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3. Unit Name	4. Unit Leader	5. For Operational Period

## **Purpose**

FOs will be used to scout for new shoreline impact or re-impacts and to render <u>preliminary</u> cleanup recommendations.

## **Duties**

- make quick visual assessments of the level of contamination and/or the threat of impact
- identify sensitive resources and access restrictions
- make <u>preliminary</u> shoreline cleanup recommendations
- monitor cleanup effectiveness and effects and make recommendations accordingly
- record observations and recommendations on a FO form (see attachment)
- immediately communicate the information back to the FO Coordinator in the situation unit

Team	Members	Contact Information	Division/Zone (geographic area)
1			
2			
3			
4			
4			
5			

## **Logistical Needs:**

•	transportation to/from the field	•	gps, clipboard, forms, survey flags
•	ATVs or boat	•	cellular phones or radios

## **Tomorrow and Longer Term**

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FOs will continue to be used to scout for new shoreline impact or re-impacts and to render preliminary cleanup recommendations. Over time, their focus will shift more to monitoring cleanup effectiveness and effects.

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