

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL
FORMAT FOR IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

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Title of Project:

Cordova Environmental Reporter

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Keep public informed of EVOs Restoration activities

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Keep the public informed about the EVOs

Reopen Cordova office at KCHU

many of these
have to be re-~~distributed~~
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back to agency
files - follow
"lead agency" on
computer printout
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Estimated Duration of Project: ongoing

Estimated Cost per Year: \$43,000

Other Comments:

Name, Address, Telephone:

James Winchester
KCHU - Terminal Radio Inc.
P.O. Box 467
Valdez, AK 99686
907 835 4665

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Exxon Valdez Trustee Council
645 G St.
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Attn: 1993 Work Plan



KCHU

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Mr. Dave Gibbons, Administrative Director
Trustees Council for the Exxon Settlement
645 G Street
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

January 24, 1992

Dear Mr. Gibbons,

Per our discussion of Friday last, I would like to tell you a little more about KCHU, Valdez and pass along some ideas for our participation. KCHU is the Alaska Public Broadcasting affiliate for Prince William Sound. We broadcast from Valdez at 10,000 watts AM and cover virtually all of the main portion of the Sound. In addition we maintain FM translators in Cordova and Whittier. KCHU also has a number of listeners up country in the Chitina - McCarthy region. During the oil spill KCHU provided, early on, the primary vehicle for media coverage. Since those frantic days, we have continued to make the spill, clean-up and settlement and attendant environmental issues top priority for our news department. KCHU has continued to lead the way in this type of coverage, both for the citizens of Prince William Sound and, through the Alaska Public Radio Network, the rest of Alaska.

At this point, however, continuance of this vital coverage is in doubt. In the past year, KCHU has suffered some significant financial reversals. It is increasingly difficult to do an adequate job of covering these complex issues. In July, 1991, as a result of budget actions taken by the Hickel administration, KCHU was forced to drop out of the Alaska Public Radio Network. Our news department has continued to submit material for statewide broadcast, but we cannot carry any APRN programming. As a result, we are increasingly, isolated from the public broadcasting community. In addition, we have been forced to close our Cordova office and transfer our Cordova reporter to Valdez and out of the news department. Because of budget cuts, KCHU has gone, in less than a year, from three reporters to one. Our ability to stay on the oil spill story and keep the people of Prince William Sound informed has been dramatically reduced. Cordova, Whittier, Valdez, Tatitlek, Elamar and Chenega Bay collectively suffered the brunt of oil spill damage and disruption. Collectively they have the greatest interest in actions taken by the Trustees. If the public process is to function smoothly, adequate channels for information must be provided. KCHU is an important part of this process. At present we are hamstrung and our efforts blunted by lack of funding.

The salient points are these:

KCHU is an indispensable part of the public process in Prince William Sound.

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KCHU has an established history of involvement and is positioned geographically to efficiently communicate with affected populations.


The ability of KCHU to perform these functions has been dramatically reduced by administrative action.

To restart the flow of public information, KCHU will require financial aid.

The closure of the Cordova office was a blow to that community, to the station and to Prince William Sound residents. Cordova has few other sources of news and public information and our reporter there carried the ball in the environmental, oil spill and fisheries areas. For this reason, the best way to address the need for more and better public contact and public involvement is to reopen the KCHU Cordova office with additional funds from the Exxon Settlement. Such funding would insure that the information needs of affected communities are met and all issues and projects receive adequate public airing. Cost for the maintenance of the KCHU environmental reporter, including salary and benefits, office expenses and travel, is \$43,000 per annum.

Public Broadcasting is a vital force in Prince William Sound. The services we provide do not end with news. KCHU maintains an active public affairs and public information profile. If you need more information or clarification please call. Once again, I would like to thank both you and the other agents of the trustees for pushing this process ahead.

Sincerely,


James Winchester
General Manager

ID # 720601064

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Restoration Management Actions

Lead Agency
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type - education

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Critical Factors

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Comments:

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* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Please reconsider. *Cherub*

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

FORMAT FOR IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project:

Assess presence of hydrocarbons at archaeological sites

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Sites damaged by EVOS

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

A thorough study of campsites, landing zones, fuel dumps and other pre and post spill land use areas at various archaeological sites for the presence of residual petroleum contamination.Estimated Duration of Project: 1 yearEstimated Cost per Year: No estimate provided

Other Comments:

Name, Address, Telephone:

Albert A. DekinState University of New York at BinghamtonP.O. Box 6000Bingham, New York 13902-6000607 777 6300

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YES NO UNKNOWN

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL
FORMAT FOR IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project: *Cultural Emergency Response System*

Natural Resource Community Emergency Response System Survey

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

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Natural resource and recreational and intrinsic values of Prince William Sound communities were reduced and injured by the Exxon Valdez oil spill. This resulted in negative impacts to community services, social institutions, recreational activities, and subsistence and commercial interests.

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

The goal of this project is to develop a culturally appropriate emergency response system for natural resource communities in Prince William Sound in the event of an oil spill. The project objectives are: (1) identify past and on-going community impacts to residents of Cordova and adjacent villages from oil spill(s), (2) develop a culturally appropriate "response system" to mitigate impacts on residents in these natural resource-based communities, and (3) evaluate the inter-relationships of (1) and (2) above.

This project will be conducted in Cordova, Alaska, and in nearby villages of Tatitlek and Eyak (in Cordova). Community impact evaluation includes community use areas of Prince William Sound and the Copper River Delta. These areas have historically been linked to diverse multi-cultural populations residing in small communities and villages. Natural resource communities place cultural and socioeconomic value on the ecosystem through subsistence and commercial harvests of fish and mammals. Past oil spill events have demonstrated that community impacts and response must be sensitive to this lifestyle. Future drilling and transportation of oil and gas resources provide a risk of oil spills stemming from accidents.

This project will be conducted using community impact and hazard-risk assessment survey instruments. Past information on oil spill impacts in the communities and region will be evaluated in preparing and administering social science surveys and focus group interviews in Cordova and designated villages.

Estimated Duration of Project: Two years.

Estimated Cost per Year: \$100,000 first year on-site survey and data collection, \$50,000 second year follow-up survey, data analysis, final report.

Other Comments: This project falls within the category of combination alternatives. It evaluates community response, concerns, and potential negative impacts arising from threats to natural resources in order to provide an appropriate emergency response system for protection of those resources. Management of human uses is combined with manipulation of community resources to protect habitat and community subsistence, recreation, and intrinsic values.

Names, Addresses, Telephones:

Dr. M.A. Bishop, Acting Manager Copper River Delta Institute, USDA Forest Service; Technical Contact: Dr. J. Steven Picou, Dr. Chris Dyer
P.O. Box 1460, Cordova, Alaska, 99574, (907) 424-7212, (907) 424-7214 FAX.

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Lead Agency

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Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

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Title of Project:

Build facilities for oil workers who work on leases in

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Karluk/Kodiak area

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

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Estimated Duration of Project: _____

Estimated Cost per Year: _____

Other Comments:

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Name, Address, Telephone:
Larry Sugar
40 KANA
402 Center Street
Kodiak, AK 99615

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Karluk Village Council
Karluk, Alaska 99608

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May 07, 1992

Kodiak Area Native Association
402 Center St.
Kodiak, Alaska 99615

ATTN: Margie L. Derenoff, Coordinator Tribal Affairs

Dear Margie:

∴ Sending in a comment from a concerned citizen from the
Karluk area.

There should be compensation up front for worrying about
future oil spills as this creates nervousness to what might
happen.

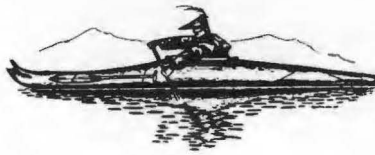
Recreational, clinical, landing facilities should be built
along the Shelikof Strait communities for the oil workers
and should be left in the communities after the leases are
done with as part of their impacting the citizens of Kodiak
Island.

This can be handled on a contractors concept of disbursing
45% up front, 45% on going while lease is in effect, and
10% after the leases are up to handle any unforeseen
impacts or any other formula that will satisfy the citizens
of Kodiak Island.

Sincerely,


Larry Sugak - Concerned citizen

**Kodiak
Area
Native
Association**



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402 Center Avenue
Kodiak, Alaska 99615
Phone (907) 486-5725

May 12, 1992

L.J. Evans
Oil Spill Public Information
Center
645 "G" Street
Anchorage, Alaska 99501

Dear L.J.:

Enclosed you will find a letter, dated 05/07/92, addressed to KANA regarding the potential for future oil spills and the need to address this concern.

Please have someone from the Oil Spill Public Information Center respond to Mr. Larry Sugak's concerns. Mr. Sugak's mailing address is:

Mr. Larry Sugak
Karluk Village Council
P.O. Box 22
Karluk, Alaska 99608

Thank you for your time and attention.

Respectfull yours,

Margie L. Derenoff 12 May '92
Margie L. Derenoff, Coordinator
Tribal Operations

Thanks L.J.!

cc: Mr. Larry Sugak
Mayor Jerome Selby

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Title of Project:
SILVER LAKE HYDROPOWER PROJECT

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)
CITY OF VALDEZ, COCOR VALLEY ELECTRICAL ASSOCIATION (C.V.E.A)

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)
 CONSTRUCT A 15 MW HYDROPOWER PLANT FROM SILVER LAKE TO THE LAGOON AT GALENA BAY. THIS PROJECT WILL PROVIDE C.V.E.A WITH CHEAP WHOLESALE POWER FOR THE NEXT 50 YEARS. THIS PROJECT WILL ENABLE C.V.E.A TO TURN OFF IT'S DIESEL GENERATORS LOCATED IN VALDEZ AND GLENNALLEN.

