

5-260-A Site Summary - Alamitos Bay/Los Cerritos Wetlands**5-260-A***County:* Los Angeles**ACP Division/Segment:** LA - H - S006*NOAA Chart:* 18749*Map Book:* 826 D4*Decimal Degrees:* 33.74499 -118.11574**Site Description:**

Developed coastal embayment. Many marinas/boat slips but still contains a large area of sand and mud shoreline, particularly inside seawall and deep in back bay.

Resources at Risk:*ESI and Habitat:* 10A Salt - and brackish-water marshes

8B Sheltered solid man-made structures

1B Exposed solid man-made structures

3A Fine- to medium-grained sand beaches

6B Riprap

List of Resources at Risk:

	Resource Name	Status	Presence	Sensitivity
Birds	California brown pelican	FP, SP	Jun - Oct	
Birds	shorebirds		Year-round	
Birds	seabirds		Year-round	
Birds	waterfowl		Sep - May	
Fish	halibut	FT	Year-round	
Plants	eelgrass		Year-round	
Reptiles	green sea turtle		Year-round	

FT-Federally Threatened, FE-Federally Endangered, FP-Federally Protected, SE-State Endangered, ST-State Threatened, SP -State Protected, SR-State Rare, SSC-Species of Special Concern, BGEPA-Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act, SSSP-State Special Status Species

List of Key Contacts:

Type	Name/Title	Organization	Phone
C	/Coordinator	Native American Heritage Commission	(916) 373-3710
C	/	South Central Coast Information Center	(657) 278-5395
O	/	AES Power - Long Beach	(562) 493-7803
O	/	Long Beach Lifeguards (8am - 6pm)	(562) 570-1360
O	/24hr	Los Angeles Department of Water & Power	(562) 431-2578
T	/Spill Coordinator (24hr)	US Fish and Wildlife Service	(760) 607-9768

C – Cultural, Historic, Archaeological; E – Entry/Owner/Access; O – Other; S – Safety; T – Trustee; X – Exclusion or Security

Additional Site Summary Comments:

Concerns and Advice to Responders:

To protect endangered and sensitive species and wetland habitat.

Hazard and Restrictions:

Shallow water and strong currents.

Site Strategies:

Site Validation Level: III

Strategy: 5-260.1 Objective: Exclude Oil

Strategy: Boom to prevent oil entry to bay. Harbor boom (800') stored at Alamitos Bay Yacht Club. Anchor points on both sides of channel.

Table of Response Resources

Equipment	Sub-Type	Size	Unit	QTY	Unit
Boom	Harbor Boom	18 or 24	inch	800	feet
Vessel	Boom Boat			1	
Staff	Staff to Deploy			4	

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Last Test: 9/9/2022

Strategy: 5-260.2 Objective: Exclude Oil

Strategy: Use this strategy if oil breaches boom strategy 5-260.1. This strategy can also be used for spills originating in Alamitos Bay or upstream of the Los Cerritos Wetland. Boom to prevent oil entry into Steamshovel Slough. Anchor points on both sides of channel on banks.

Table of Response Resources

Equipment	Sub-Type	Size	Unit	QTY	Unit
Boom	Harbor Boom	18 or 24	inch	500	feet
Anchor	Danforth	40	lbs	1	
Vessel	Boom Boat			1	
Staff	Staff to Deploy			2	

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Strategy Updated:

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Strategy: 5-260.3 Objective: Exclude Oil

Strategy: Boom to prevent oil entry into Steamshovel Slough. Use this strategy if oil breaches boom strategy 5-260.1.

This strategy can also be used for spills originating in Alamitos Bay or upstream of the Los Cerritos Wetland. Anchor points on both sides of channel on banks.

Table of Response Resources

Equipment	Sub-Type	Size	Unit	QTY	Unit
Boom	Harbor Boom	18 or 24	inch	400	feet
Anchor	Danforth	40	lbs	1	
Vessel	Boom Boat			1	
Staff	Staff to Deploy			2	

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Strategy Updated:

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Logistics:

Directions: Boat launch available at Alamitos Bay. From Pacific Coast Highway in Long Beach go west on Second St. Boat launch is at 6201 E. Second St.

Land Access: Parking lot at 72nd Pl. and Ocean Blvd.

On-Water Limitations: Strong currents. Heavy small boat traffic. All services available.

Facilities, Staging Areas, Command Posts, Available Equipment: Pre-staged booms available adjacent to the Alamitos Bay Yacht Club at Ocean Blvd. and 72nd Place. There is parking and staging at public parking lot.

Communications Problems: None.

Additional Operational Comments: 800 feet of 20" boom is pre-staged in storage containers located at the Alamitos Bay Yacht Club to be used to close off the channel. The boom can be deployed by Long Beach Lifeguards. There are several locations along Marina Dr. and Ocean Blvd. that have access to the beach.



