

Geographic Response Strategy Widows Cove BB25						
Tactic #	Purpose	Response Equipment	Deployment Resources	Deployment Notes		
EX-01a	Prohibit oil slicks from entering a sensitive area	1000 ft protected water boom 5 marine anchor system 2 shoreline anchor system Testing Date	2 shore responders 2 response boats 6 boat responders N Tested	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.		
EX-01b	Prohibit oil slicks from entering a sensitive area	300 ft protected water boom	2 shore responders 1 response boats 3 boat responders N Tested	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.		
PR-02	Remove spilled oil by collecting it in a sorbent material	1650 ft sorbent boom 1650 ft sorbent pom-poms 47 anchor stakes N/A Testing Date	2 shore responders Tested	Place and stake snare or sorbent boom in areas that are likely to pool and collect oil and across the mouths of the streams and intertidal areas. Use snare boom for persistent oils and sorbent boom for non-persistent oils. Approach the streams and intertidal areas on rising tide. Replace as necessary to maximize oil recovery.		
PR-02	Remove spilled oil by collecting it in a sorbent material	1400 ft sorbent boom	2 shore responders Tested	Place and stake snare or sorbent boom in areas that are likely to pool and collect oil and across the mouths of the streams and intertidal areas. Use snare boom for persistent oils and sorbent boom for non-persistent oils. Approach the streams and intertidal areas on rising tide. Replace as necessary to maximize oil recovery.		
PR-02	Remove spilled oil by collecting it in a sorbent material	500 ft sorbent boom	2 shore responders Tested	Place and stake snare or sorbent boom in areas that are likely to pool and collect oil and across the mouths of the streams and intertidal areas. Use snare boom for persistent oils and sorbent boom for non-persistent oils. Approach the streams and intertidal areas on rising tide. Replace as necessary to maximize oil recovery.		

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Local contacts	
Wareham Fire Department	<u>(508) 295-2973</u>
Onset Fire Department	(508) 295-2122
Wareham Harbor Master	(508) 291-3100 x 3186
Massachusetts Dept. of Fish and Wildlife	<u>(508) 792-7270</u>
The Coalition for Buzzards Bay	(508) 999-6363

Resources Protected				
Marine Mammals	None identified			
Fish	None identified			
Invertebrates	None identified			
Birds	None identified			
Threat/End. Species	None identified			
Cultural	None identified			
Subsistence	None identified			
Human Use	None identified			
Commercial Fishing	None identified			
Land Management	None identified			
Coastal Habitiat	Marsh system			



Central portion of Widows Cove looking north at low tide on 29 May 2004. (RPI photo)

Site photo provided for reference

Special Considerations & Navigational Hazards

Very strong currents in adjacent Cape Cod Canal.