

Tactics Legend

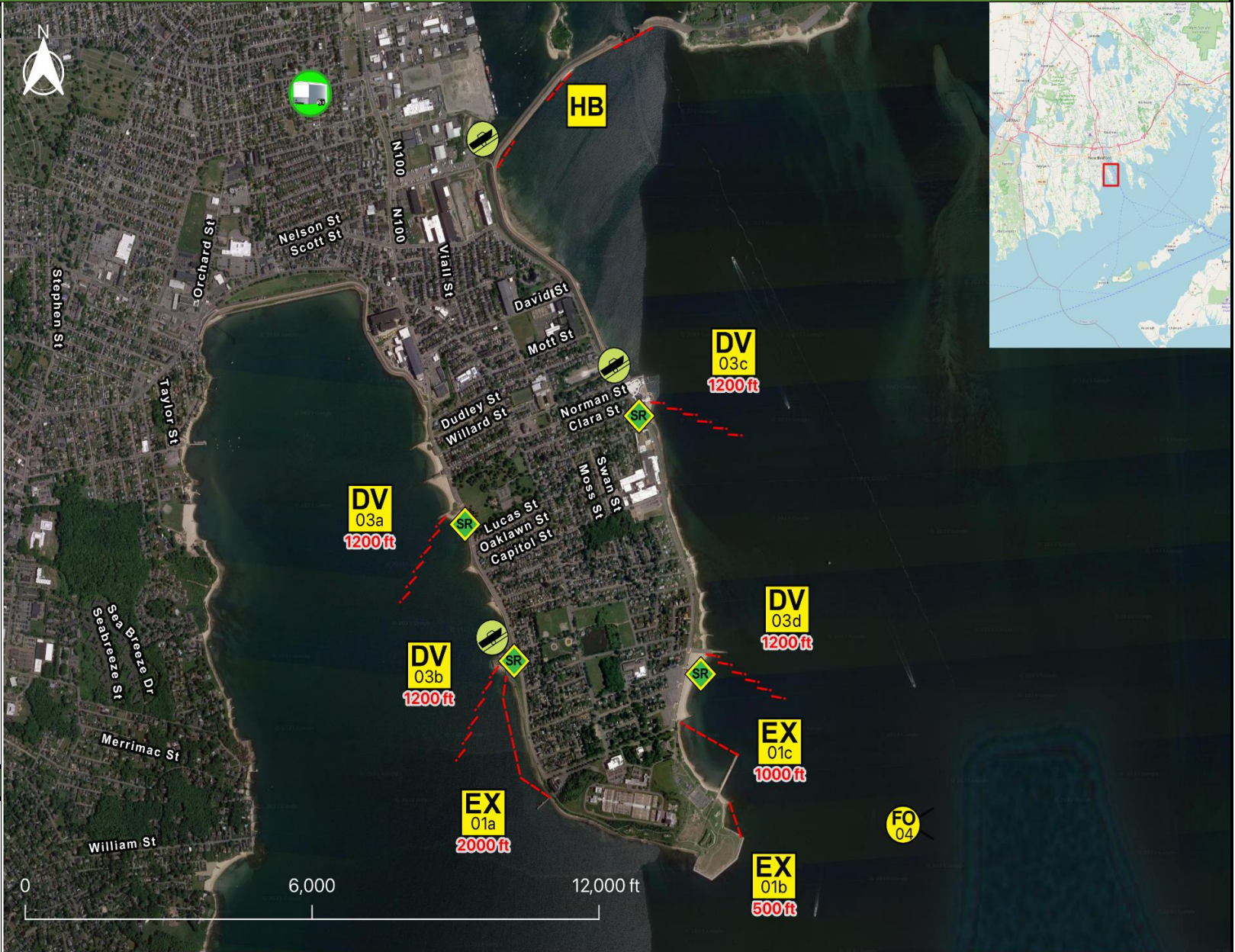
- DF** Deflection Booming
- DV** Diversion Booming
- EX** Exclusion Booming
- FO** Free Oil Recovery
- PR** Passive Recovery
- SR** Shoreside Recovery
- S** Staging Area
-  Boat Ramp
- BB** Beach Berm
- TG** Tide Gate
-  Protected-Water Boom
-  Open-Water Boom
-  Snare/ Sorbent Boom

Equipment - All Tactics

Boom(ft)	8300
Marine anchors	42
Shore anchors	10
Sorbent Boom(ft)	0
FO Recovery Sys	1
Shore Responders	2
Boat Responders	9
Boats	3

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Response Trailer, Tactics Deployment, and Responder Safety Information










A total of 9 state response trailers are required to implement all the tactics in this GRS. Responders should always consider on-scene conditions before deploying GRP tactics. Tactics may not be safe or effective under certain conditions. Responder safety should always be the first priority.

