937-6935
Jackson County Health Department	(228) 762-1117
Okaloosa County Health Department	(850) 833-9240
Santa Rosa County Health Department	(850) 983-5200
Walton County Health Department	(850) 892-8015
Bay County Health Department	(850) 872-4455

9240 Private Resources

9240.1 Clean-up Companies (BOA & Non-BOA)

Garner Environmental
New Orleans, LA phone: (800) 424-1716

SWS
Pensacola, FL. phone: (850) 969-0092

ORC
Mobile, AL. phone: (251) 690-9010
phone: 24-Hour (800) 350-0443

USES
Mobile, AL. phone: (251) 662-3500

Bisso Marine Salvage
New Orleans, LA phone: 24-Hour (504) (866) 6341

MSRC
Pascagoula, MS phone: (228) 769-9598

Airborne Support Inc (Dispersants)
Houma, LA phone: 985-851-6391

9240.2 Media (Television, Radio, Newspaper)

ALABAMA & FLORIDA (COASTAL COUNTIES)

Associated Press (AP) (www.al.com) (251) 433-7269

NEWSPAPERS

Mobile Register (www.mobileregister.com) ..... (251) 434-8505
Mobile Register News Desk ..... (251) 219-5614
Mobile Beacon Inc ..... (251) 479-0629
Panama City News Herald (www.newsherald.com) ..... (850) 747-5000
Pensacola News Journal (www.pensacolanewsjournal.com)..... (850) 435-8500
Tallahassee Democrat (www.ttdo.com) ..... (850) 599-2170

RADIO STATIONS

WABB (www.wabb.com) ..... (251) 432-5572
WAVH (www.1065fm.com) ..... (251) 344-1065
WBHY (www.goforth.org) ..... (251) 473-8488
WKRG (www.wkrg.com) ..... (251) 479-5555
WFTW (www.wftw.com) ..... (850) 243-7676
WTKX (www.tk101.com) ..... (888) 357-7625
WBSR (www.wbsr.com) ..... (850) 438-4982
WCOA (www.wcoa.gulf.net) ..... (850) 478-6011
WMEZ (www.softrock941.com) ..... (850) 994-5357
WTNT (www.wtntfm.com) ..... (850) 386-9868
WXBM www.wxbm.com) ..... (850) 310-9102

TELEVISION STATIONS

WALA TV (10) (www.fox10tv.com) ..... (251) 434-1010
WKRG TV (5) (www.wkrg.com) ..... (251) 479-5555
WEAR TV (3) (www.weartv.com) ..... (850) 456-3333
..... Toll Free (866) 856-9327
WMBB TV (13) (www.wmbb.com) ..... (850) 769-2313
WJHG TV (7) (www.wjhg.com) ..... (850) 234-7777
WCTV TV (6) (www.wctv6.com) ..... (850) 893-6666
WTXL TV (27) (www.wtxl.com) ..... (850) 893-3127
WFSU TV (11) (www.wfsu.org) ..... (850) 487-3093

MISSISSIPPI (COASTAL COUNTIES)

Associated Press (AP) (www.ap.org) ..... (212) 621-1500

NEWSPAPERS

South Mississippi Sun Herald (www.sunherald.com) ..... (228) 896-2390
Mississippi Press (www.mspress.org) ..... (228) 762-1111

RADIO STATIONS
WGCM (www.coast102.com) ..... (888) 771-3742
WKNN (www.k99fm.com) ..... (228) 388-2323

TELEVISION STATIONS

WLOX (13) (www.wlox.com) ..... (228) 896-1313

9240.3 Fire Fighting/Salvage Companies/Divers

9240.31 Fire Fighting

WILD WELL CONTROL INC.
2202 Oil Center Ct., phone:24-hour (281) 784-4700
Houston, TX 77073 fax: (281) 784-4750

WILLIAMS FIRE & HAZARD CONTROL, INC.
1675 Texla Road phone: (800) 231-4613
Vidor, TX 77662 fax: (409) 745-3021
emergency: (281) 999-0276

Crescent Towing (251) 433-2580 (Located Alabama State Docks)

