

May Update:

I've just started my second week at NOAA OR&R in Seattle. I've been familiarizing myself with the abandoned vessel project and database. I will soon start working on the abandoned vessel web site; my goals are to make it more user-friendly and accessible. This web site can be found here: [http://response.restoration.noaa.gov/topic_subtopic.php?RECORD_KEY%28subtopics%29=subtopic_id&subtopic_id\(subtopics\)=17](http://response.restoration.noaa.gov/topic_subtopic.php?RECORD_KEY%28subtopics%29=subtopic_id&subtopic_id(subtopics)=17) Another one of my tasks this summer will be to help make an Environmental Response Management Application (ERMA) for the Puget Sound; this application will be similar to the one created for Portsmouth Harbor. I look forward to the rest of the summer and getting some great experience from the many folks involved in OR&R.

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