OBJECTIVE: TO REDUCE THE COST OF POWER IN VALDEZ AND TO TURN OFF THE DIESEL GENERATORS.

LOCATION: GALENA BAY TO SILVER LAKE - EAST SIDE OF VALDEZ ARM

RATIONALE: TO PREVENT FUTURE POLLUTION DUE TO DIESEL FUEL SPILLS AND AIR QUALITY EMISSIONS.

TECHNICAL APPROACH: APPLY FOR PROPER PERMITS AND RIGHT OF WAYS AND DESIGN-BUILD THE PROJECT - CALL FOR INFORMATION

Estimated Duration of Projects ~~15 YEARS~~ 50 YEARS

Estimated Cost per Year: \$15,000,000 (FIFTEEN MILLION X 2 YEARS)

Other Comments: TOTAL COST \$30,000,000 ESTIMATED

Name, Address, Telephone:
THOM A. FISCHER
WILTEWATER ENGINEERING CORP.
1050 LARRABEE AVE
SUITE 104-707
BELLINGHAM, WA 98225
(206) 733-3008

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Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Project Number - if assigned

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Title of Project:

Power Creek Hydropower Project

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

To help rebuild the economy of Cordova by providing them with inexpensive hydropower from Power Creek.

Description of Project:

Construct a hydropower project on Power Creek.

OBJECTIVE: To help rebuild the economy of Cordova by providing them with inexpensive hydropower from Power Creek.

LOCATION: See above.

RATIONALE: Most of the fishing fleet for Prince William Sound live in Cordova, with the main industry in Cordova being fishing and fish processing. Therefore, Cordova was affected economically by the Exxon Oil Spill. This is an opportunity to restore Cordova's economy by providing inexpensive electricity for the town.

TECHNICAL APPROACH: Alaska Energy Authority, Copper Valley Electric Association and Whitewater Engineering Corporation who has the preliminary FERC permit to construct the hydropower project should be contacted.

Estimated Duration of the Project: 50 years

Estimated Cost per Year: \$ 0

Capital Costs: \$ 10,000,000

Thom A. Fischer, P.E.
Whitewater Engineering Corporation
1050 Larrabee Ave., Suite 104-707
Bellingham, WA 98225
(206) 733-3008

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Title of Project:

Silver Lake to Ellamar to Tatitlek underwater intertie

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

To help rebuild the economy of these two native villages by providing them with inexpensive hydropower from Silver Lake

Description of Project:

Construct an underwater intertie from near the East end of Galena Bay to the towns of Ellamar and Tatitlek.

OBJECTIVE: To help rebuild the economy of these two native villages by providing them with inexpensive hydropower from Silver Lake

LOCATION: See above.

RATIONALE: The oil spill deeply affected the economies of Tatitlek and Ellamar. This is an opportunity to restore their economies by providing inexpensive electricity for these two villages.

TECHNICAL APPROACH: Alaska Energy Authority, Copper Valley Electric Association and Whitewater Engineering Corporation who has the preliminary FERC permit to construct the hydropower project.

Estimated Duration of the Project: 30 years

Estimated Cost per Year: \$ 0

Capital Costs: \$ 2,000,000

Thom A. Fischer, P.E.
Whitewater Engineering Corporation
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Title of Project:
Prince William Sound Field Study of Bioremediation Enhancement Treatment Methods

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)
Contaminated Intertidal (Surface and Sub-surface) Sediments

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Through use of improved application methods, rates, and monitoring techniques, confirm that bioremediation enhancement is effective and causes no adverse ecological effects. 1. Using sprinkler system application method, apply water soluble nutrients and native microorganisms to determine the extent to which bioremediation can enhance recovery of cobble-gravel beach ecosystems. 2. Verify use of normalized hopane ratio as an accurate and reliable indicator of oil biodegradation of cobble-gravel intertidal shorelines in western or eastern Prince William Sound (PWS). Site selection criteria to be developed by ADEC, EPA, and NOAA.

A joint Alaska DEC/EPA/NOAA HMRD/USCG 1993 study effort will be devoted to polishing bioremediation enhancement methods in cobble-gravel beach areas of the PWS. Each site will have four test plots measuring 5-by-5 meters. Differing trends of petroleum hydrocarbon degradation, nutrient levels, and recolonization rates will be monitored at each plot. Field study plans will undergo scientific peer review prior to initiation of study.

Estimated Duration of Project: July 1992 to September 1994

Estimated Cost per Year: \$280,000 for 1993 and \$130,000 for 1994

Other Comments: The ADEC, EPA, NOAA, and USCG study will enable the agencies to come to agreement on use of an approach that accurately identifies continued oil biodegradation, an important first. The study would also identify appropriate, safe nutrient application rates and recognize use of the sprinkler system as a safe and effective subsurface oil treatment method.

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PI Alaska DEC
Alex Viteri
410 Willoughby Avenue, Suite 105
Juneau, AK 99801-1795
465-5324 FAX: 465-5274

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Title of Project: Kitoi Bay Hatchery Oil Spill Equipment Storage

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service) Oil spill response equipment was slow to arrive at Kitoi Bay in 1989. One shipment was released to another area. On-site storage would allow immediate response to protect fry.

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Goal: Storage of oil spill response equipment on-site.

Objective: Construction of a metal building 24' X 20' with two levels. The upper level would store all deployment booms, absorbent pads, oil snares, lines, anchors, buoys, and other miscellaneous oil spill response equipment. The lower level would store larger equipment such as deployment skiffs and outboards.

Location: Kitoi Bay Hatchery near the main dock.

Rational: Oil spills can occur in areas closer to Kitoi Bay than what occurred in 1989. Oil shipments to and from Cook Inlet pass within 100 miles of Kitoi Bay Hatchery. If a spill occurred in one of those shipments, the oil could reach Kitoi Bay in a matter of days instead of weeks. The response in 1989 was slow and confused. The first shipment of deflection boom was sent to Port Lions instead of its original destination of Kitoi Bay. Larger fishing vessels were chartered making transportation of supplies and equipment to the hatchery extremely difficult. Response equipment must be on-site for a timely response. The location of the hatchery makes low profile storage impossible as flat area is at a premium. A two-story building would allow oil spill storage without reducing the existing uses of the hatchery grounds.

Technical Approach: A contract would be drawn up and the project would be put out to bid for the actual construction. Estimated cost for the completed building: \$100,000-\$150,000.

Estimated Duration of Project: Two (2) months construction. Twenty (20) year life.

Estimated Cost per Year: One-time expense of \$165,000

Other Comments:

Name, Address, Telephone

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Comments:

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SUBSISTENCE RESTORATION PROJECT

TITLE OF PROJECT:

17(b) Easement Identification.

JUSTIFICATION:

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DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:

- A. **Goals:** To clearly mark 17(b) easements for public access or camping purposes on Chenega lands. A concise list of 17(b) easements, including locator maps is available.
- B. **Objective:** To limit public access on Native lands, and to assist the public, when using the Prince William Sound area, to avoid inadvertently trespassing on Native Corporation lands.
- C. **Location:** Southwestern Prince William Sound.
- D. **Rationale:** Restoration of public resources should also include the public use of those resources without interference of private rights. Section 17(b) of ANCSA allows access across Native to public lands, but such easements have not come in the past, been clearly designated.
- E. **Technical Approach:**

Survey, if necessary, signs, and perhaps some trail building and/or bridges.

ESTIMATED DURATION OF PROJECT: 1-3 years.

ESTIMATED COST PER YEAR:

Depending of the level of site identification, or site improvements, from \$1,500.00/per site to \$50,000.00 e.g., for a bridge.

OTHER COMMENTS:

Chenega Corporation has proposed a bridge in the Eshamy area, to the United States Forest Service. We do have some cost estimates, therefore.

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DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT:

- A. Goals: To clearly mark 17(b) easements for public access or camping purposes on Port Graham lands. A concise list of 17(b) easements, including locator maps is available.
- B. Objective: To limit public access on Native lands, and to assist the public, when using the Prince William Sound area, to avoid inadvertently trespassing on Native Corporation lands.
- C. Location: Lower Kenai Peninsula.
- D. Rationale: Restoration of public resources should also include the public use of those resources without interference of private rights. Section 17(b) of ANCSA allows access across Native to public lands, but such easements have not come in the past, been clearly designated.
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VILLAGES, KITOI BAY HATCHERY, AND OTHER
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JUSTIFICATION: Adequate response to oil spills requires the presence of strategically located response material and equipment and the ability to readily deploy that material. Prioritizing the siting of response capabilities should give consideration to factors such as vulnerability and economic significance. During the Exxon Valdez spill, many villages responded to protect their shorelines or had a dominant part of their work force hired for cleanup. Community services such as handling of solid waste were neglected during the spill because these communities lost their workforce. Surveys of these communities show that they have not recovered to this date.

