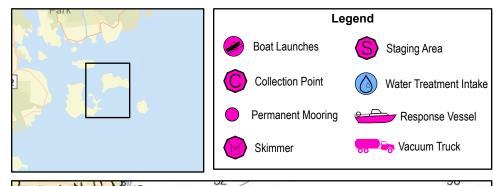
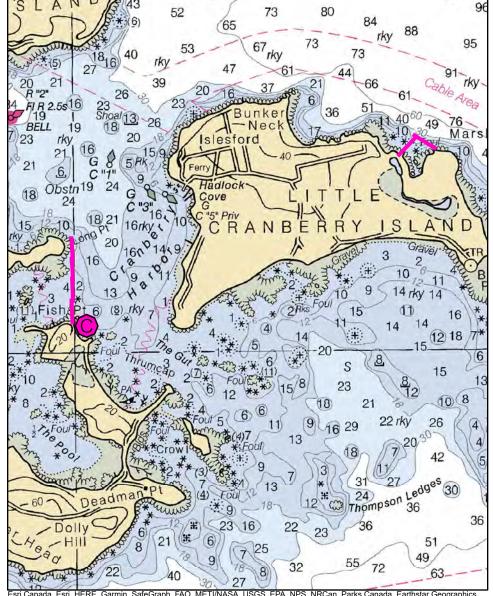
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Latitude 44° 15.198' N Lonaitude 68° 14.591' W

Approx. Tidal Range (feet) 11

Max Current (knots) Flood 1 knot Source Local knowledge estimate

Port Region NOAA Chart # 13318 1 ESI Map # 26A

EVI Map # 62, 57

Penobscot Bay

DeLorme Map # (2019) 16 C3,C4,D3,D4

Resources At Risk

Exposed wave-cut platforms in bedrock, mud. or clay (2A) **ESI Primary Shoreline Type**

ESI Secondary Shoreline Type Mixed sand and gravel beaches (5)

Marsh Head area has island's only salt marsh habitat. Both areas contain eelgrass, shellfish beds and **Environmental Concerns**

Ebb

shorebird habitat. The Pool is a federal coastal barrier resource area. Eagles nest and endangered plant

recorded near Pool.

Great Cranberry: utilize boulder or tree anchors if possible on both north and south ends of boom spread. **Archaeological Conflicts**

Deviations from GRS design will require MHPC review. Contact MHPC at (207) 287-2132.

Strategy Information

Strategy Purpose Primary objective is to divert oil from entering "the Pool" on Great Cranberry Island. Secondary objective is to

block off the inlet to the marsh on Little Cranberry Island.

Great Cranberry: Town dock on Great Cranberry Road. Could probably also pull boom from here. **Staging Areas**

Little Cranberry: Town dock at 1 Main Street, Islesford. May be able to pull boom from here or closer to booming

site from private residence at end of Bunker's Head Road.

Site Access See staging areas

Nearest Boat Ramp Southwest Harbor all tide boat ramp. Shore Road (Mount Desert mainland). Best access may be from Beal &

Bunker barge service out of Northeast Harbor: (207) 244-3575

Collection Points Limited. Primarily exclusion. May be able to do some collection from sand and gravel area at south end of

strategy for Great Cranberry Island.

Land adjacent to "The Pool" is owned by Acadia National Park. Contact Acadia National Park: Bob Bechtold, **Special Instructions**

Park Environmental and Safety Program Coordinator: 207-888-8752 or 207-664-8814 after hours. National Park

Service numbers: 888-614-0672 or 888-809-7095.

Great Cranberry: Deploy four 500 foot lengths of boom spanning from Fish Point to Long Point. **Work Assignment**

Little Cranberry: Protect the marsh on Little Cranberry Island's Marsh Head by placing two to four lengths of boom totaling 1200 feet in length alongshore to protect and exclude oil from entering the marsh. Difficult due to

rocks in vicinity. Use caution.

Recommended Equipment / Resources

Length of Boom (feet) 2800

Equipment (Minimum)

Recommended

Great Cranberry Island:

6 - anchor systems: 35 lb. Danforth or equivalent and line for 3:1 scope plus tag lines and buoys.

2 - shoreside connections

1 - vacuum truck or skimmer and storage

2 - workboats with minimum 90 hp

2 - boat operators

4 - laborers

Type of Boom 12" to 28" containment boom

Little Cranberry Island:

2 to 5 - anchor systems: 35 lb. Danforth or equivalent and line for 3:1 scope plus tag lines and buoys.

2 - shoreside connections

2 - workboats with minimum 90 hp

2 - boat operators

4 - laborers

Unless otherwise indicated, the boom length given is the distance measured on the chart. Actual length required may vary with conditions.

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