

Pacific States/British Columbia Oil Spill Task Force – Bunkering Best Practices Video



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BUNKERING

BEST PRACTICES TRAINING VIDEO



Printed copies of this manual contain the Bunkering Training Video DVD. To watch the video, click on the below link.

<http://oilspilltaskforce.org/products/bunkering-video/watch-bunkering-video/>

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**OIL SPILL
TASK FORCE**

The barge *Nestucca* in the Columbia River Estuary,
December 24, 1988



Photo by Jon Neel, ECY

The *Exxon Valdez* on Bligh Reef in Prince William Sound, Alaska
grounded March 24, 1989



Photo by Jon Neel, ECV

Task Force Timeline

1988 – WA and B.C. Task Force
Established

1989 – Memorandum of
Cooperation:
AK, CA, OR

2001 – HI joins

2008 – MOU: US Coast
Guard Pacific Area



VADM Charles D. Wurster with
Jean Cameron, May 27, 2008

Member Agencies

AK - Dept of Env'l Conservation

B.C. Ministry of Environment

WA – Dept. of Ecology

OR - Dept. of Environmental Quality

CA - Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

HI - Dept. of Health

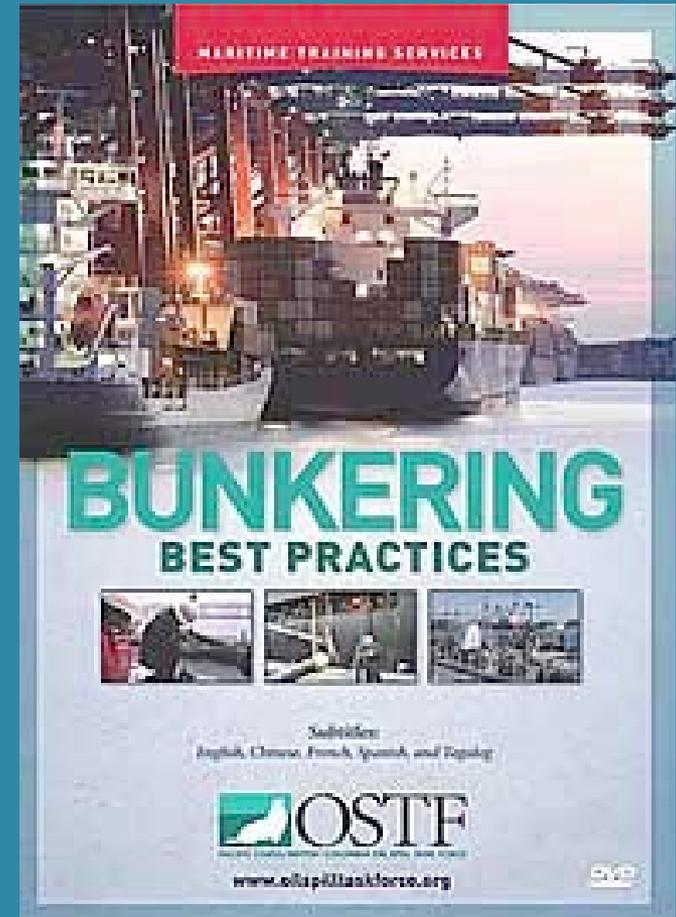


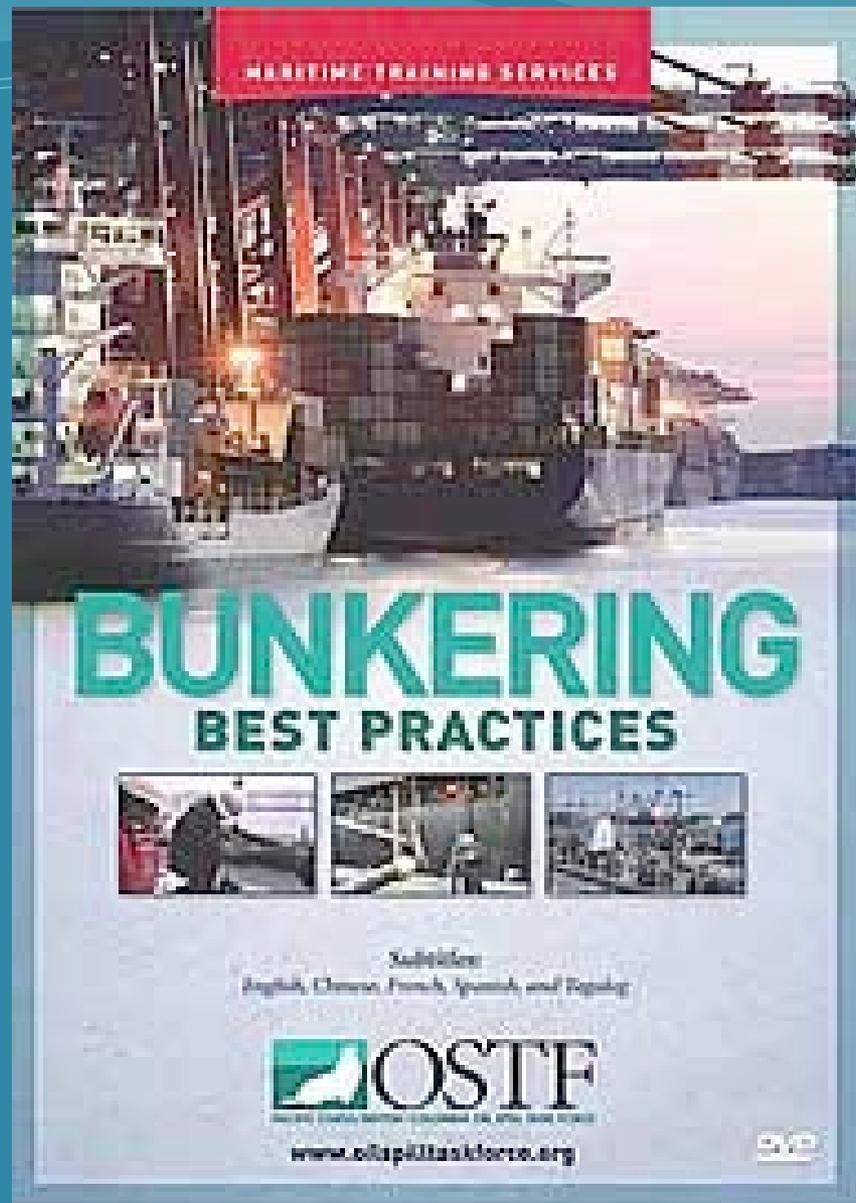
Our Mission: No Spilled Oil

Improve prevention, preparation
and response to oil spills on a
state and provincial level

Our work

1. Collect and share information on oil spills
2. Coordinate and facilitate collaboration
3. Promote regulatory safeguards
4. **Create tools and resources**





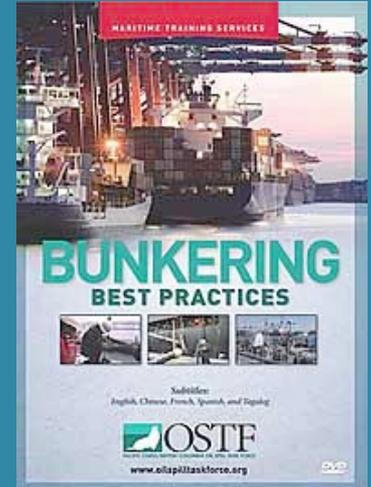
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BUNKERING VIDEO TIMELINE

First Bunkering Video produced in CA

OSPR Administrator asks 5 CA HSCs to develop 'Best Bunkering Practices'

Task Force forms Bunkering Video Work Group



1993 (?)

2009

2011/2012

2013

High profile spill from bunkering operation in San Francisco Bay

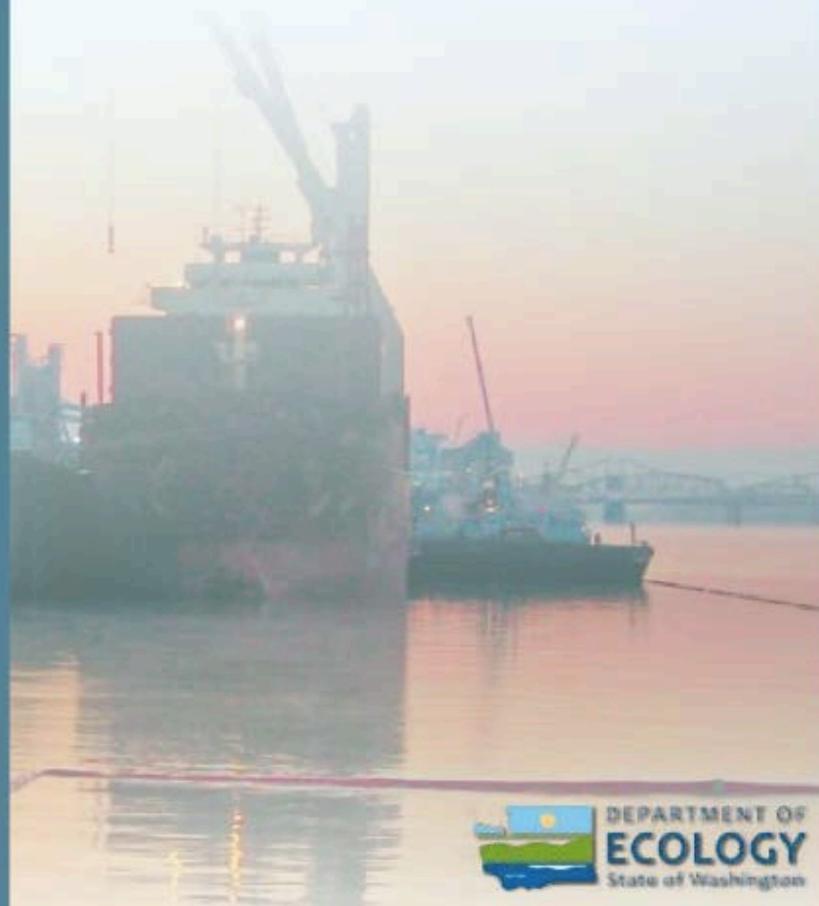
WA Dept of Ecology and USCG in discussions regarding best bunkering practices

