5-380-A Site Summary - Dana Point

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County: Orange **ACP Division/Segment:** OR - D - S009

NOAA Chart: 18746 **Map Book:** 971 F7 **Decimal Degrees:** 33.4601 -117.7139

Site Description:

Rocky headland with wave-cut platforms. Harbor seal and California sea lion haul-out area. Site is within the following State Marine Protected Area(s): Dana Point SMCA.

Resources at Risk:

ESI and Habitat: 6A Gravel Beach

List of Resources at Risk:

	Resource Name	Status	Presence	Sensitivity
Fishery	spiny lobster - Commercial & Sport		Oct-Mar	_
Invertebrates	rocky intertidal invertebrates		Year-round	
Mammals	marine mammals	FP	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:

Туре	Name/Title	Organization	Phone
С	/Coordinator	Native American Heritage Commission	(916) 373-3710
С	/	South Central Coast Information Center	(657) 278-5395
0	/24hr	US Ocean Safety Lifeguards	(949) 276-4545
Т	Dara Glass/South Coast Field Manager	Bureau of Land Management	(760) 833-7100
Т	Steve Wertz/Senior Env. Scientist Supervisor	California Department of Fish and Wildlife, MPAs	(562) 343-3808
Т	/Orange Coast District	California State Parks	(949) 492-0802
Т	Justin Viezbicke/Marine Mammal Stranding	NOAA National Marine Fisheries Service	(562) 506-4315
Т	/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 sensitive species haul-out habitat.

Hazard and Restrictions:

Watch weather and sea conditions.

Site Strategies: Site Validation Level: 0

Strategy: 5-380.1 Objective: No Onsite Options: Consider Offshore Containment/Recovery/ART **Strategy:** This site is difficult to protect. Mechanical shoreline protection techniques are not likely to be effective because of high wave energy and rocky conditions at the site.

- a) Recommended response strategy is on-water containment and recovery (e.g. towed boom arrays).
- b) Pursue feasibility of alternative response technologies (e.g. dispersants and in-situ burning) to reduce the volume of oil reaching the site.

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Logistics:

Directions: Boat launch available at Dana Pt. Harbor. From PCH in Dana Pt., go south on Del Obispo St. and then left on Embarcadero Pl. to the public boat launch facility.

Land Access: Access best by boat.

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

Facilities, Staging Areas, Command Posts, Available Equipment: Orange Co. Dept. of Harbor, Beaches and Parks has 1500' of harbor boom staged at the Sheriff's Harbor Patrol Office.

Communications Problems: None.