Vessel	Length/Speed	Capabilities
Tug Mardi Gras	103'/10 knots	1 Fire Pump (500 GPM at 100 PSI), 1 - 1 ½" Hose (each side), 1 – 2 ½" Wheelhouse Monitor
Tug Ervin Cooper	103'/10 knots	1 Fire Pump (500 GPM at 90 PSI), 2 – 2 ½" Hose Connections, 2 – ½" Turret Monitors
Tug Alabama	85'/10 knots	1 Fire Pump (500 GPM at 90 PSI), 1 - 1 ½" Hose (each side), 1 Turret Topside Wheelhouse

Sea Bulk Towing (251) 432-2611 (Located Alabama State Docks)

Vessel	Length/Speed	Capabilities
Tug Mobile Power	100'/10 knots	2 - 2" Deck Hoses
Tug Condor	110'/12 knots	1 - 1500 GPM Monitor (forward), 3400 Gallon Foam Tank, 2 – 2" Deck Hoses. Considered "Pump Station" (stern fitting)
Tug Mobile Point	107'/10 knots	3 Fire Monitors with 3 – 2" Deck Hoses

Colle Towing (228) 762-5700

Vessel	Length/Speed	Capabilities
Tug Janet Colle	85'/12 knots	2 Fire Pumps (4800 GPM at 150 PSI), 2 Fire Monitors, 2000 Gallons of Foam

9240.32 Salvage Companies/Divers

T&T MARINE SALVAGE, INC.
9723 Teichman Road office: (409) 744-1222
Galveston, TX 77554 fax: (409) 744-5218
Contact: Rudy Teichman Houston: (281) 488-5757
Personnel on Staff: 12 24 hr: (409) 643-6388

BISSO MARINE COMPANY, INC.
P. O. Box 4113 office: (800) 752-4776
New Orleans, LA 70178 (504) 866-6341

Personnel on Staff: 80	fax:	(504) 865-8132
Contact: Cappy Bisso		

SMIT INTERNATIONAL AMERICAS, INC.

15402 Vantage Parkway East		(281) 372-3500
Suite, 316Houston, TX 77032	fax	(281) 372-3525

Gulf Stream Marine, INC. (A HALLIBURTON CO.)

14035 Industrial Road	office	(713) 450-8888
Houston, TX 77015	phone: 24-hour	(713)926-9631
	fax	(713) 450-8828

DONJON MARINE CO., INC.

1250 Liberty Ave.	office:	(908) 964-8812
Hillside, N.J. 07205	fax:	(908) 964-7426
Contact: Steven Newes		

Donjon Marine has the current U.S. Navy Salvage Contract that includes the USGOM.

SALVAGE MASTERS / CONSULTANTS

THOMAS K. FLESNER LLC

8524 Hwy. 6 N #213	office:	(281) 744-5729
Houston, TX 77095	fax:	(281) 345-0339
Contact: Tom Flesner		

U.S. NAVY SUPERVISOR OF SALVAGE (SUPSALV)

2531 Jefferson Davis Hwy.	office:	(202) 781-1731
Arlington, VA 22242-5160	fax:	(202) 781-4588
Contact: Duty officer	Emergency:	(202) 781-3889

U.S. COAST GUARD MARINE SAFETY CENTER

Salvage Engineering Response Team (SERT)		
400 Seventh St. SW	office:	(202) 327-3985
Washington, DC 20590		(202) 327-3987
Contact: Duty officer	fax:	(202) 366-3877

9240.33 Divers

BOSARGE DIVING INC.

P.O. Box 2455	office:	(228) 762-6361
Pascagoula, MS 39569-2455		(888) 762-6364
Contact: Steve Johnson	fax:	(228) 762-6361

SEA TOW

P.O. Box 915	office:	(228) 374-1092
Biloxi, MS 39533	fax:	(228) 872-6149

BISSO MARINE CO. INC.

