

ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION
Division of Spill Prevention and Response
Prevention and Emergency Response Program

SITUATION REPORT

INCIDENT NAME: Mile 3.0 Quartz Creek Road Used Oil Response **SITREP #:** 1

SPILL NUMBER: 11239918602 **LEDGER CODE:** requested

TIME/DATE OF SPILL: A person who discovered the spill while recreating at the site reported it to ADEC on Wednesday July 6, 2011.

TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT: 5:00 PM on July 8, 2011

TIME/DATE OF THE NEXT REPORT: As the situation warrants.

TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED: ADEC estimates that as much as 50 gallons of used oil was intentionally dumped into a fresh water pond.

LOCATION: Mile 3.0 Quartz Creek Road, Cooper Landing. Cooper Landing is on the Kenai Peninsula, approximately 100 road miles from Anchorage.

CAUSE OF SPILL: The spill appears to have been intentional. The Alaska State Troopers are conducting an investigation.

POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP): Unknown

RESPONSE ACTION: ADEC personnel responded on July 6, 2011, deployed sorbent materials on the surface of the pond and marked off the area with caution tape.

SOURCE CONTROL: The oil spilled from a 55-gallon drum, which was empty when it was discovered.

RESOURCES AFFECTED: The entire surface and shoreline of the one acre pond have been impacted by the oil. Surface water does not leave the pond, so the oil is confined there. If contaminated water were to escape the pond, it could enter Quartz Creek and waters downstream, including Kenai Lake and Kenai River.

FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS: ADEC has hired Emerald Alaska Inc. to clean up the spill. Cleanup is expected to begin tomorrow.

WEATHER: Tonight – partly cloudy, low temperature in the 40's °F. Tomorrow – sunny, high in the 60's °F.

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