The Kitoi Hatchery currently pen-rears 180 million juvenile salmon and hopes to expand this number to 230 million juveniles in the near future. During the pen-rearing phase and during their post pen-rearing residence in Kitoi Bay, these juveniles are very vulnerable to toxic levels of oil-contaminated waters. The economic significance of this juvenile salmon inventory is that it equates to current ex-vessel value of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000) and a future value approximating Ten Million Dollars. The value of this resource to the fishing communities in the Kodiak area is very significant. Similarly, there are many other sites around Kodiak Island and the Alaska Peninsula that are high priority habitat and should have prevention and response capability developed.

PROPOSED PROJECT: The Kodiak Island Borough will work with the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, the Regional Citizens Advisory Committees for Alaska and Cook Inlet, and the Kodiak Regional Aquaculture Association to develop a borough-wide prevention and response plan including boom storage, and an action plan for each village and critical habitat sites.

The Kodiak Regional Aquaculture Association (KRAA) proposes the development of an enhanced oil-response capability at the Kitoi Bay Hatchery located on Afognak Island. This would ensure that maximum protection will be given to the approximate 810 million juvenile salmon inventory being pen-reared and released into Kitoi Bay proper as well as to the 250,000 adult salmon which return to Kitoi Bay to be used as broodstock for the Kitoi Hatchery. The current facility is congested with salmon-egg incubation buildings, rearing raceways, employee living quarters, and miscellaneous "sheds" incapable of storing adequate amounts of oil-spill response materials and equipment in the reliable manner needed to achieve desired response results. A relatively

small two-story building constructed to replace existing "sheds" would provide for protected equipment. The current facility is owned by the State of Alaska and is located on land belonging to the Afognak Natives Corporation with whom the state has a long-term (50 year) lease arrangement. KRAA provides all of the funding for operating and maintaining this facility.

Subsequent years will focus on the villages and other sites as well as enhancement of the overall plan.

ESTIMATED DURATION OF THE PROJECT: 1993-1999

ESTIMATED COST PER YEAR: 1993 \$250,000
1994 - 99 \$500,000 per year.

COMMENTS: This proposal addresses Options 3, 20, 31, and 33 in the Exxon Valdez Restoration Framework, Volume I.

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Comments:

no type or agency

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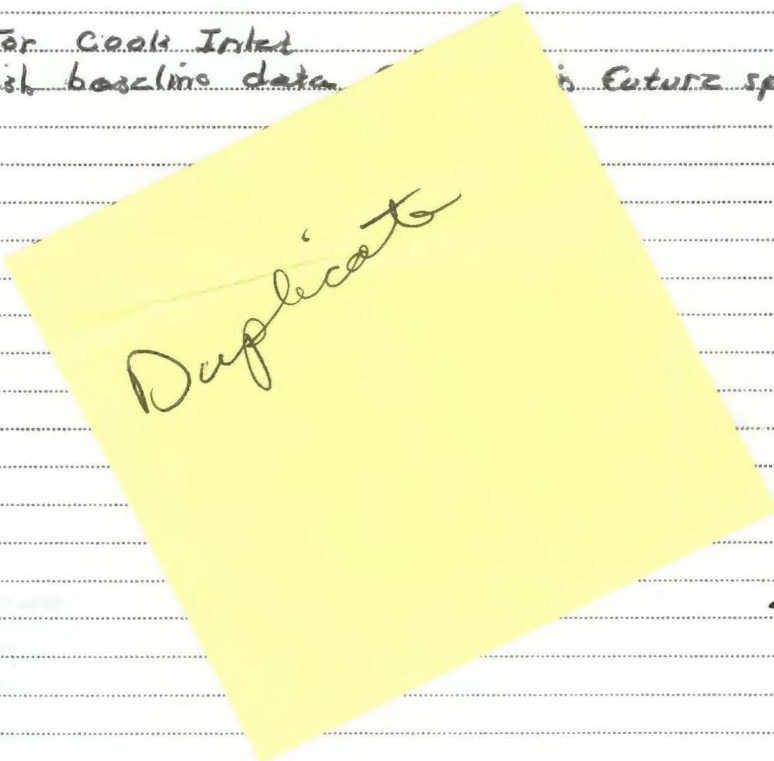
Cook Inlet Monitoring Program

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

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Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Monitor Cook Inlet
Establish baseline data for future spills



Estimated Duration of Project: ongoing

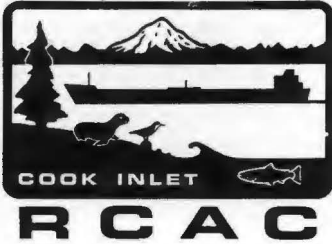
Estimated Cost per Year: \$800,000

Other Comments:

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5 Projects

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

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- 01) ~~Habitat Acquisition - a comment~~
- 02) ~~Restore shorelines damaged by beach berm relocation~~
- 03) ~~Institute program to annually clean garbage from oil spill impacted area beaches~~
- 04) ~~Publish + distribute brochures on damaged species and ways to prevent additional stress~~
- 05) ~~Institute watchable wildlife survey program to give and receive information with Tourism and Recreation users.~~

Estimated Duration of Project:

Estimated Cost per Year:

Other Comments:

Name, Address, Telephone:

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Dave Gibbons
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Dear Dave,

On behalf of our members operating tourism businesses or recreationally using the oil spill impacted area, AWRTA would appreciate it if the Restoration Team would consider recommending to the Trustee Council the following projects designed to restore lost natural resources and services:

1. Timber buybacks to provide habitat protection for recovery of species — 01 damaged by the spill and to protect the area's scenic qualities damaged by the spill from additional harm.
2. Restoration of shorelines damaged by beach berm relocation including the removal of logs and rock debris pushed into adjacent uplands areas and re- — 02 planting of damaged beach and uplands areas with local species.
3. Institution of a program to annually clean garbage from oil spill impacted — 03 area beaches to help enhance damaged visual quality and habitat.
4. Publication of high quality, full-color brochures on damaged species aimed at recreational users and tourism operators that give information on the following topics: 1) significant aspects of a species' life history and behavior that may be adversely affected by human contact; 2) damages suffered by the species from spill and other causes (disease, human disturbance, etc.); 3) ways to — 04 prevent additional stress such as not disturbing seals during pupping and molting periods, use of hydrophones to enhance whale watching at a distance, etc. Distribute the fliers to harbors, Visitor Centers, Tour and Charter boat operators, kayak rental outlets, recreational equipment stores, etc.
5. Institution of a watchable wildlife survey program soliciting input from — 05 tourism companies and others on the following topics: a) species observed,

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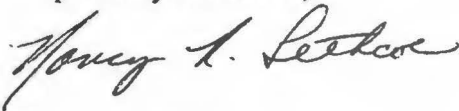
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date and number; and b) anecdotal information on human/animal encounters. This information could help document the possible changes and movements in marine mammal populations, give tourism operators and tourists a chance to "participate" in the recovery, 3) document changes, both positive and adverse, in human/animal encounters, and 4) provide planners with information that may be helpful in developing additional programs.

Tourism and recreational users have suffered considerably from the visual damage done to marine and shoreline areas through the loss of marine mammals, removal of intertidal and shoreline zone flora and fauna, beach relocation, and staining and sterilization of beaches. The U.S. F.S. recognizes visual quality as a natural resource; the state and tour operators have spent considerable amounts of money to market Alaska's superscenery and superwildlife viewing opportunities, and consumers choose destinations on the bases of visual quality and wildlife viewing experiences. The ability of the tourism industry to recover from economic damages sustained as a result of the spill depends on the ability of tour operators to deliver a product that lives up to consumer expectations and is competitive with other superscenery/superwildlife areas in the world.

Respectfully submitted,



Nancy R. Lethcoe

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YES NO UNKNOWN

1. Linkage to resources and/or services injured by the Exxon Valdez oil spill.
2. Technical feasibility.*
3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

Comments:

Garbage related to response has been cleaned up. This would be a project to clean up new NON EVOS garbage

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Title of Project:

Humpback Whale Project

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

The EVOs damaged the primary food source for a portion of the North Pacific Humpback whale.

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Count Humpback whales entering PWS and photograph. Estimate whale population, determine distribution and feeding patterns. Compare with historical data.Estimated Duration of Project: 1 yearEstimated Cost per Year: \$50,000Other Comments: Also has a project to study killer whales

Name, Address, Telephone:

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Oil spill restoration is a public process. Your ideas and suggestions will not be proprietary, and you will not be given any exclusive right or privilege to them.

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Comments:

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* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Title of Project: Population Study of Humpback Whales using Prince William (PWS).

Justification: The waters of PWS provide the primary food source for a portion of the North Pacific Humpback whales. This population has been studied by the North Gulf Oceanic Society in PWS since 1980. Changes in the population and its distribution due to longterm alterations in the ecosystem caused by the EVOS may still become apparant. The continuation of this study is important to monitor changes in the humpback whale population in PWS.

Description of project: Humpback whales entering PWS will be counted by photographing the pigmentation patterns on the flukes of individual whales. Small boats will be used from an established basecamp in the southwestern Sound. The photographs will be compared to baseline information collected by NGOS in the past twelve years. Using this technique of photo-identification and calculating the data in mark-recapture models, an estimation of the whale population using PWS will be reached. Distribution and feeding paterns will also be compared. The methodology will be similar to that used in the Damage Assessment Studies (NMFS), for which NGOS was contracted to do the field work.

Estimated duration of project: 6 months

Estimated cost per year: \$50,000

Other comments: This study can be done in conjunction with a population study of killer whales. We suggest that this study go to open bid.