PO Box 4113	office:	(504) (866) 6341
New Orleans, LA 70178		(800) 752-4776
Contact: Kelly Steele	fax:	(504) 865-8132

SPECIALTY DIVING, INC. office		(800) 542-8770
BOA Number: DTCG84-03-A-800127		(985) 542-8772
P. O. Box 2853		
Hammond, LA 70404		

CAL DIVE INTERNATIONAL	office:	(713) 361-2600
2500 CityWest Blvd.	toll free	(877) 361-2600
Houston, TX 77042-3097	fax:	(713) 361-2690

H. J. MERRIHUE		
P.O. Box 23123	office:	(504) 466-2800
New Orleans, LA 70123	fax	(504) 466-9850
Contact: Chad Byard		
EPIC DIVERS, INC.		
1841 Enterprise Dr.	office:	(800) 844-3742
Harvey, LA 70058		(504) 340-5252
Contact: Joe Citutac	fax:	(504) 340-5416

9240.4 Wildlife Rescue Organizations

Sharon Schmalz	phone:	(281) 332-8319
Oiled Wildlife Response Team	fax:	(281) 481-3727
Wildlife Rehab and Education		
951 Power Street		
League City, TX 77573		
E-mail: schmalz@houston.rr.com		

9240.5 Volunteer Organizations

AMERICAN RED CROSS	
853 Dauphin St	(251) 438-2571
Mobile, AL 36602	
AMERICAN RED CROSS	
1741 N Palafox St	(850) 432-7601
Pensacola, FL 32501	
AMERICAN RED CROSS	
1096 Jackson Ave	(228) 762-2455
Pascagoula, MS 39567	
Sierra Club, Alabama Chapter	(205) 933-9111
Sierra Club, Mississippi Chapter	(601) 352-1026
Audubon Society, Panama City	(850) 871-1736
Audubon Society, Moss Point, MS	(228) 475-0825

9240.6 Maritime Associations/Organizations/Cooperatives

CLEAN GULF ASSOCIATES		(888) 242-2007
650 Poydras St. office		(504) 799-3035
New Orleans, La. 70130	cell	(504) 343-2500

9240.7 Academic Institutions

Marine Fire-Fighting Training Division	(800) 256-3473
LSU Fire & Emergency Training Institute	(225) 224-6300
6868 Nicholson Drive	
Baton Rouge, LA 70820	

TEXAS A&M CENTER FOR MARINE TRAINING & SAFETY (TEEX)

Texas A&M (TEEX)	phone:	(877) 833-9638
301 Tarrow	phone:	(979) 458-6800
College Station, TX 77840-7896		

9240.8 Laboratories

USCG Marine Safety Laboratory

1082 Shennecossett Road	phone:	(860) 271-2704
Groton, CT 06340-6094		

Precision Petroleum Labs, Inc. (FINGERPRINT ANALYSIS)

5915 Star Lane	phone:	(713) 680-9425
Houston, Texas 77057	fax:	(713) 680-9564

9240.9 Emergency Medical Services

American Medical Response Inc South Div	phone:	(601) 368-2301
Mobile County Emergency Medical Services & System Inc	phone:	(251) 343-7131

9250 Stakeholders

ALABAMA

Midstream Fuel (Blakely)	(251) 439-7246
Midstream Fuel Services, Inc. (Theodore)	(251) 439-8491
Atlantic Marine Inc.	(251) 690-4862
Occidental Chemical	(251) 452-7620
Olin Chemical Corp.	(251) 944-3360
Transmontaigne (Radcliff Economy)	(251) 433-0066
Alabama Bulk Terminal	(251) 438-9891
Ebonik/Degussa Corporation	(251) 443-4724
Gulf Atlantic Operations	(251) 433-5418
British Petroleum Oil	(251) 456-3131
Mobile Middle Bay Port	(251) 441-7003
Steigler	(251) 639-7300
Bender Shipbuilding	(251) 431-8000
Shell Chemical	(251) 679-7139
INEOS Phenol	(251) 443-3115

FLORIDA

Murphy Oil	(850) 835-4123
Citgo	(850) 678-5159
Amerigas	(850) 769-5165
Chevron	(850) 785-7426
Stone Container Corp/Graphic Packaging Int.	(850) 937-2000
Solutia Inc.	(850) 9687000
Halcorp	(850) 444-7179
TransMontaigne	(850) 432-5133

MISSISSIPPI

Chevron	(228) 938-4511
First Chemical Corp	(228) 938-2233
Mississippi Phosphates	(228) 218-3361
Northrop Grumman	(228) 935-3919

9260 Miscellaneous Contacts

NON-COAST GUARD RESOURCES AND GENERAL INFORMATION.

