



Statewide Hazardous
Materials Response Team

Ammonia Release Training

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation Prevention and Emergency Response Program co-sponsored the "Preparedness, Safe Handling and Emergency Response to Ammonia" training course in Ketchikan on September 11-13, 2007. The Ketchikan Fire Department hosted and co-sponsored the event (through the use of the federal MMRS grant funding), and the State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management also co-sponsored the training (through the use of federal HMEP grant funds). The event featured classroom instruction, a live release demonstration, and a functional exercise involving response to a simulated ammonia release at a seafood processing facility.