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Title of Project:

Valdez City Schools

Justification (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Educational Services

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Since March 24, 1989, enrollment in the Valdez City Schools has increased by approximately 25%. The only economic change in Valdez since the March of 1989, has been the Exxon Valdez oil spill. The efforts by Alyeska through SERVS and other operations to be better prepared for any subsequent oil spills has had a direct impact upon the Valdez school system. Not only those families directly employed by the increased oil spill response capability, more importantly those who have come to Valdez looking for employment in that area. Consequently, the enrollment in the Valdez city schools has increased approximately 25% between the 1988-89 school year and the 1991-92 school year. That increase has been a gradual increase with each year and it appears to be directly tied to the increase in the oil spill response capabilities in Valdez.

To the detriment of Valdez, the assessed value of the oil property in Valdez declines each year by approximately 8%. This creates a scenerio whereby the demands of the school system and the cost of providing those demands in Valdez is increasing each year with the property values in Valdez decreasing. The Valdez city schools anticipates providing \$300,000 of modular classrooms to accommodate the increased enrollment. However, it is not appropriate for students in Valdez to attend school in a temporary modular configuration outside of the normal school system due to the effects of the Exxon Valdez oil spill. This is a direct impact on services as a result of the Exxon Valdez oil spill and is an appropriate funding request out of the settlement funds.

Estimated Duration of Project: _____

Estimated Cost per Year: 1993 - \$300,000

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Justification

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Title of Project:

Oil Bilge Water and Oil Solid Waste Treatment

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Chronic ailing of impacted areas. (several communities)

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

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Estimated Duration of Project: 1 season construction, in use forever

Estimated Cost per Year: Needs research

Other Comments: Please call me if you have any questions or need me to fill out more forms

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Submitted at Restoration ...
Valdez, AK May 11, 1992

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Subject: Proposal For Restoration Projects, Exxon Valdez Settlement

Please consider my suggestion to pursue funding of projects that would provide the infrastructure for pollution prevention at boat harbors that send boats into Exxon Valdez impacted waters. What I envision is a temporary docking point in each boat harbor where a boat could:

- * Dump oily solid waste (booms, sorbent pads, etc.) to be taken to a treatment facility, yet to be determined. (perhaps a regional incinerator)
- * Pump oily bilge water into a treatment system, yet to be determined. (some sort of oil/water separator).
- * Dump solid waste, which will go to a landfill
- * Fill up with fuel.
- * Fill up with water.
- * Pump sewage from holding tank.

(The last four items are for convenience, to encourage use of the first two items)

The argument has been made that restoration money should be spent on "restoring" lands impacted by the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill, and that my suggestion would not be a restoration idea, but a means of prevention of oil contamination. I will argue that controlling the current level of continuous oil contamination of areas impacted by the Exxon spill, and other areas, would actually be a very first step in restoration of areas impacted by the famous spill. The damaged areas stand a better chance of restoration if we could provide boaters with a way to stop the continuous damage that the operation of their boats currently causes through the pumping of oily bilge water directly into the sound.

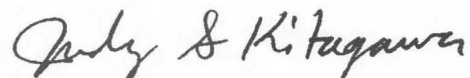
I do not have specific design criteria in mind for treating oily bilge water or oiled sorbent pads. I would encourage you to further discuss this idea with the Alaska Health Project for specific solutions and cost estimates. I would be willing to make the contact with the Alaska Health Project if you would like me to.

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The reason I include oily solid waste in this proposal is that boaters now have the option of pumping their bilge water into open water, or trying to mop up the oil with sorbent pads prior to pumping. If they choose to use sorbent pads, they then end up with a waste that is not allowed in landfills. The oily solid waste usually does not end up being treated in an appropriate way.

Solving the chronic oily pollution problems of Exxon Valdez impacted waters will not only enhance restoration of damaged areas, but will encourage future development with an eye on "damage control". What good is restoration if we continue to damage the water and lands with chronic pollution over the several years? We now have the opportunity to use money from our "very big lesson on pollution" to find a new way of managing our resources in light of current levels of development. As a side note, tourism and fishing always seem to get good press as being "clean" industries. They are only clean if we give the boat operators the opportunity to run their businesses in a clean way. Please consider my ideas for developing oily solid waste and oily bilge water treatment facilities for use by boaters in Exxon Valdez impacted areas. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Judy S. Kitagawa

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To: Barbara Isaiah

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MEMORANDUM

To: Barbara Isalah

Date: May 12, 1992

From: Judy Kitagawa *JK*

Phone: 835-4698

RE: Correction to Proposal For Restoration Project for 1993, submitted 5/11/92.

Please pen in the following correction on my proposal before making copies.

After " * Fill up with water", write in one more starred item below to say

" * Pump sewage from holding tank "

Then, in the next line in parentheses, cross out the word "three" and write in "four".

Thanks Barbara.

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- 2. Technical feasibility.*
- 3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

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Title of Project:

Oil Spill Response / Clean-up Co-op in Valdez

Justification (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Prevention / Cleanup of Additional Spills

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

See Attached

Estimated Duration of Project: 20 years

Estimated Cost per Year: First year - \$50 million, subsequent years \$10 million/year

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**MAJOR OIL SPILL RESPONSE / CLEAN UP CO-OP
LOCATED IN VALDEZ**

Since the Exxon Valdez oil spill of 1989, substantial steps have been taken by Alyeska and its owner companies towards better preparedness in response to an oil spill in Valdez. The Ship Escort/Response Vessel System (SERVS) created by Alyeska serves as a ship-escort service for out-bound (loaded) tankers. SERVS maintains on its emergency response vessels containment boom and initial response equipment. Additionally, Alyeska has had built a specific oil spill response / clean-up vessel, the Valdez Star. While these efforts are certainly a substantial improvement, they are all geared for the immediate response, not long-term clean up preparedness.

Under the current plan, in the event of an oil spill, Alyeska, through the above-referenced equipment and organizations would respond for the first 72 hours. At that time, assuming that the responsible party met certain criteria, the response clean up activity would be handed off to the responsible party. In the event that the responsible party is not capable of adequately accepting that responsibility, the oil spill clean up would become federalized.

In the past year and a half, there have been oil spill drills performed by several of the owner companies. It is the

plan that the drills will continue each year by at least five of the seven owner companies. The drills consist of personnel coming to Valdez from the Lower 48 at the time of the drill. The drill presently takes place at the Valdez Civic Center. One concern raised by many is that this type of training, while certainly a substantial step over prior years preparedness, still only brings the level of preparedness up to a minimum level through the training drills.

While there is some standardization on these spills as far as response techniques, each company does have it's own specific ways of operating including different types of crisis management teams, etc. If the owners and/or shippers of the crude oil being shipped out of Valdez created an oil spill response / clean-up co-op located in Valdez, that would allow for one permanent response team to be brought up to a much higher level of preparedness.

This concept has been discussed with Alyeska President, Jim Hermiller. He has expressed a strong desire for Alyeska to get out of the "oil spill response and clean-up business" and says that Alyeska would certainly endorse a co-op in Valdez. Jim acknowledged that he did not feel that there would be any savings to Alyeska, however, it would allow them to focus more on the transportation of crude through the pipeline, storage and loading onto tankers at the terminal.

Major Oil Spill Response / Clean Up Co-op

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Oil spill co-ops are not a new concept, and there are approximately 20-25 co-ops throughout the United States. Funding for these co-ops most often come from either the shippers or owners of the oil being shipped. There would be a substantial advantage of having such a sizable facility in Valdez based upon the sometimes inclement weather in Prince William Sound which could restrict deliver of response equipment and/or disbursants to a location inside Prince William Sound. The risk assessment study performed by Technicia, Inc. in October, 1990 sets forth the highest risk probabilities of further spills to be in the area of the Valdez Arm, Valdez Narrows and Port Valdez. Given the fact that approximately 9 million barrels of oil are stored at the Valdez terminal and approximately 1.5 to 2 million barrels of oil are received by the terminal each day in Valdez, Valdez is by far the logical location for such a facility.

While the oil spill co-op should be industry funded, it should not be industry operated. The oil industry in Alaska presently suffers from what appears to be an all-time low of credibility based upon events which have happened as a result of the oil spill of 1989, and additional congressional hearings involving an investigation of leaked documents. For these reasons, there needs to be an arms-length arrangement between

Major Oil Spill Response / Clean Up Co-op

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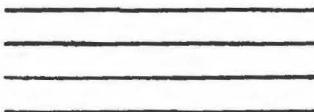
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the industry and the response co-op. The response co-op needs to have the ability to not only stay prepared at all times year-round, but also be able to utilize the best available equipment and technology.

Any oil spill response co-op operations must be located outside of the Alyeska terminal facility. The location of any facility located within the terminal will most likely raise questions regarding the integrity of such an "in-house" response organization. Additionally, in the event of catastrophic event at the terminal, the worst location for an oil spill response co-op would be at a down-hill location, below 9 million barrels of oil stored at the terminal.

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Title of Project:

Tanker Inspection Facility

Justification (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Prevention of Another Oil Spill

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

See Attached

Estimated Duration of Project: 20 years

Estimated Cost per Year: First year - \$20 million, subsequent years \$5 million/year

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On January 6, 1987, the T/V Stuyvesant, enroute Valdez to the west coast, spilled approximately 600,000 gallons of crude off British Columbia. In March of the same year, the same tanker spilled another 600,000 gallons off the coast of southeast Alaska again enroute from Valdez. Both spills were a result of hull fractures while crossing the Gulf of Alaska.