MOBILE, AL

Life Flight (www.flightwcb.com)	. (800) 874-1555
National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS)	. (228) 762-4591

PENSACOLA, DESTIN AND PANAMA CITY

Life Flight (Pensacola AOR)	. (850) 434-4555

GENERAL INFORMATION

Scott AFB (for Civil Air Patrol)	(800) 851-3051

9260.1 Lightering

MSRC	phone:	(800) 645-7745

9260.2 Towing Companies

Crescent Towing Company (www.coopertsmith.com)		
118 N. Royal Street 12th Floor	phone:	(251) 433-2580
Mobile, Alabama 36602	fax:	(251) 433-2593
Waterways Towing		
Bender Ship Yard Gate 7	24 Hr:	(251)-438-5240
Mobile, AL 36603		
Mobile Bay Towing (www.seabulkinternational.com)		
Alabama State Docks	24 Hr:	(251) 432-2611
Mobile, AL 36603		
Warrior & Gulf		
50 Viaduct Rd	phone:	(251) 452-6000
Chickasaw, AL 36611		
Gulfport Towing		
778 Copa Blvd	phone:	(228) 864-0171
Gulfport, MS		

HIGMAN TOWING COMPANY	(713) 552-1101
KIRBY INLAND MARINE INC	(713) 435-1079
ACBL	(877) 857-1225

9260.3 Railroad Emergency Contacts

Union Pacific Railroad	(888) 877-7267
Burlington Northern/Santa Fe Railroad	(800) 832-5452
Kansas City Southern Railroad	(800) 892-6295

9260.4 Utility Companies

Mississippi Power Company	(800) 353-9777
Alabama Power Company	(888) 430-5787
Gulf Power Company	(800) 225-5797

9260.5 Command Posts

9260.51 Rental Command Posts

GE Capital Modular Spaces
5350 Rangeline Rd phone: (850) 438-4255
Mobile/Pensacola

9260.52 Local Portable Command Posts

Gulf Strike Team, Mobile, AL (251) 441-6601

9260.6 Aircraft Support

9260.61 Aircraft Rental

Petroleum Helicopters Inc. (PHI) (http://www.phihelico.com/)
6000 Deakle Road #2
Theodore, AL 36582 phone: (251) 973-9071

5802 River Road
Harahan, LA 70123 phone: (504) 733-7673

AIR LOGISTICS
4605 Industrial Dr. phone: (337) 365-6771
New Iberia, LA 70560 fax: (337) 364-8222

AIR AMBULANCE NETWORK INC. (800) 327-1966

United States Air Force Auxiliary (CAP)

Alabama Wing	phone:	(334) 953-6465
	fax:	(334) 953-7637
Mississippi Wing	phone:	(601) 353-1020
	fax:	(601) 354-9278
Florida Wing	phone:	(305) 224-6734
	fax:	(305) 224-6654
24 Hour (CAP HQ)	phone:	(888) 211-1812

9260.62 Airports

Stennis International Airport William P. Cotter, Airport Manager P.O.Box 2267		(228) 467-7070
Bay Saint Louis, Ms. 39521	fax:	(228) 467-7016
Mobile Regional Airport 8400 Airport Blvd.		(251) 633-4510
Mobile Al.36695	fax:	(251) 639-7437
Pensacola Regional Airport 2430 Airport Blvd.		(850) 436-5000
Pensacola Fl. 32514	fax:	(850) 436-5006
Panama City-Bay County International Airport 3173 Airport Road		(850) 763-6751
Panama City Fl. 32405		(850) 785-5674