Scope of Work developed; Maritime Training Services contracted

March 2013: Bunkering Video released

BUNKERING BEST PRACTICES

**A reference manual for safe bunkering
operations in Washington state.**



Other Task Force Accomplishments

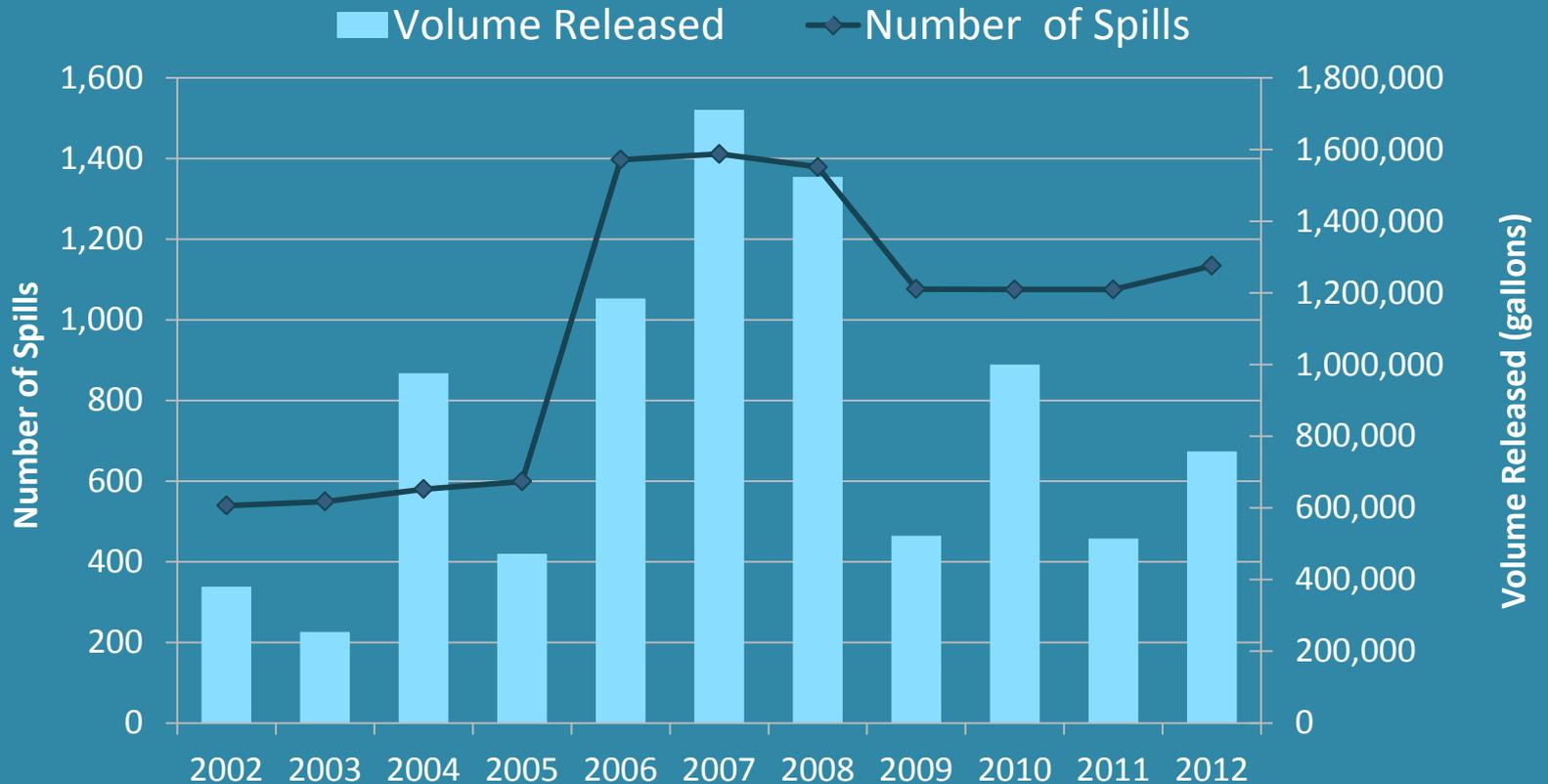
Round-tables

- NRDA
- **Places of Refuge**
- Cruise ships
- **Green ports**
- In-situ dispersants
- **Spills from trucks**
- Oil response readiness
- **Pipelines**