On January 3, 1989, preceding the Exxon Valdez disaster by a little more than two months, there was a 70,000 gallon spill in Port Valdez from the T/V Thompson Pass as a result of an 11-foot crack in the tanker's hull. Less than two weeks later, a crack in the hull of the tanker Cove Leader released over 2,500 gallons of crude into Port Valdez. A report done by the U.S. Coast Guard regarding the structural problems of the U.S. ocean-going fleet, revealed that tankers in the TAPS trade were taking a severe beating as a result of the nature of the waters in the Gulf of Alaska. The study noted a strong trend in the number of cracks being reported in tankers plying the North Pacific. The report stated: "While TAPS tankers make up only 13% of the entire fleet, they accounted for 52% of all the structural failure during 1984 through 1986." As a result of the study, Coast Guard officers are to give "special

consideration" to the TAPS tankers and to thoroughly inspect them for structural failure when they are in dry dock.

The New York-based Tanker Advisory Center gives about 20% of the Valdez tanker fleet its lowest rating and another 10% rank only fair. The ratings are based on the tanker's age, ownership and number of casualties. Ironically, only two of the TAPS tankers received the Center's highest rating. One was the Exxon Valdez. In early March of 1989, the tanker North Slope requested docking at the city's container terminal where it stayed for nearly a week to repair a 12-foot fracture in its hull.

As the studies referenced above have shown, tankers in the TAPS fleet appear to be deteriorating at a much faster rate than those not crossing the Gulf of Alaska on a regular basis. There is no vessel inspection / repair facility in Alaska that can accommodate a supertanker the size calling at the terminal in Valdez. The nearest repair facility is in Portland, Oregon.

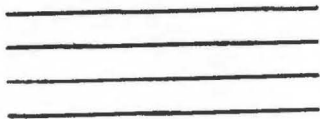
Approximately 800 tankers per year come into Port Valdez for the loading of North Slope crude. It is imperative to the safety of the safe transit of that crude oil that a lay-up berth / inspection facility be built in Port Valdez to accommodate the aging tanker fleet in the TAPS trade.

Need for a Lay-Up Berth in Valdez

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 Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Oil & Grease Separator
small boat harbor

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Restoration - Manipulation & Enhancement

 Lead Agency

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Oil & Grease Separators
Fidalgo

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Restoration - Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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*Oil & Grease Separator
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Lead Agency

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

ID # 920601050-04

Valley Landfill Upgrades

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Restoration - Manipulation & Enhancement

 Lead Agency

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Recycling

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Lead Agency

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Sewage Treatment Upgrade

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Restoration Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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- 3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

ID # 92 0601050-07

Garbage Scow Facilities

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Restoration - Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

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3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Restoration - Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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2. Technical feasibility.*

3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Valdese-Hwy. Waste

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Restoration Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Comments:

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Valdey Landfill Cover

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Restoration Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

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Comments:

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Oil spill Training Center

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Response

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Restoration Management Actions

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Oversight of oil industry by
Valdey

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Restraint Management Actions

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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*Assess Valley to land
Waste oil.*

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Restoration - Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Training Personnel to handle Env. incidents

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Restoration - Management Action

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Improve Public Health Facilities

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Restoration - Manipulation & Enhancement

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Title of Project:

Cold Weather Oil Spill School

Justification (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Study Effective Clean-up Efforts of Alaska Crude

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

See Attached

Estimated Duration of Project: 10 years

Estimated Cost per Year: \$3 million

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COLD WEATHER OIL SPILL SCHOOL

During the attempted clean up operations at the Glacier Bay spill, in 1987, it became painfully evident that the clean up of North Slope crude in Alaskan waters is substantially different than the clean up of the oil spilled in a warmer climate and in warmer waters. This difference was only exaggerated during the clean up efforts of the Exxon Valdez. While the oil spill school which is incorporated as part of Texas A & M University, deals predominantly with warm weather clean-up techniques, a similar facility should be located in Valdez as a major step towards the advancement of our knowledge of cold weather oil spill response techniques.

Literally, everything is different from the cold weather to the warm weather climate in oil spill response. Disbursants react differently, oil spill booms and pumps respond differently. The high sulfur content of North Slope crude must be studied and taken into consideration and should be done at a location at or near the potential source of the spills.

The Coast Guard advanced rule making regarding Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (OPA-90) recommends that crew members

on tankers should have a certain amount of training in oil spill response since they are in fact the first to the scene of the spill. That training could take place at an oil spill school located in Valdez. The turn around time of a tanker at the Alyeska terminal is approximately 24 hours. This could provide an opportunity for the crew members who are not essential to the loading operations to attend such classes.

The Prince William Sound Community College who's main campus is in Valdez, also has branches in other communities throughout Prince William Sound. It would certainly appear a logical connection to incorporate such a spill school through that existing community college which has already in place administration, classrooms, laboratories and housing. Hands-on training opportunities for those attending such schools to view the terminal and tankers in the TAPS trade at the time of the training would be invaluable. Additionally, while thousands of people each year tour the Alyeska terminal facility, it would be equally important that they also be able to tour the cold-weather oil spill school, also in Valdez, established to study and research the state-of-the-art techniques for response and prevention of oil spills in Alaska.

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Other - Response Training

Lead Agency

Cooperating Agency(ies)

Y N Passed initial screening criteria

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Project Number - if assigned _____

1993 PROJECT SCORING SHEET

Critical Factors

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3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

Comments:

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Title of Project: Kitoi Bay Hatchery Oil Spill Equipment Storage

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Oil Spill response equipment was slow to arrive at Kitoi Bay in 1989. One shipment was released to another area. On site storage would allow immediate response to protect fry.

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Goal: Storage of oil spill response equipment on site.

Objective: Construction of a metal building 24' X 20' with 2 levels. The upper level would store all deployment booms, absorbant pads, oil snares, lines, anchors, bouys, and other miscellaneous oil spill response equipment. The lower level would store

larger equipment such as deploement skiffs and outboards.

Location: Kitoi Bay Hatchery near the main dock.

Rational: Oil spills can occur in areas closer to Kitoi Bay than what occurred in 1989

Oil shipments to and from Cook Inlet pass within 100 miles of Kitoi Bay Hatchery.

If a spill occurred in one of those shipments the oil could reach Kitoi Bay in a

matter of days instead of weeks. The response in 1989 was slow and confused. The first

shipment of dfection boom was sent to Port Lions instead of its original destination

of Kitoi Bay. Larger Fishing Vessels were chartered making transportation of supplies

and equipment to the hatchery extremely difficult. Response equipment must be on site

for a timely respose. The location of the hatchery makes low profile storage impossible

as flat area is at a premium. A two story building would allow oil spill storage without

reducing the existing uses of the hatchery grounds.

Technical Approach: A contract would be drawn up and the project would be put out to

bid for the actual construction. Estimated cost for the completed building; \$100,000 -

\$150,000.

Estimated Duration of Project: 2 month construction. 20 year life.

Estimated Cost per Year: One time expense of \$100,000 - \$150,000

Other Comments:

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Oil spill restoration is a public process. Your ideas and suggestions will not be proprietary, and you will not be given any exclusive right or privilege to them.

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Comments:

type - services

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

PROPOSAL FOR OIL SPILL RESTORATION PROJECT

Title of Project: Recreation Field Management and Monitoring

Justification: Outdoor recreation in Prince William Sound was impacted by the oil spill, not only in the directly affected areas, but in outlying areas as well. This is due to displacement from the worst affected areas, and new use patterns that have developed in marginally affected and unaffected areas stemming from cleanup activities themselves.

Several state marine parks in Prince William Sound, Resurrection Bay, the outer Kenai coast, and the Kodiak area currently support dispersed recreation, and are potential sites for basic recreation facilities, like latrines, mooring buoys, tent platforms, and public use cabins. Additional recreational facilities at these marine parks would compensate for lost opportunities in directly and indirectly affected areas.

Because of the long time for complete restoration, much of the affected area has been rendered undesirable for new recreation facilities. New recreation facilities and programs should instead be considered at lightly oiled or unaffected sites. Facilities at these sites should be considered restoration, since they compensate for postponed or canceled facilities in heavily affected areas that would have been built if the spill had not occurred.

In addition to recreational facility development and maintenance, there is a continuing demand for an overall field presence to support a variety of ongoing research and monitoring projects. These include long term monitoring of affected areas, emergency response, search and rescue, research support, and archeological studies. These functions would not be limited to the 19 state marine parks and 2 large state parks in the affected area, but would extend to other state-owned lands and waters. This capability would also be available to other jurisdictions, as appropriate.

Description of Project: Alaska State Parks/DNR proposes to develop a modest field operations and response capability in four spill affected areas: Prince William Sound, Resurrection Bay, the outer coase of the Kenai Peninsula (Kachemak Bay State Wilderness Park), and Shuyak Island State Park. In each area, a seasonal park ranger would be funded and equiped to perform a variety of field services, using aircraft charters, a small (21') boat, other vehicles. Except for the Prince William Sound unit, each unit would be based out of existing park field offices. Those offices are in Homer, Seward, and Kodiak. The Prince William Sound unit would need a small office in Valdez. Radio communication capability is already in place. The field season would generally extend from April to September.