9260.7 Lodging

<u>Gulfport</u>	
Days Inn and Suites	(228) 864-5135
Holiday Inn Express	877 531-5084
<u>Pascagoula</u>	
Chandeleur Lodge, 3800 Hospital Rd.	(228) 762-2800
Super 8, 4419 Denny Ave. Hwy 90	(228) 762-9414
<u>Mobile</u>	
Best Inn and Suites 150 Beltline Hwy South	(251) 344-2121
Drury Inn Mobile 824 West I-65 Rd. South	(251) 344-7700
<u>Pensacola</u>	
Comfort Inn Pensacola, 8690 Pine Forest Road	(850) 455-3233
Comfort Inn NAS/Corry, 3 New Warrington Road	(850) 455-3233
<u>Destin</u>	
Days Inn, 1029 E Hwy 98	(850) 837-4667
Ramada Limited, 39 Old Hwy 98	(850) 837-2378

9260.8 Food & Water

L.A. Barbeque Catering, Hwy 59, Summerdale, AL	(251) 947-8722
Sonny's BBQ, Pensacola, FL	(850) 476-7618
Classic Catering, Panama City	(850) 763-0904
Magnolia Catering Co., Gulfport, MS	(228) 865-0405
DS Waters/ Abita Springs Water Co., Mobile, AL	(251) 967-1441

9260.9 Temporary Storage and Disposal Facilities (TSD)

USES
Mobile, AL. phone: (251) 662-3500

ORC
Mobile, AL. phone: (251) 432-4223

9260.10 Maintenance and Fueling Facilities

Midstream Fuel Services
Hwy 98 West, Blakely Island phone: (251) 439-7248
Mobile, AL 36652 fax: (251) 433-9400

Midstream Fuel Services
5320 Ingalls Avenue phone: (228) 762-0636
Pascagoula, MS 39581 fax: (228) 769-5963

British Petroleum Oil
101 Baybridge Rd. phone: (251) 456-3131
Mobile, AL 36601 fax: (251) 456-9615

Chevron
525 W. Beach Dr. phone: (850) 785-7426
Panama City, FL 32401 fax: (850) 784-1566

9260.11 Large Rental Facilities

TO BE DEVELOPED

9260.12 Industrial Hose Suppliers

Hiller Systems Inc.
3751 Joy Springs Drive phone: (877) 474-3473
Mobile, AL 36693

Gulf Sales and Supply
1909 Kenneth Ave phone: (228) 762-0268
Pascagoula, MS 39567 fax: (850) 433-3962

9260.13 Workboat/Offshore Supply/Other Vessels

Hopkins (for dredges working in the area)	(251) 694-3710

BARGE FLEETING

MOBILE, AL

Biehl & Company	(251) 432-1605
Bulk Shipping	(251) 433-1585
Lott Shipping	(251) 433-1621
Navios Shipping	(251) 433-1536
Star Shipping (www.starshipping.com)	(251) 433-3800
Stiegler Shipping (www.stiegler.net)	(251) 639-7300
Norton Lilly	(251) 433-5401
Inchcape Shipping Service	(251) 461-2747

PENSACOLA, FL

Star Shipping (www.starshipping.com)	(251) 433-3800

PASCAGOULA, MS

Inchcape Shipping (www.iss-shipping.com)	(251) 461-2747

GULFPORT, MS

Dole Fresh Fruit (www.dole.com)	(228) 864-8282
Chiquita Brands (www.chiquita.com)	(228) 864-6651

9260.14 Alternative Technology Response Equipment

IN-SITU BURNING (Note: Refer to USCG Eighth District ISB Plan)

Fire Retardant Boom:

MSRC		(800) 645-7745
Flare Type - CCA	(Clean Channel Association)	(713)534-6195
Flare Type - MSRC		(409)740-9188

Air Monitoring:

USCG/GST SMART	(713) 671-5113	
		(251) 441-6601

Consultants:

SpilTec, Al Allen	(425) 896-0988

DISPERSANT APPLICATION

DISPERSANT AIRCRAFT

Airborne Support, Inc. (ASI)	(985) 851-6391
EADC (Emergency Aireo Dispersant Consordium)	(207) 665-2362 (888) EADC14U

