

# EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLANS IN CALIFORNIA



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OFFICE OF SPILL PREVENTION AND RESPONSE**

# Marine Facilities Oil Spill Contingency Plans

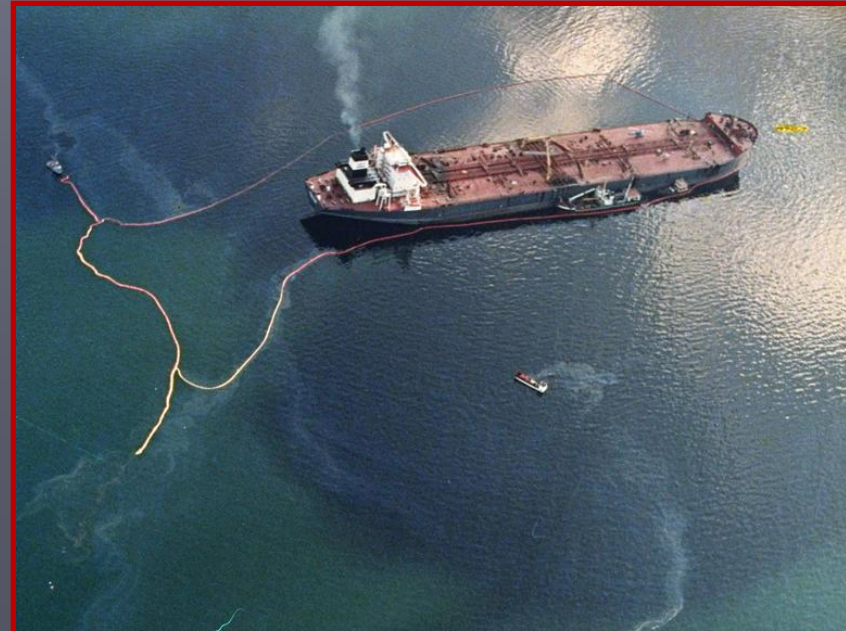
## Marine facilities include:

- Marine terminals
- Marine refueling docks
- Pipelines
- Mobile transfer units
- Offshore facilities



# Vessel Oil Spill Contingency Plans

- Vessel carrying oil as secondary cargo
- Nontank vessel
- Tank vessels
- Tank barges





# **Vessel and Facility Oil Spill Contingency Plans**

(Plans at a minimum shall contain)

- **Vessel/Facility specifications**
- **Qualified Individual (QI)**
- **Certificate of Financial Responsibility**
- **Oil Spill Response Organization**
- **Salvage**

**Government Code of Regulations. Title 14. Division 1.  
Subdivision 4**

# California State Oil Spill Contingency Plan



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# Comparison of Pollution Incidents

Type of Pollution Incident	Who Declares	Plan	Potential Funding Source
<b>Most Spills</b>	N/A	Area Contingency Plan (ACP)	Responsible Party; OSLTF (oil) Superfund (HAZMAT)
<b>Spill of National Significance (SONS)</b>	EPA Administrator (inland zone spills) USCG Commandant (coastal zone spills)	National Contingency Plan (NCP)	Responsible Party; OSLTF (oil) Superfund (HAZMAT)
<b>Incident of National Significance (IONS)</b>	Secretary of Department of Homeland Security (DHS)	Usually ESF #10 of the National Response Framework (NRF)	Stafford Act Disaster Funding
		Occasionally, Oil & HAZMAT Incident Annex of NRF (Basically NCP)	OSLTF (oil) Superfund (HAZMAT)
<b>Stafford Act Disaster/Emergency</b>	President	Almost Always ESF #10 of the National Response Framework (NRF)	Stafford Act Disaster Funding



**National Oil & Hazardous Substances  
Pollution Contingency Plan  
(NCP)**

# **Oil Spill Response Plans**

**Region IX Contingency Plan  
(RCP)**

**Area Contingency Plan  
(ACP)**

**Local Oil Spill  
Contingency Plan  
(LOSCP)**



A map of the United States with the state of California highlighted in a dark green color. The rest of the map is in a light tan/brown color. The title text is overlaid on the top half of the map.

# **National Oil & Hazardous Substances Pollution Contingency Plan**

- **NCP Overview**
  - **Developed in 1968 by EPA**
  - **Promote overall coordination**
  - **Federal Government's blueprint**



A satellite map of the Western United States, with California highlighted in a semi-transparent green color. The map shows the coastline of California, the Pacific Ocean to the west, and the borders with Nevada, Arizona, and the rest of the United States. The title "Regional IX Contingency Plan" is overlaid in large yellow text.

# Regional IX Contingency Plan

- **RCP Overview**
  - **Co-Chaired by US EPA and the USCG**
  - **Includes California, Nevada and Arizona**
  - **RCP supports the NCP**

A map of California is shown in the background, with a semi-transparent overlay. The overlay is a light blue rectangle that covers the northern and central parts of the state. The text "Regional IX Contingency Plan" is written in a bold, yellow font over this rectangle.

# Regional IX Contingency Plan

- **Key Provisions Include:**
  - **CA. Wildlife Response Plan**
  - **CA. Dispersant Plan**

<http://www.dfg.ca.gov/ospr>

# Area Contingency Plan

ACP 1  
North Coast

ACP 2  
SF Bay and Delta

ACP 3  
Central CA

ACP 4  
Los Angeles

ACP 5  
Long Beach

ACP 6  
San Diego





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# Area Contingency Plans

## Overview

- **ACP's developed in 1990 updated every 3 years**
- **Co-Chaired by USCG and OSPR**
- **Guidance for the first 24 hours**



# **Area Contingency Plans**

## **Key Provisions Include:**

- **Environmental Sensitive Sites and Response Strategies**
- **Established Local Government On-Scene Coordinator**
- **Incident Command System**



*City and County of San Francisco Emergency Response Plan*

***ESF #10:***

***Oil & Hazardous Materials Response Annex***

***Part B: Marine Response***

**Local Government Contingency Grant Includes:**

- **LOSCP update**
- **Attend AC meetings**
- **Participate in Drills & Exercises**
- **Attend oil spill related training (EROS)**



# OSPR's Response Equipment Grant

## Equipment

- 1,000 ft. of boom
- Trailer
- Anchors
- Navigation lights
- 8 hour training



# Response Equipment Locations

15  
located in  
Bay Area



# Interaction with Local Gov't.

## **What we can do for you:**

- **Provide funding**
- **Address local government concerns**
- **Local plan update-assistance**
- **GIS-maps**
- **Attend oil spill related training**



# Interaction with Local Gov't.

## **What you can do for us:**

- **Keep your local plan updated**
  - Identify ICP and staging areas
  - Identify economic sites (top 20)
- **Assist with coordination for non-wildlife volunteers**
- **Participate in AC meetings, provide local expertise with ACP revisions**



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