

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

**SITUATION REPORT**

**INCIDENT NAME:** Horizon Rollover-Byers Creek      **SITREP #:** 3 and Final

**SPILL NUMBER:** 06239917202      **LEDGER CODE:** 14931460

**TIME/DATE OF SPILL:** 1:30 AM on June 21, 2006. The spill was reported to ADEC by the State Troopers at 3:30 AM on June 21, 2006. An ADEC responder was on site at 5:30 AM on June 21, 2006.

**TIME/DATE OF SITUATION REPORT:** 1:30 PM on September 11, 2006.

**TIME/DATE OF THE NEXT REPORT:** This is the final sitrep.

**TYPE/AMOUNT OF PRODUCT SPILLED:** An estimated 130 gallons of diesel fuel, and small undetermined amounts of engine fluids, oil, and antifreeze were spilled.

**LOCATION:** Mile 145 of the Parks Highway near Byers Creek.

**CAUSE OF SPILL:** Tractor trailer accident.

**POTENTIAL RESPONSIBLE PARTY (PRP):** Horizon Lines of Alaska LLC

**RESPONSE ACTION:** On July 9, 2006 ADEC received the analytical result from soil samples taken from both cleanup areas on the north and south sides of Byers Creek. The sample analysis verified field screening information that soil cleanup measures were well below State soil cleanup levels at both cleanup locations.

On August 18, 2006 Big State Logistics completed the spill cleanup, by filling the excavations with specified materials required by the Department of Transportation. The reseeded of vegetation was completed under guidance provided by the Department of Natural Resources.

On September 11, 2006 ADEC received the Final Environmental Site Assessment and Cleanup Report. The report was reviewed in accordance with the State of Alaska Oil and Hazardous Substance Pollution Control Regulations (18 AAC 75) and found adequate.

**SOURCE CONTROL:** The remaining fuel in the tank was lightered by Big State Logistics into 55 gallon drums. Absorbent pads were used in the areas where the fuel was spilled and boom was placed in Byers Creek. The contaminated areas were delineated and the contaminated soil was removed by Big State Logistics using a small track excavator. A total of 125.43 tons of diesel-contaminated soils were removed and transported to Alaska Soil Recycling for treatment by thermal remediation.

**RESOURCES AFFECTED:** The banks and waters of Byers Creek, an anadromous stream. No oiled wildlife has been observed.

**FUTURE PLANS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:** ADEC will issue a "No Further Remedial Action" letter and start the cost recovery process in the next couple of days.

**WEATHER:** Cloudy, rain showers, highs in the low 50's, winds south, 5 to 15 mph.

**UNIFIED COMMAND AND PERSONNEL:**

Incident Commander: Marion Davis (Horizon Lines)  
 F.O.S.C. : Matt Carr (EPA)  
 S.O.S.C. : Gary Folley (ADEC)  
 Field S.O.S.C.: John Brown (ADEC)

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONTACT:**

John Brown at 269-7688 or 907-748-1639 (cell)

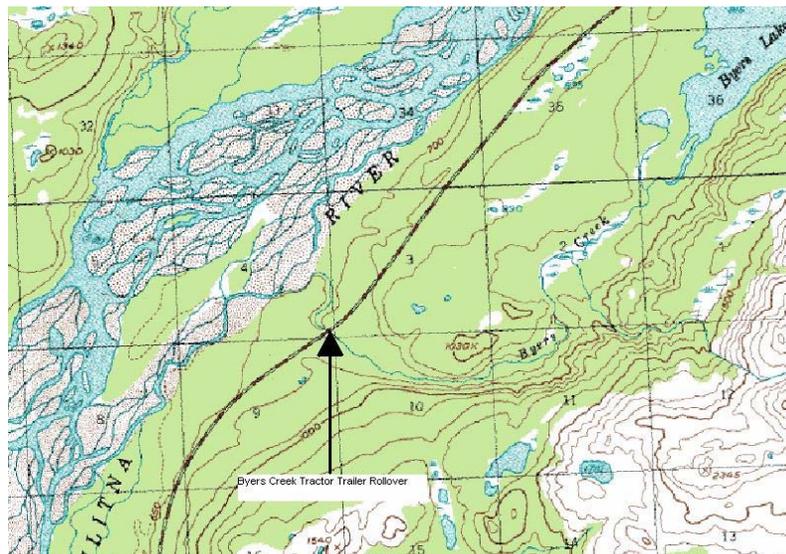
Photographs and other spill information will be available for viewing at:

<http://www.state.ak.us/dec/spar/perp/index.htm>

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Location of Incident