DISPERSANT SOURCES

LOOP, Inc.	(504) 363-9299
Clean Caribbean	(954) 983-9880

ONDEO NALCO ENERGY SVCS|
Melinda Fikes (281) 263-7434
(800) 366-2526

Location: Sugarland, TX

CONSULTANTS

The O'Brien's Response Management	(985) 781-0804

BIOREMEDIATION

Oil Mop, Inc., Belle Chase, LA	(504) 394-6110
Oppenheimer BioTechnology P. O. Box 5919 Austin, TX 78763	(512) 474-1016

9260.15 Trucking/Transportation Companies

U-HAUL (251) 343-7101
200 W I-65 Service Rd
Mobile, AL 36608

9400 Area Planning Documentation

9410 Discharge and Release History

9420 Risk Assessment

The Sector Mobile AOR contains 5 deepwater ports (Gulfport, Pascagoula, Mobile, Pensacola, and Panama City). Primary transportation routes and the navigational risks associated with each can be found in the NOAA Coast Pilot 5, Chapter 5. In addition to deep draft vessel traffic transiting the ports, there is a high volume of tugboat and barge traffic transiting the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway and the inland rivers of the Mobile COTP zone.

Of the five deepwater ports, the greatest risk for a major spill is in the Pascagoula area. The Port of Pascagoula has the highest volume of tank vessel traffic in the Mobile COTP zone, and has several large refineries and chemical plants.

There are numerous fixed platforms in the Mobile COTP zone, all of which are located in the western portion of the AOR. These platforms transfer petroleum products to shore via thousands of miles of pipelines.

Vulnerability Analysis

The entire coastline of Mississippi, Alabama and Northwest Florida can be considered environmentally sensitive due to salt and freshwater marsh areas that make up the coastal wetlands.

A large part of the Mobile Coastline consists of the Gulf Islands National Seashore, which stretches 160 miles from Cat Island in Mississippi to the eastern tip of Santa Rosa Island in Florida. Horn and Petit Bois Islands located in Mississippi are federally designated wilderness areas. The deepwater entrance to Pascagoula harbor is the Horn Island Pass.

For more information on environmentally sensitive areas, reference the Sector Mobile Geographic Specific Tactical Response Plan.

Seasonal/ Weather Considerations

While navigating the Gulf of Mexico presents few weather hazards, the ones that occur can be treacherous. Winter storms and cold fronts can generate gales and rough seas. Sea fog, frequent from December through April, can plague the mariner in open and coastal waters. During summer and fall, there is the threat from hurricanes.

9430 Planning Assumptions – Background Information

Subcommittees review applicable sections & are evaluated by Chairman and Steering Committee for final approval. Area Contingency Plans shall be reviewed and updated annually by the Area Committee. Plans shall be reviewed to ensure all information is current, and in particular, the following areas shall be looked at: emergency notification list, response equipment information (type and amount of equipment available), sensitive areas, hazard/risk assessment of the area, response strategies (changes based on new technology, new equipment, etc.), dispersant approval. Any changes to the plan must be noted on the record of changes page.

The FOSC shall periodically conduct drills of removal capability, without prior notice, in areas for which Area Contingency Plans are required, to assess the effectiveness of such plans and relevant tank vessel and facility response plans. These drills may include participation by Federal, State, local agencies, owners and operators of vessels and facilities in the area, and private industry. The NSFCC will act as a clearinghouse for these exercises, participating in the development, execution, and evaluation to the fullest extent practicable, with the cognizant program managers of the USCG and EPA. The NSFCC may, in conjunction with the cognizant program managers of the USCG and EPA, impose unannounced area or multi-area exercises.

[NOTE: The NSFCC is responsible for executing the National Response System Pollution Exercise Program (NRSPEP). All Coast Guard participation in exercises will be coordinated with and/or through the NSFCC.]

All responses will be in the Sector Mobile COTP AOR unless conducted jointly with other AOR's (as in SON's exercises). All other assumptions will be as decided by the drill committee.

9440 Planning Scenarios

REFERENCE THE DIGITAL AREA CONTINGENCY PLAN ONLINE AT:

http://homeport.uscg.mil

The Digital ACP is also available on DVD and is maintained by FWCC FWRI & USCG Sector Mobile.