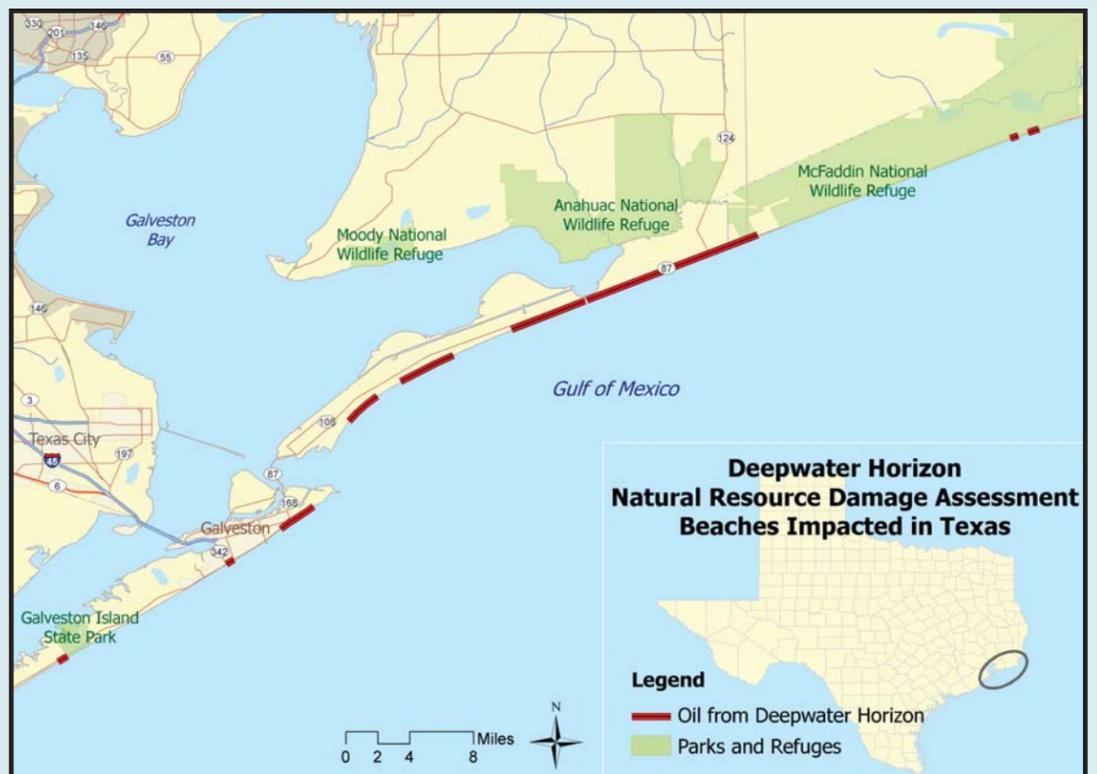


# Potential Impacts to Texas Natural Resources

## PUBLIC BEACHES AND RECREATIONAL USE – TEXAS BEACHES OILED STARTING THE WEEK OF JULY 4TH



Oil from the Deepwater Horizon spill washed up and pooled on beaches at McFaddin National Wildlife Refuge. Credit: TPWD



Petty Officer 1st Class Matt Fisher, kneeling, and Petty Officer 1st Class James Huddleston, marine science technicians at Coast Guard Sector Houston-Galveston, inspect a potential tarball on Stewart Beach as beachgoers look on. Credit: U.S. Coast Guard



Crews began cleaning Texas beaches on July 3, 2010, when reports of tar were made to officials. Credit: GLO

