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To everyone who helped with materials and assistance on the Alutiiq Curriculum Project:

I am writing to express my thanks to you for your help this summer with the new Kenai Fjords National Park Alutiiq Curriculum. Sandra Wassilie worked hard to put together a dynamic program for us to use at the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade levels and your help made this possible.

Enclosed you will find the permissions forms that Sandra initiated. I have signed these forms and will be certain that the materials you have helped us with will remain a part of this curriculum and be used for educational purposes only.

We are currently working to bring the curriculum into schools starting in the Spring of 2010. If you have any questions or comments please do not hesitate to call, write or e-mail ( [CJ\\_Rea@nps.gov](mailto:CJ_Rea@nps.gov) ) me.

Thank-you for your contribution to this effort.

Sincerely,

CJ Rea

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Map of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill from the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council's website

[www.evostc.state.ak.us/facts/spillmap](http://www.evostc.state.ak.us/facts/spillmap) page.

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Special instructions for use:

Please site source of the map as the EVOS TC website and

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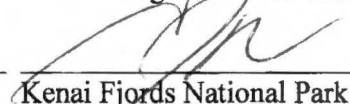
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**20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill (AFE and Symposium too) - Thank you list**

**ARLIS**

Steve Johnson - Systems Coordinator who helped with photos and RefWorks for the teachers' handout.

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Cody Swanson - Circulation Technician who reviewed the files of the Seward Sea Otter Rehabilitation Center and pulled out interesting files.

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Sharon Prien and Cory Swanson - Interlibrary Loan Technicians for filling requests for EVOS materials in record time to help media patrons meet their deadlines.

Meg Fowler - Student Supervisor and her crew of students who put up about 100 event flyers around the campus and town, and assembled the handouts for teachers. Meg also created a display in ARLIS of the materials used at the zoo.

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Sophie Frost – student volunteer

Audrey Bower – volunteer

Alaska Zoo

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# Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council

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March 13, 2009

Dear Teachers and Administrators,

March 24, 2009, marks the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the worst oil spill in U.S. waters – the *Exxon Valdez* Oil Spill. Twenty years ago, the *Exxon Valdez* ran aground on Bligh Reef, spilling 10.8 million gallons of crude oil into Prince William Sound and eventually spreading over 1,400 miles of coastline. The spill was one of the most significant events in our State's history. While most people visiting Prince William Sound and the North Gulf Coast of Alaska today will see little direct evidence of the spill, sadly the ecosystem has not fully recovered. *Exxon Valdez* oil persists and remains toxic in some areas that were heavily oiled, continuing to impact some species; and long term effects on species such as killer whales continue.

Please find enclosed the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary "2009 Status Report" produced by the *Exxon Valdez* Oil Spill Trustee Council. The report includes:

- An overview of the spill, damage and response;
- The status of restoration including the persistence and toxicity of *Exxon Valdez* oil in the environment, and the long term effects of the initial oiling;
- A summary of the habitat protection program;
- Discussion of the effect on people; and
- Changes in spill prevention and response.

We hope you will find it a useful resource for teachers and students. We have also updated our website: [www.evostc.state.ak.us](http://www.evostc.state.ak.us) and added a section "For Teachers and Students" to the home page. We are adding new resources weekly. A short 12 minute film "The Exxon Valdez Oil Spill – Have We Recovered?" has also been produced and will be available to view or download from our website by March 18, 2009. Both closed and open captioning are being added to the film, and the final version will be available by the end of April.

Additional books, reports, maps and media on the *Exxon Valdez* oil spill are available at Alaska Resources Library and Information Services (ARLIS), [www.arlis.org](http://www.arlis.org). For assistance call (907) 27-ARLIS (272-7547) or email [reference@arlis.org](mailto:reference@arlis.org).

The 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the spill provides an opportunity to look back and learn and we hope you will find these materials helpful. Please let us know if we can assist you in any way.

Sincerely,

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Jennifer Schorr

Interim Deputy Executive Director

*Exxon Valdez* Oil Spill Trustee Council

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