

## **Sheen Monitoring Report #32**

**Period:** 05/26/2014 through 06/01/2014

**Monitoring Days:** 05/30/2014\*

\*Weekly sheen monitoring started on 03/11/2014.

<u>Summary of Rainfall:</u> A qualifying storm is defined as at least 0.25-inch rainfall in 3 hours and at least 72 hours since the previous qualifying storm.

Date	Maximum 3-hr Precipitation	Qualifying Storm
05/26/2014	0.00 inches	No
05/27/2014	0.00 inches	No
05/28/2014	0.16 inches	No
05/29/2014	0.30 inches	Yes**
05/30/2014	0.42 inches	Yes**
05/31/2014	0.21 inches	No
06/01/2014	0.46 inches	Yes***

<sup>\*\*</sup>The post-rainfall monitoring and removal event for the qualifying storm was conducted on 05/30/2014 along with the weekly monitoring.

<u>Mitigation:</u> Suspected petrogenic sheens were removed using absorbent materials.

#### Observations in Cove Inlet Channel:

No sheens observed.

#### Observations in Cove:

 One patch/streamer and one streamer of silver gray sheen observed. Sheens did not break when disturbed ("nonbrittle")<sup>1</sup>.

### Path Forward for 06/02/2014 to 06/08/2014:

• Conduct sheen monitoring in Cove.

#### Notes:

- Non-brittle sheens are often related to anthropogenic sources, including petrogenic sources (e.g., petroleum hydrocarbons).
- Laboratory testing is required to distinguish sheen sources (e.g., crude oil, roadway runoff, natural biologic activity).
- Sheen color (dark/metallic/rainbow/silver gray) and structure (patches/streamers/cover) terminology reference: NOAA 2007. NOAA Open Water Oil Identification Job Aid.

# Mayflower Pipeline Incident Response

# **Mayflower, Arkansas**

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Green Line - No Sheen

Aqua Circle - Brittle Sheen Location

Pink Circle – Non-Brittle Sheen Location
OW-1 – Shoreline Observation Location



Cove (Summary of Observations from 05/26/2014 through 06/01/2014)



Silver Gray Sheen Patch/Streamer Observation on 05/30/2014

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>The post-rainfall monitoring and removal event for the qualifying storm will be addressed in next sheen monitoring report.