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TO: Restoration Team  
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SUBJECT: Restoration Plan Schedule

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By February 20, 1993, the Restoration Planning Work Group intends to complete the following segments (Key Elements) of the Draft Restoration Plan. By March 1 we intend to complete a draft of the Alternatives Information Package (referred to as a brochure in earlier correspondence). These items will serve as the basis of public meetings which we intend to conduct during April 1993. A schedule is attached.

By the end of January we will submit to the Public Participation Work Group a detailed request for assistance in preparing for public meetings.

The following is an abbreviated outline of the Key Elements and Alternatives Information Package. It is an except from the full outline which you have reviewed.

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## KEY ELEMENTS OF THE DRAFT RESTORATION PLAN

### III. Injured Resources and Services Rabinowitch/Loeffler

#### A. Background: Guidance, Definitions and Criteria

1. Explanation of settlement guidance for injury
2. Definitions of natural resources and services
3. Definition of injury to natural resources
4. Definition of injury to services
5. The criteria

#### B. Conclusions Loeffler/Spies/Strand

1. Marine Mammals
2. Terrestrial Mammals
3. Birds
4. Fish
5. Shellfish (as described above)
6. Intertidal/Subtidal (as described above)
7. Services

#### **IV. Restoration Options**

##### **A. Development of Restoration Options Klinge/Strand**

1. Definition of restoration options
2. Development of restoration options

##### **B. Evaluation Process**

1. Settlement Guidance
2. Purpose and use of the criteria

##### **C. Application of criteria**

1. Development of alternatives

#### **V. Restoration Plan Alternatives Loeffler**

##### **A. Definition of an alternative?**

1. Description, policies, goals
2. Options
3. How options will change as we get more information

##### **B. Why or why not a preferred alternative?**

##### **C. Overall Management goals (and, if appropriate, objectives) for the Spill Area**

##### **D. Alternatives Loeffler/Gorbics/Klinge/Gilbert**

###### **Alternative 1: (title)**

1. Theme, including basic goals and objectives of the alternative.
2. Resources Addressed and options proposed that address each resource
3. Services Addressed
4. Monitoring Program
5. Evaluation
  - a. Effect on recovery or service (time and extent)
  - b. Ecosystem effects
  - c. Geographic distribution
  - d. Cost
  - e. Certainty of the above factors
  - f. Timing and priority

Alternative 2 (same as above)

Alternative 3 (same as above)

Alternative 4 (same as above)

Alternative 5 (same as above)

Alternative 6: No Action (same as above except for (3))

E. Comparison of alternatives **Rabinowitch/Gilbert**

VI. Implementation Process for Life of the Settlement

B. Funding mechanisms **Brodersen/Loeffler**

1. Current Mechanisms
2. Endowment

#### Appendices

A. Restoration options **Various authors**

Summary of options and suboptions

B. Habitat Acquisition Process **Weiner/C. Gilbert**

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#### **ALTERNATIVES INFORMATION PACKAGE - Loeffler**

The Alternatives Information Package will accompany the Key Elements of the Draft Restoration Plan. The intent is to provide the public with a more reader-friendly summary (4-page newspaper insert) that can be read by those not inclined to read the entire document. The brochure will also be printed in greater numbers to facilitate a wider public distribution than the intended distribution of the Draft Restoration Plan. It also will have a tear-out, pre-addressed detailed comment sheet. The objective is to increase opportunity for public comment.

#### Public Meetings -- Where & When

I. Introduction

A. Background

1. The spill
2. Activities to date

B. The planning process

C. How you (the public) can be involved

D. Relationship to EIS

- E. What the plan will not do
- F. Summary of Implementation
- II. The Settlements
  - A. Criminal & Civil
  - B. Spending Guidelines
- III. Summary of Injury, Recovery, and What, if anything, can be done to help. For each injured resource and service, a description of injury by the spill, status of recovery, and what techniques are available, if any, to aid recovery, and the effectiveness of those techniques. Land acquisition will be included in this description (as a technique to aid recovery and avoid further degradation).
- IV. Alternatives
  - A. Introduction
    - 1. Options
    - 2. Evaluation, including cost and geographic distribution
  - B. Goals, objectives, and policies common to all alternatives
  - C. Description of alternatives (probably one newspaper page per alternative). One of which will be the no-action alternative; another will be the preferred alternative.
- V. Comparison of alternatives
- VI. Implementation
  - A. Annual Work Plans
    - 1. Implementation document
    - 2. Annual solicitation of ideas
    - 3. Annual public review of draft plans
    - 4. Timing of annual plans
  - B. Operations/Administration
    - 1. Settlement Guidance
    - 2. Organization (including organization) chart
  - C. Funding Mechanisms
    - 1. Current Mechanisms
    - 2. Endowment

## SCHEDULE

01/22/93	Chapter III (Injury) draft due; in-house review <sup>1</sup> begins
01/29/93	Chapter IV (Methodology) and V (Alternatives) due; in-house review begins
02/05/93	Revised drafts of Appendix A (Options) and B (Habitat Protection) due; in-house review begins
02/12/93	Close of In-House Review of <b>Key Elements</b> [Chapters III, IV, and V and Appendices A and B]
02/19/93	Revised draft of <b>Key Elements</b>
02/22/93	Submit <b>Key Elements</b> to editor
02/24/93	Complete draft of <b>Alternatives Information Package</b> (brochure); in-house review begins
03/01/93	Close of in-house review of <b>Alternatives Information Package</b>
03/03/93	Complete revision and submit <b>Alternatives Information Package</b> to editor
03/05/93	Edited drafts of the <b>Key Elements</b> and <b>Alternatives Information Package</b> returned from editor
03/08/93	Revisions completed
03/09/93	Begin preparing camera-ready copy of both documents
03/17/93	Camera-ready copies to the printer
03/24/93	Release both documents to the public
03/25/93	Issue public notice of meetings and begin other preparations for public meetings
April	Public Meetings
05/03/93	Begin drafting Chapters I, II, and VI.D-F.
05/10/93	Complete drafts of Chapters I, II, and VI.D-F.
05/16/93	Trustee Council approves Draft Restoration Plan and DEIS
	Close of Public Comment Period on <b>Key Elements</b> and <b>Alternatives Information Package</b>
June	Compile comments submitted during April and May
06/07/93	Release <b>DEIS</b> and <b>Draft Restoration Plan</b>

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<sup>1</sup>In-house review of Key Elements and the Alternatives Information Package will consist of a joint review by the RPWG member and RT member of each trustee agency. RPWG would resolve the conflicts and elevate unresolved issues to the RT.