Specific costs of this proposal are as follows:

Personnel Costs

Prince William Sound State Marine Parks - 1 Ranger I, 8 months @ \$4.0	32.0
Kachemak Bay State Park/State Wilderness Park - 1 Ranger I, 8 months @ 4.0	32.0
Shuyak Island State Park- 1 Ranger I, 8 months @ \$4.0	32.0
Resurrection Bay State Marine Parks - 1 Ranger I, 8 months @ \$4.0	32.0
Pilot and crew for large support vessel - 8 months @\$6.0	48.0

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Travel Costs

Field per diem, meal allowances, total all areas 2.0

Contractual Costs

Air charter, total all areas 10.0

Office rental, Valdez 6.0

Supply Costs

Miscellaneous supplies, total all areas 16.0

Equipment Costs

Boats and related equipment, total all areas 480.0

one large support vessel, four smaller patrol boats

Vehicles and related equipment, total all areas 72.0

Estimated Duration of Project: Indefinite.

Estimated Cost Per Year: Startup cost in 1993 of \$700,000, with annual operational costs of \$200,000 in later years.

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David Stephens
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type - recreation

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Project Number - if assigned _____

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Critical Factors

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YES NO UNKNOWN

- YES NO UNKNOWN 1. Linkage to resources and/or services injured by the Exxon Valdez oil spill.
- YES NO UNKNOWN 2. Technical feasibility.*
- YES NO UNKNOWN 3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

Comments:

Rejected because there is no specific restoration project proposed. This proposal is to hire people to perform Normal DNR responsibilities.

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

FORMAT FOR IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project:

Pay off debt of Valdez Fisheries Development Assoc.

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

[Dotted lines for project description]

Estimated Duration of Project: 1 year

Estimated Cost per Year: \$5 million

Other Comments:

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Title of Project:

Valdez Fisheries Development Association (V.F.D.A)

Justification (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Injury to Fish Prices

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

It is well documented that the Exxon Valdez Oil Spill affected fish prices in Prince William Sound. The V.F.D.A is financially suffering as a result of poor fish prices. The pay off of the V.F.D.A. debt would go a long ways to offset the losses suffered as a result of the oil spill.

Estimated Duration of Project: One year

Estimated Cost per Year: \$5 million

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Lead Agency

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type - endowment

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Comments:

Settlement monies are not to be used to pay injured parties for damages

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

FORMAT FOR IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project: Provide full funding to the Prince William Sound Oil Spill Recovery Institute (Oil Spill Recovery Institute).

Justification: The Oil Spill Recovery Institute was established by the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 to carry-out long-term damage assessment of the EXXON VALDEZ oil spill and research and development of oil clean-up technologies in the arctic and subarctic.

Description of Project: Congress has authorized the federal government to spend \$23 million over a 10-year period to operate the Oil Spill Recovery Institute. The Institute was established by the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration in a cooperative agreement with the PWS Science Center, and the Advisory Board has been chosen, in accordance to the Oil Pollution Act of 1990. The Advisory Board includes representatives from the federal agencies, state agencies, Alaska Natives, citizens from the affected communities, the University of Alaska, and the Science Center. The Institute expects full funding from the Trustees in accordance with the authorization given in the Oil Pollution Act of 1990.

The Oil Pollution Act of 1990, provides the federal Trustees the necessary authorization to obligate \$23 million of the **criminal restitution settlement funds** to support the Oil Spill Recovery Institute for a period of 10 years.

The Advisory Board anxiously awaits recognition and cooperation by the Trustees, and compliance with the Oil Spill Pollution Act of 1990.

Estimated Duration of Project: 10 years

Estimated costs per Year: \$5 million year 1, \$2 million in subsequent years, in accordance with the Oil Pollution Act of 1990.

Other comments: Copies of the Cooperative Agreement, Oil Pollution Act of 1990, and other information are available upon request.

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Cooperating Agency(ies)

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type - tech. support

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Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

FORMAT FOR IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project: Provide funding from the Civil penalties to build a facility for the Prince William Sound Oil Spill Recovery Institute (Oil Spill Recovery Institute) in Cordova, AK.

Justification: The Oil Spill Recovery Institute was established by the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 to carry-out long-term damage assessment of the EXXON VALDEZ oil spill and research and development of oil clean-up technologies in the arctic and subarctic.

Description of Project: The Oil Pollution Act of 1990 did not authorize funding to build a permanent facility. Since the damage assessment and restoration may take longer than the 10 year funding period, and the building of a permanent facility would enhance the Institute's ability to raise continued support after 10 years, and the state has no other facility dedicated to conduct long-term oil spill research and development, it may be prudent to allocate funds from the joint civil penalty settlement to build a facility as opposed to leasing space from the Science Center.

Many of the researchers conducting damage assessment projects in the Sound used Science Center, Alaska Fish and Game, and other make-shift facilities to conduct carry-out field work, but the lack of adequate laboratory facilities required they take live (or otherwise) specimens out of the area (often out of state) for bioassay and analytical work. Many expressed disappointment that such facilities were not available in the Cordova area and that the quality of the research would be improved by the availability of local facilities. The Science Center has had discussions with other organizations in Cordova, Alaska Fish and Game, the Copper River Delta Institute, Department of Environmental Quality, the Forest Service, suggesting that such a facility would be widely supported and greatly enhance the local capability to conduct scientific investigation.

Other comments: A detailed proposal was prepared by McLellan & Copenhagen, Inc. (San Francisco), Minch Ritter Voelckers Architects (Juneau), and HMS, Inc. (Cost Estimators - Anchorage) and is available upon request.

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2. Technical feasibility.*
3. Consistency with applicable Federal and State laws and policies.*

Comments:

* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL
IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project: *Oiled Wildlife Rehabilitation Center*

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Justification

The Valdez oil spill affected many birds and marine mammals. Temporary rehabilitation facilities to treat oiled seabirds and sea otters were established in Valdez, Seward and Homer, but these facilities were closed in the Autumn of 1989. Currently, there is no dedicated facility in Alaska to rehabilitate large numbers of oiled wildlife. If another oil spill were to occur along the Alaskan coast today, our ability to care for oiled wildlife in a properly designed rehabilitation center would be little better than it was in 1989. Our understanding of how to care for oiled sea otters and birds has increased tremendously as a result of rehabilitation programs during the Valdez spill. To prepare for future spills, we need to build an adequate Oiled Wildlife Rehabilitation Center that can respond quickly and professionally.

Description of Project

The objective of this project is to create an Oiled Wildlife Rehabilitation Center for Alaska that can respond quickly and professionally in the event of an oil spill. The center would be designed primarily for sea otters and birds, although a limited number of seals and sea lions could also be treated. The building would have assignable interior space of 16,000 s.f. for: 1) animal cleaning and critical care, 2) veterinary clinic and pathology laboratory, 3) administration, and 4) support services such as animal food preparation. Approximately 20,000 s.f. of outdoor space would be needed for seawater pens and pools and utilities. The capacity of the facility would be 200 sea otters and 500 birds. Our design for such a facility, which would be very suitable for Alaska, has already been used for a sea otter rehabilitation center being planned for California. In Alaska, we would recommend locating the primary rehabilitation center in the vicinity of Anchorage, although the communities of Seward, Valdez and Homer could also be considered. Anchorage is the preferred location because it has an all-weather airport and superior access to supplies and services. In addition to the primary rehabilitation facility,

the center would have trailers that could be transported to remote locations (i.e. greater than 300 miles from the primary facility). These trailers would be used to stabilize oiled wildlife until they could be transported to the primary facility. Finally, a pre-release facility consisting of large, ocean pens is needed for the preemptive capture of unoiled sea otters and to hold rehabilitated sea otters until they are released by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Once built, the center should be staffed by professional wildlife rehabilitators that can train volunteers, conduct educational programs for the oil industry and public, and ensure that the facility is in constant readiness to respond to an oil spill. Two groups that have this expertise and currently serve as consultants to the oil industry in Alaska are International Wildlife Research (for marine mammals) and the International Bird Rescue and Research Center (for birds). These two groups are currently collaborating in the operation of a temporary rehabilitation center for oiled birds and sea otters located in Anchorage.

Estimated Duration of Project: Permanent and on-going

Estimated Cost: One-time site purchase and construction cost would be about \$6 M. This is based on a cost analysis for a similar facility being planned for California. Annual operating costs (some of which would come from the oil industry as it presently does) are estimated at \$250,000.

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SERVICES

Oil Spill Contingency Planning and Response: IWR provides expertise for preparing and executing oil spill response operations for marine mammals and turtles. IWR is available to help responsible government agencies and the oil industry prepare wildlife oil spill contingency plans. In addition, IWR is prepared to fully organize a capture and rehabilitation program for oiled marine mammals and turtles. Our methods for cleaning and treating fur-bearing marine mammals are also directly applicable to terrestrial mammals such as fox, bears and caribou.

Research: IWR has an ongoing program of research to improve rehabilitation procedures for oiled fur-bearing mammals. Researchers at IWR developed the current methods of cleaning oiled sea otters and seals that proved so successful following the *Valdez* oil spill. At IWR, we continue to investigate and test methods that will shorten the rehabilitation process, reduce the stress associated with captivity, increase the survivorship of oiled animals, and reduce the overall cost of wildlife rehabilitation. This commitment to research is demonstrated by IWR's extensive list of publications.