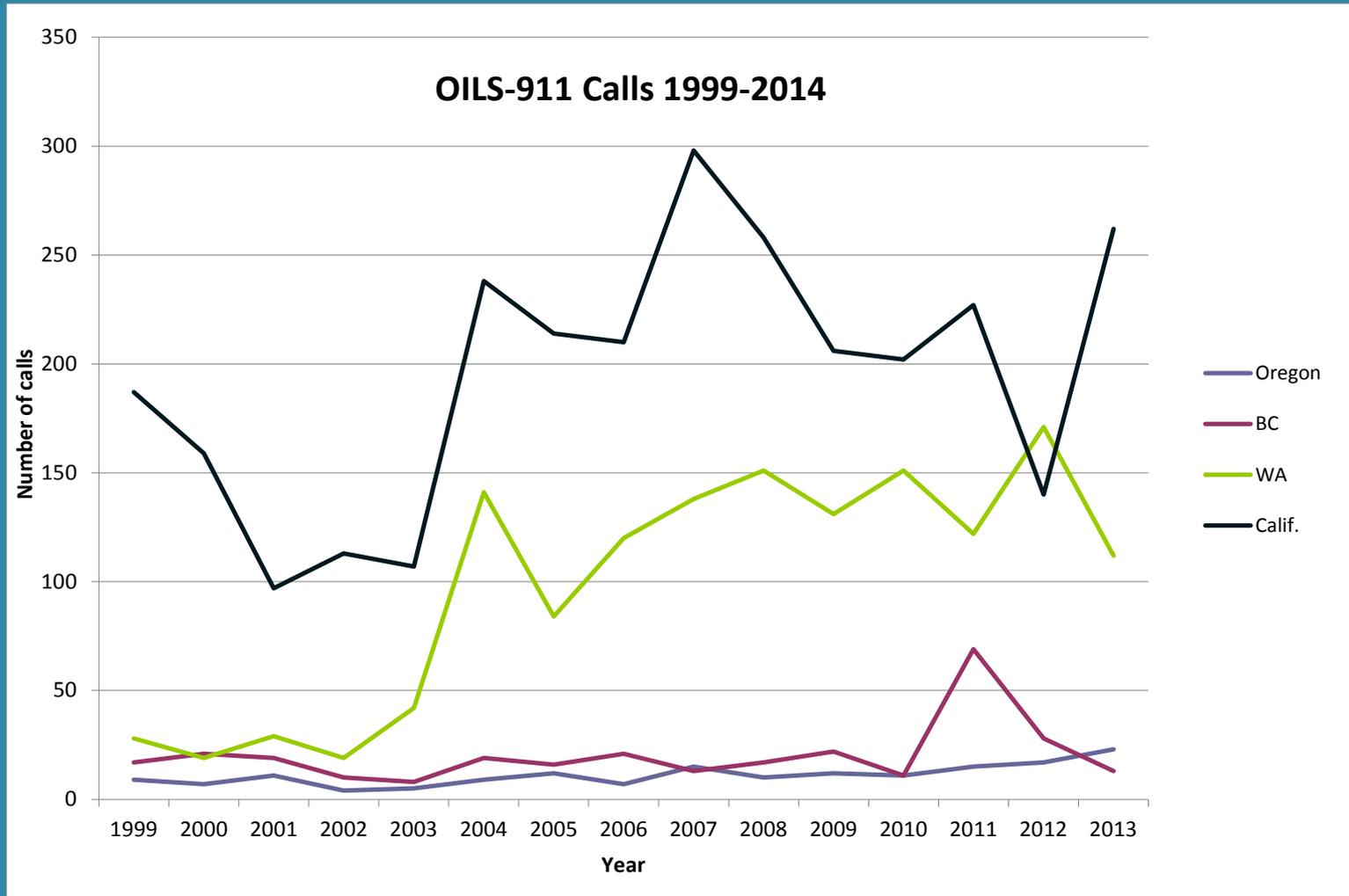


Non-crude Oil Spill Data

Spill Trends (2002-2012)



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Current work

Prevention

- Pacific Northwest crude by rail
- Oil spill data
- Derelict vessels
- POSPET



Source: Railway Age



2014 Annual Meeting, Portland, OR

“Staying on Track and Moving Forward in West Coast Oil Transport”

Online Resources

www.oilspilltaskforce.org



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