Location

**Latitude:** 41°36'4" N  
**Longitude:** 70°54'25" W  
**NOAA Chart #** 13230

# Geographic Response Strategy

# New Bedford Outer Harbor BB08

Tactic #	Purpose	Response Equipment	Deployment Resources	Deployment Notes
<b>EX-01a</b> 	Prohibit oil slicks from entering a sensitive area	2000 ft protected water boom 10 marine anchor system 2 shoreline anchor system	2 shore responders 2 response boats 6 boat responders	Tend through tidal changes. Deploy boom as depicted to exclude oil from sensitive areas. Anchor every 200-300'. Not tide dependent. Deploy shoreside anchor first.
		N/A	Testing Date	
<b>EX-01b</b> 	Prohibit oil slicks from entering a sensitive area	500 ft protected water boom 3 marine anchor system 2 shoreline anchor system	2 shore responders 1 response boats 3 boat responders	Tend through tidal changes. Deploy boom as depicted to exclude oil from sensitive areas. Anchor every 200-300'. Not tide dependent. Deploy shoreside anchor first.
		N/A	Testing Date	
<b>EX-01c</b> 	Prohibit oil slicks from entering a sensitive area	1000 ft protected water boom 5 marine anchor system 2 shoreline anchor system	2 shore responders 2 response boats 6 boat responders	Tend through tidal changes. Deploy boom as depicted to exclude oil from sensitive areas. Anchor every 200-300'. Not tide dependent. Deploy shoreside anchor first.
		N/A	Testing Date	
<b>SR-02</b> 	Remove spilled oil that has been diverted to a designated recovery site accessible from shore	4 skimming system 4 storage tank or bladder 4 hoses, pumps, fittings	2 shore responders	Set up shoreside recovery tactic at general location depicted on map. Some access points located at private residences. Access may be difficult.
		N/A	Testing Date	
<b>DV-03a</b> 	Redirect spilled oil from one location or direction of travel to a specific site for recovery.	1200 ft protected water boom 6 marine anchor system 1 shoreline anchor system	2 shore responders 2 response boats 6 boat responders	Tend through tidal changes. Deploy boom as depicted to divert incoming oil to the collection site. Anchor every 200-300'. Adjust angle as necessary to reduce entrainment. Set up shoreside recovery and tend throughout tide. Deploy shoreside anchor first.
		N/A	Testing Date	
<b>DV-03b</b> 	Redirect spilled oil from one location or direction of travel to a specific site for recovery.	1200 ft protected water boom 6 marine anchor system 1 shoreline anchor system	2 shore responders 2 response boats 6 boat responders	Tend through tidal changes. Deploy boom as depicted to divert incoming oil to the collection site. Anchor every 200-300'. Adjust angle as necessary to reduce entrainment. Set up shoreside recovery and tend throughout tide. Deploy shoreside anchor first.
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<b>DV-03d</b> 	Redirect spilled oil from one location or direction of travel to a specific site for recovery.	1200 ft protected water boom 6 marine anchor system 1 shoreline anchor system	2 shore responders 2 response boats 6 boat responders	Tend through tidal changes. Deploy boom as depicted to divert incoming oil to the collection site. Anchor every 200-300'. Adjust angle as necessary to reduce entrainment. Set up shoreside recovery and tend throughout tide. Deploy shoreside anchor first.
		N/A	Testing Date	
<b>FO-04</b> 	Contain and recover spilled oil on the water in the offshore & nearshore environment	1 or more onwater skimming systems		Deploy on-water recovery task force(s) in configuration suitable for types of vessels used and sea conditions, with skimming system(s) and temporary storage for recovered oil and water. Location not exact, will move to chase oil.
		N/A	Testing Date	

Local contacts

New Bedford Fire Dept.	<a href="tel:5089916104">(508) 991-6104</a>
New Bedford Harbor Development	<a href="tel:5089613000">(508) 961-3000</a>
New Bedford Shellfish Warden	<a href="tel:5089916289">(508) 991-6289</a>
U.S. Army Corp of Engineers – Canal Control	<a href="tel:5087594431">(508) 759-4431</a>
Massachusetts Dept. of Fish and Wildlife	<a href="tel:5087927270">(508) 792-7270</a>
Fort Phoenix Beach State Reservation (MA DEM)	<a href="tel:5089924524">(508) 992-4524</a>
The Coalition for Buzzards Bay	<a href="tel:5089996363">(508) 999-6363</a>



Davy's Locker Beach (DV-03c) at low tide on 31 May 2004. (RPI photo.)

Resources Protected

Marine Mammals	None identified
Fish	Shellfish, finfish, productive shell fish bed located near end of Clarks Point
Invertebrates	None identified
Birds	Waterfowl concentration
Threat/End. Species	None identified
Cultural	None identified
Subsistence	None identified
Human Use	Aquaculture intake pipe and Community Boating Center located at north end of Clarks Cove, Mooring field public beaches, and Fort Tabor
Commercial Fishing	None identified
Land Management	None identified
Coastal Habitat	Eel grass beds, sand and cobble beaches, shoreline armament, small salt marsh at end of Clarks Point



Collection site at DV-03b on 18 January 2008

Special Considerations & Navigational Hazards

Wastewater treatment plant outflow pipe south of Clarks Point. Minimal current. Large waves can be expected in strong SE wind.