Training: At the request of the U. S. Department of the Interior, IWR has produced a series of video programs designed to train representatives from the oil industry, government agencies, and concerned citizens in rehabilitating oiled sea otters and other fur-bearing mammals. IWR is organizing national workshops that will provide hands-on experience and intensive training on the cleaning and care of oiled marine mammals.

HOW OIL AFFECTS MARINE AND TERRESTRIAL MAMMALS

Contact with oil has two types of effects on mammals. First, it destroys the insulation of fur-bearing mammals. This is a serious problem for marine mammals such as sea otters and fur seals. Without the insulation of their fur, these mammals can rapidly die from hypothermia. Secondly, many types of oil contain toxic compounds which, if absorbed or ingested, can debilitate or kill animals. The primary goal of a rehabilitation program is to clean and restore the insulation of the fur and to counteract the toxic effects of the oil. At the same time, it is important to recognize that stress associated with captivity and rehabilitation can be equally damaging to the health of a wild animal. Every effort must be made to minimize this stress if the rehabilitation program is going to be successful.

THE REHABILITATION PROCESS

There are four phases in the rehabilitation process: capture, cleaning, recovery and release. Earlier research by the staff of IWR had shown that Dawn™ dish washing detergent was effective and safe for cleaning oiled sea otters and other fur-bearing mammals. After sedation, the animal is washed with repeated applications of detergent until all traces of oil on the fur or skin are removed. Afterwards, the animal is thoroughly rinsed with fresh water. Rinsing is very important because residual detergent in the fur prevents the pelage from regaining its water repellency and thermal insulation. After washing and rinsing, the animal's fur is dried with high speed pet blowers at room temperature. Each phase of the cleaning process (i.e. washing, rinsing

and drying) requires about one hour. After recovery from sedation, the animal is taken to an outdoor holding pen where it can groom and feed. When fully recovered, the animal is released under the direction of the responsible government agency or trustee.

BACKGROUND

IWR was formed by the directors of the Sea Otter Rehabilitation Program during the 1989 *Valdez* oil spill. Although 29 oil spills have been larger than *Valdez*, the March 1989 accident represented the first oil spill to affect a large number of sea otters. At the request of the U. S. Department of the Interior, the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, and EXXON Company USA, the directors of IWR initiated an unprecedented effort to rescue and treat sea otters that became oiled. Rehabilitation facilities in Valdez, Seward, and Homer remained in operation until September, 1989. At its peak, the sea otter rehabilitation program had over 350 paid and volunteer staff, 11 capture vessels, and a dedicated helicopter to transport otters from the capture boats to the rehabilitation centers. The three centers treated a total of 357 sea otters and released 197 adult otters into Prince William Sound and along the Kenai Peninsula at the direction of the USFWS. Two years after the *Valdez* oil spill, members of IWR continue to evaluate the effectiveness of rehabilitation techniques and the long-term effects of oil on marine mammals. This has contributed enormously to the wildlife rehabilitation community's understanding of what is needed to successfully rescue and treat sea otters and other fur-bearing mammals after an oil spill. IWR has taken the lessons from the *Valdez* oil spill and over a decade of research to develop state-of-the-art techniques for treating oiled marine and terrestrial mammals.

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Project Number - if assigned _____

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL
FORMAT FOR PUBLIC IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project: Sport Fish Biologist for Cordova.

Justification: Eastern Prince William Sound (PWS) has a Commercial Fish Biologist but no Sport Fish Biologist. There has been little work done on the sport fish population, habitat, and management. Due the higher mortality and slower growth of fish in oiled areas, there will be more demand on the fish populations in the eastern portion of (PWS).

Description of Project: Place a Sport Fish Biologist in Cordova for the ongoing management of the sport fish population.

Estimated Duration of Project: 15 Years

Estimated Cost per Year: \$50,000.

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✓ Lead Agency

ADFG

Cooperating Agency(ies)

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Critical Factors

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Comments:

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Title of Project:

TRANS ALASKA PIPELINE REMOVAL PROJECT

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Fundamental cause of injured resource

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Objectives: Removal of trans Alaska pipeline

Location: Prudoe Bay to Valdez

Rationale: Eliminate oil spill hazards from shipment of Prudoe Bay oil.

Technical approach: Reverse engineering

Estimated Duration of Project: 2 years

Estimated Cost per Year: unknown

Other Comments:

Name, Address, Telephone:

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Comments:

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EXXON VALDEZ OIL SPILL TRUSTEE COUNCIL

FORMAT FOR IDEAS FOR RESTORATION PROJECTS

Title of Project:

Assess long term changes in Alaska's marine Environment caused by pollution

Justification: (Link to Injured Resource or Service)

Assess effects of oil spills in general

Description of Project: (e.g. goal(s), objectives, location, rationale, and technical approach)

Begin a long term study of the effects of pollution on the marine environment. Begin study from seaward as this is where UAF bases its ship facilities. Other coastal states are performing similar study. Determine changes in the marine environment by measuring nutrients, primary production, plankton, larval fish, hydrocarbons and others. Samples would be archived for future research.

Estimated Duration of Project: multi year

Estimated Cost per Year: no estimate provided

Other Comments: letter referenced attachment - not included

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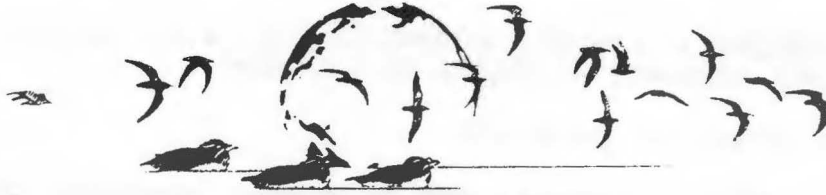
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* Restoration Framework, 1992, pp 43-44.

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Re: Comments on Use of Restoration Trust Funds

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Dear Dr. Gibbons:

This letter constitutes the Pacific Seabird Group's (PSG) comments on the following:

- Restoration Framework (April 1992)
- 1992 Draft Work Plan (April 1992)
- Solicitation for suggestions for the 1993 Work Plan.

PSG is an international organization that was founded in 1972 to promote knowledge, study and conservation of Pacific seabirds. PSG qualifies as a nonprofit corporation under § 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

As PSG enters its third decade, it draws its 500 members from the entire Pacific Basin, including Russia, Canada, Japan, China, Mexico, Australia, and New Zealand. A substantial portion of PSG's membership resides in Alaska. Among PSG's members are biologists who have research interests in Pacific seabirds, state and federal officials who manage seabird refuges, and individuals with interests in marine conservation. We believe that no other organization has comparable expertise concerning the biology of the seabirds in the North Pacific Ocean. We enclose a summary of PSG's annual meetings since 1973 that highlights our scientific and management expertise. PSG was host to symposia on the biology and management of virtually every seabird species that

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restoration options from the perspective of whether they benefit more than a single resource. PSG's preferred options generally would benefit an entire community of seabirds (and sometimes other organisms), not just a single species.

Potential Restoration Alternatives. PSG strongly agrees that federal and state management authorities should use their regulatory powers to modify human uses of resources or habitats that the spill injured. We note that such efforts would not exhaust any of the restoration trust fund but would merely require that the state and federal natural resource agencies enforce the laws or redirect their programs. For example, we agree that authorities should curtail the hunting seasons for sea ducks (Option 8) and that authorities should manage commercial fisheries to reduce the incidental mortality of Marbled Murrelets in drift gillnets (Option 9). We note that taking Marbled Murrelets without a permit violates the Migratory Bird Treaty Act. Although not mentioned, PSG suggests that logging, both on government and private lands, be curtailed in uplands that are prime habitat for Marbled Murrelets or Harlequin Ducks. U.S. Forest Service lands that contain Marbled Murrelets should not be logged for at least a decade.

PSG also agrees that habitat acquisition could be a useful means of restoring the actual or equivalent resources that the spill injured. PSG strongly endorses Option 23 (acquisition of additional marine bird habitat). Because land acquisition can be extremely expensive, the Trustees should ensure that any lands purchased are valuable to seabirds and that the purchase passes muster under a cost/benefit analysis. PSG urges the Trustees to purchase the best seabird islands, not just "what's for sale." Moreover, the Trustees should consider the use of conservation easements rather than outright purchase. Often, restrictions on use and development will provide adequate protection at less cost, allowing more colonies to be protected.

PSG wishes to highlight several potential restoration options that seem to be especially promising. Increasing wildlife management in parks and refuges (Option 7) would be very useful for marine birds. The U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS), the National Park Service, and state agencies should hire or redirect their staffs to manage parks and refuges to improve marine bird habitat. The USA-USSR (1976) and USA-Japan (1972) migratory bird treaties provide ample incentive for agencies to manage seabird colonies to remove alien predators such as foxes. Article VI(c) of the Japan treaty requires this nation to take measures to control the introduction of live animals that disturb the ecological balance of island ecosystems. Article II of the Soviet treaty provides similar protection. Article IV(1) of the Soviet treaty requires this nation to abate detrimental alteration of the environment of migratory birds.

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should be available for public comment by December 1992. PSG observes that the Trustees have not committed \$18.2 million in restoration trust funds that could be spent in 1992.

PSG supports all of the damage assessment projects that the Trustees have funded this year — boat surveys to determine the distribution and abundance of migratory birds in Prince William Sound (Bird Study No. 2); surveys of murre colonies in spill area (Bird Study No. 3); assessment of Marbled Murrelets sites, Fork-tailed Storm-petrels, Black-legged Kittiwakes, and Pigeon Guillemots (Bird Studies No. 6-9); assessment of injury to sea ducks by hydrocarbon uptake (Bird Study No. 11); and assessment of shorebird injuries (Bird Study No. 12). PSG believes that understanding the magnitude of harm is important to decide the types and extent of restoration activities that may be necessary.

