



## **Section 9703**

# **Initial Incident Objectives for Oil Spills**



4. Objectives for specified Operational Period (Example)  
**Ensure the Safety of Citizens and Response Personnel**  
**Protect Environmentally and Culturally Sensitive Areas**  
**Contain & Recover Spilled Material**  
**Keep the Public and Stakeholders Informed of Response Activities**

4. Objectives for specified Operational Period (Continued)		
5. Safety Message for Specified Operational Period		
Approved Site Safety Plan Located at:		
6. Weather	See Attached Weather Sheet	
7. Tides/Currents	See Attached Tide/Current Data	
8. Time of Sunrise	Time of Sunset	
9. Attachments (mark "X" if attached)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Organization List (ICS 203-OS)	<input type="checkbox"/> Medical Plan (ICS 206-OS)	<input type="checkbox"/> Resource at Risk Summary (ICS 232-OS)
<input type="checkbox"/> Assignment List (ICS 204-OS)	<input type="checkbox"/> Incident Map(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Communications List (ICS 205-OS)	<input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Prepared by: (Planning Section Chief)	Date/Time	
INCIDENT OBJECTIVES	June 2000	ICS 202-OS

**Key Decisions/Procedures, Priorities and Limitations/Constraints**

Another important function of the IC/UC is to identify and document IC/UC strategic direction and guidance through Key Decisions/Procedures, Priorities and Limitations/Constraints for use during the next operational period. This information is captured in an ICS202A form, an example of which is shown below. While these are all critical elements for the IC/UC to identify and capture, the Key Decisions/Procedures, Priorities and Limitations/Constraints are not Incident Objectives and should not be treated as such. The NWAC recommends the IC/UC refer to Chapter 4 of the 2014 USCG Incident Management Handbook for guidance on these key factors.

1. Incident Name	2. Operational Period (Date/Time) From:                      To:	Command Direction ICS 202A-CG
3. Key Decisions and Procedures:		
4. Priorities:		
5. Limitations and Constraints:		
6. Prepared by: (Planning Section Chief)		Date/Time

Command Direction

ICS 202A-CG (rev 03/2013)

**Additional TASKS/WORK ASSIGNMENTS**

In addition to operational and management objectives, the IC/UC will assign tasking not captured in the Incident Action Plan. These functional tasks and open actions are typically captured on an Incident Open Action Tracker (ICS 233-CG) during IC/UC meetings. Some examples of common tasks/work assignments can be found in Chapter 4 of the 2014 USCG Incident Management Handbook.

This form is used by the IC/UC to track time sensitive tasks/actions assigned to Incident Management Team personnel. This form is duplicated and provided to Command and General Staff members, giving them the open tasks/actions needing to be completed and a means to track what has been assigned.

The Planning Section Chief reviews and updates the ICS 233 Open Action Tracker at the following meetings: Command and General Staff, Tactics, and Planning. Below is an example ICS 233 form.

1. Incident Name		INCIDENT OPEN ACTION TRACKER ICS 233-CG					
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