The Trustees have asked for comment on several restoration projects that it has funded for 1992. PSG is primarily interested in four restoration projects: murre restoration (No. 11, funded at \$317 K); Marbled Murrelet restoration (No. 15, funded at \$419 K); Harlequin Duck restoration (No. 71, funded at \$425 K); and impacts of contaminated mussels on Harlequin Ducks and Black Oystercatchers (No. 103C, funded at \$176 K). PSG generally supports each of these projects. In particular, the studies on Marbled Murrelet and Harlequin Duck habitat requirements should prove to be very useful in assessing potential land acquisitions for these species. The Harlequin Duck study should assist federal and state forestry agencies in establishing the width of forested buffer strips that are necessary to protect their breeding sites.

PSG is disappointed that the Trustees have not funded Option 17 (removal of foxes and other alien predators from seabird colonies). The Trustees have funded four seabird projects at a cost of \$1,337,000 for 1992. While PSG cannot evaluate whether such large amounts are appropriate, it suggests that in future years the Trustees apply the cost/benefit criterion discussed above to these projects. PSG would have difficulty justifying any of these projects as a priority above the unfunded Option 17 (removal of alien predators from seabird colonies). As we have discussed above and in previous letters to the Trustees, predator removal has the highest yield of any action that the Trustees or the agencies might take to increase the populations of the marine birds that the oil spill killed. Option 17 can be implemented immediately, even during the 1992 field season using some of the \$18.2 million of unobligated trust funds.

PSG also urges the Trustees to persuade FWS (and, where appropriate, other federal and state agencies), to fund predator removal through the agencies' normal budgetary processes. FWS, for example, had budgeted \$50,000 for fiscal year 1992 to remove foxes from islands in the Alaska Maritime National Wildlife

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Annual meetings of the Pacific Seabird Group

<u>Year</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Symposia</u>
1973-74	Bolinas, CA	Organizational meeting
1974-75	Seattle, WA	Biology of the alcids
1975-76	Monterey, CA	Seabird conservation on the California coast
1976-77	Monterey, CA	Shorebirds in the marine environment*
1977-78	Victoria, BC	Black-legged Kittiwake reproduction
1978-79	Monterey, CA	Food availability and reproductive success Investigator bias in assessing seabird nesting success
1979-80	Monterey, CA	
1980-81	Tuscon, AZ	
1981-82	Seattle, WA	Feeding ecology of marine waterfowl and pelagic birds* Seabird - commercial fisheries interactions*
1982-83	Honolulu, HI	Tropical seabirds* Human disturbance at seabird colonies
1983-84	Monterey, CA	
1984-85	Long Beach, CA	Biology of terns
1985-86	San Francisco, CA	Biology of gulls*
1986-87	La Paz, Mexico	Biology of seabirds in the Gulf of California
1987-88	Monterey, CA	Alcids at sea* Marbled Murrelet management*
1988-89	Washington, DC	Wading bird reproduction in 1988
1989-90	Victoria, BC	Status, ecology and conservation of seabirds of the North Pacific Ocean*
1990-91	Monterey, CA	
1991-92	Charleston, OR	
1992-93	Seattle, WA	Seabird conservation in the Pacific Northwest

*published or in press

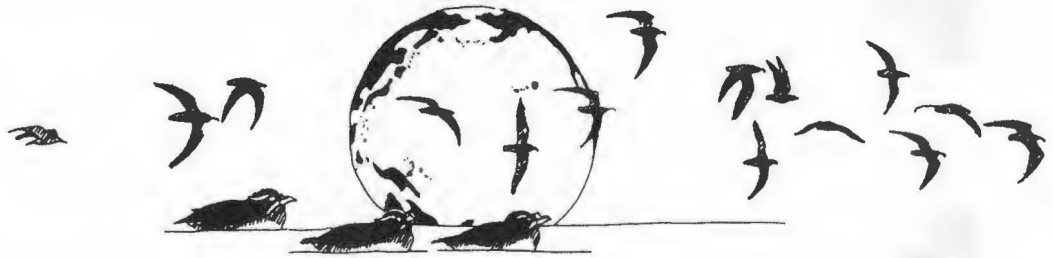
What is the Pacific Seabird Group?

THE PACIFIC SEABIRD GROUP, INC. is a scientific, non-profit organization dedicated to the study and conservation of seabirds and their environment. PSG was formed in 1972 out of a need for better communication among seabird researchers. Through research supported by a variety of agencies and organizations, many PSG members are working to learn more of the secrets of seabird biology, to gather information needed to protect seabird nesting, feeding, and wintering areas, to restore seabirds to islands where introduced predators have wreaked havoc, and to minimize the effects of human activities on the seabirds' world.

THE PACIFIC SEABIRD GROUP takes a broad international perspective in recognition that distant areas are tied by the wanderings of seabirds and the continuity of ocean waters. Our membership includes professional biologists, wildlife managers, students, conservationists, and others from the United States and 15 other countries. PSG promotes international communication between seabird biologists through joint meetings with other groups, such as the 1983 meeting with the Australasian Seabird Group and the 1985 meeting with the Colonial Waterbird Group.

The Executive Board also reflects PSG's international perspectives and concerns. Representatives from 11 regions representing portions of the United States, Canada, Mexico, Central and South America, the South Pacific, and Europe, work with the Chairman, Chairman-elect, Secretary, Treasurer, and PSG Bulletin Editor to plan and direct the organization's activities.

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Current Activities

ANNUAL MEETINGS: At yearly conferences, researchers share their discoveries and conservation concerns with each other and the public. Reflecting the international distribution of Pacific seabirds, PSG Annual Meetings are often attended by people from throughout the world, including Mexico, Canada, Central & South America, Africa, the United Kingdom, Australia, and Japan. Attendees benefit from the support, constructive criticisms, and insights of fellow participants, as well as from the exchange of scientific reports. Student presentations and reviews of ongoing research are encouraged.

SYMPOSIA: Specialized symposia on specific problems are organized to facilitate exchange and dissemination of information. Symposia proceedings are often published. Past symposia include: "Shorebirds in the Marine Environment", "Tropical Seabird Biology", "The Effects of Human Disturbances on Seabird Colonies", "Marine Birds: Their Feeding Ecology and Commercial Fisheries Relationships", and "Impact of the 1982-83 El Niño on Seabird Biology". A variety of other symposia are being organized, including workshops on terns, alcid, nongame waterbirds, and seabird use of man-made versus natural wetlands.

Committees

STANDING COMMITTEES: Three standing committees work to further PSG's goals. Members are encouraged to participate and contribute to the activities of the committees.

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE: This committee takes an active role in promoting conservation of seabirds. Current activities include keeping all PSG members apprised of issues and legislation relating to seabird conservation, developing a booklet for seabird researchers on minimizing disturbance of nesting colonies, and organizing a workshop on nongame waterbird conservation. The Conservation Committee often provides support for seabird conservation measures, and criticism of activities that will likely harm seabirds or the marine environment.

FISHERIES—SEABIRD INTERACTIONS COMMITTEE: In recognition of the serious conflicts that can and do occur between some commercial fisheries and seabird conservation, a special committee is established to work specifically on this complex conservation problem. Incidental take of seabirds in fishing nets and traps, and potential conflicts over food resources are two of the problems with which this committee is concerned.

SCIENTIFIC TRANSLATIONS COMMITTEE: This committee is concerned with translations into English of research papers of interest to seabird biologists. Through the efforts of this committee, members are kept informed of translations available to them.

Publications

THE PACIFIC SEABIRD GROUP BULLETIN
Issued twice annually, the Bulletin summarizes organization activities, informs members of current seabird conservation issues, reports from regional representation about ongoing seabird research and conservation problems in their areas, along with reviews of recent books on birds, and other information of interest to members. Members receive the Bulletin.

INTERNATIONAL SEABIRD MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORY
Published in 1984. Contains the names and addresses of members of PSG, the Colonial Waterbird Group, Australasian Seabird Group, African Seabird Group, and The Waterbird Group (United Kingdom).

SHOREBIRDS IN MARINE ENVIRONMENTS.
A collection of 25 papers by 39 authors resulting from 1979 symposium sponsored by the Pacific Seabird Group. Edited by F. A. Pitelka and published by the Cooper Ornithological Society as Number 2 in the Studies in Avian Biology series. 261pp. Available to PSG members at reduced cost.

MARINE BIRDS: THEIR FEEDING BIOLOGY AND COMMERCIAL FISHERIES RELATIONSHIPS.
A collection of 23 papers by 39 authors presented at a 1979 PSG symposium in Seattle, WA. Edited by D.N. Nettles, G.A. Sanger, and P.F. Springer and published by the Canadian Wildlife Service. Available free to attendees and PSG members.

TROPICAL SEABIRD BIOLOGY.
Proceedings of an international symposium held by PSG in 1983 in Honolulu, HI. Contains 6 review papers on feeding, physiology, breeding strategies, and ecology of tropical seabirds. Edited by R. A. Schreiber and published by the Cooper Ornithological Society as Number 8 in the Studies in Avian Biology series. 114 pp. Available to PSG members at reduced cost.

