



**Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Trustee Council**  
**General Restoration, Habitat Enhancement, Habitat Protection, and Facilities Projects**  
**Quarterly Project Reporting Form**

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**Project Number:** Project 25220611

**Project Title:** Big Eddy Restoration and Improvements

**Principal Investigator(s):** Shannon Martin, Kenai River Sportfishing Association

**Reporting Periods and Due Dates:**

<i>Reporting Period</i>	<i>Due Date</i>
February, March, April	June 1
May, June, July	September 1
August, September, October	December 1
November, December, January	March 1

**Submission Date:** 03/02/2026

**Project Website:** n/a

Please check all the boxes that apply to the current reporting period.

**Project progress is on schedule.**

**Project progress is delayed**

N/A

**Budget reallocation request.**

N/A

**Personnel changes.**

N/A

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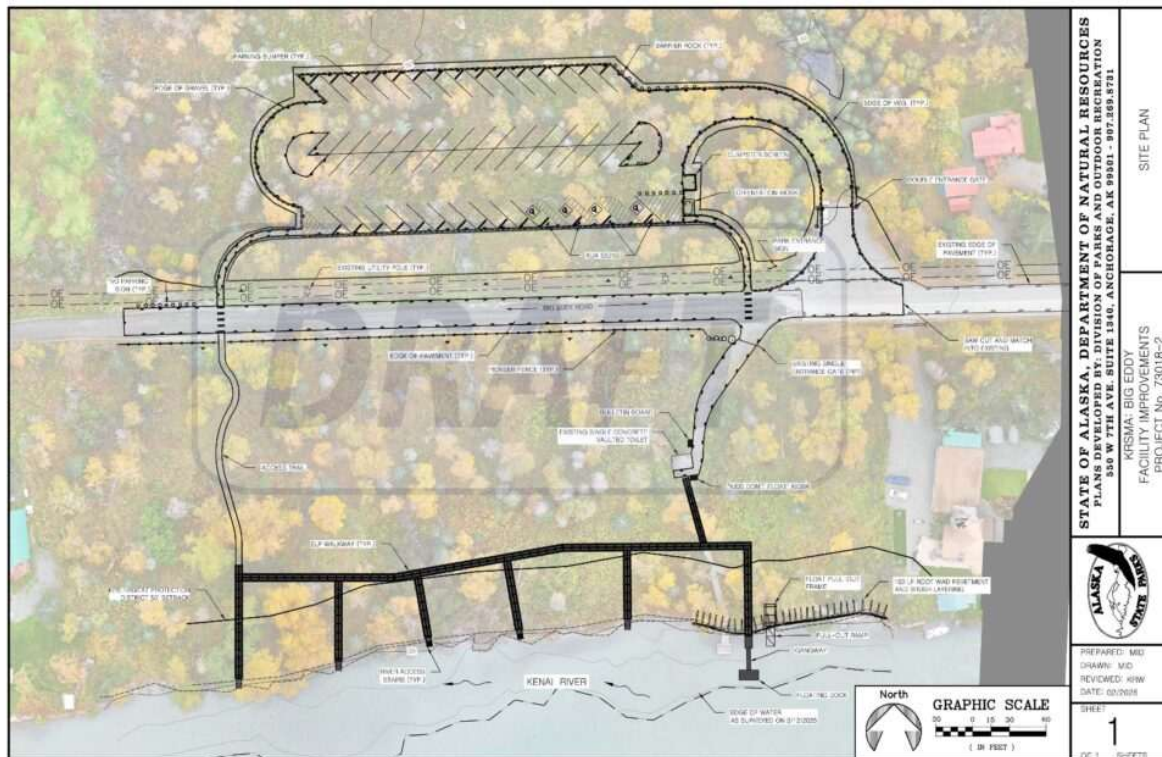
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## 1. Summary of Work Performed:

Summary of Work completed by Division of Parks and Outdoor Recreation (DPOR):

- DPOR continued design of the site plan and estimate of total quantities. A high volume of user input and comment have created multiple design iterations and updates. Due to staff shortages and a State hiring freeze at the Governor's level, DPOR was not able to complete a 65% deliverable as expected in Q4.
- A permitting package with necessary site footprint and fill quantities was nearly complete by the end of Q4. That package will be submitted in early Q1 of 2026.

Updated site plan:



## 2. Abstract:



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This project will improve the 16.7-acre Big Eddy Day Use Area by restoring and protecting habitat and enhancing recreational and tourism opportunities. The scope of work in this project includes demolishing over 100 linear feet of existing elevated walkway, 350 square feet of viewing deck, and a set of river access stairs that have surpassed their intended design lives and are in a state of disrepair.

160 feet of next-generation elevated light-penetrating (ELP) walkway with river access stairs will be constructed for river access that protects riparian resources. 150 feet of deteriorating riverbank will be restored using bio-engineered techniques. Additionally, two interpretive signs will be updated.

The project will expand riverbank protection and access opportunities to the greater Big Eddy facility. Construction of up to 850 linear feet of new ELP walkway and five sets of river access stairs will be installed to disperse use in a managed fashion. A 59-stall parking area will also be constructed away from the riverbank to meet user demand and help prevent haphazard in sensitive riparian areas. The work will also include three interpretive panels to facilitate redirecting human impact and to promote public participation in the long-term success of the project and project objectives.

Lastly a 500-foot section of Big Eddy Road that goes through the park unit and the existing gravel parking area will be paved. An orientation kiosk will be constructed at the existing parking area to help with site messaging and wayfinding within the facility.

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**3. Coordination and Collaboration:**

Not applicable during this reporting period.

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**4. Response to EVOSTC Review, Recommendations and Comments:**

Not applicable during this reporting period.

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**5. Budget:**

<b>Budget Category:</b>	<b>Proposed FY 22</b>	<b>Proposed FY 23</b>	<b>Proposed FY 24</b>	<b>Proposed FY 25</b>	<b>Proposed FY 26</b>	<b>5-YR TOTAL PROPOSED</b>	<b>QUARTERLY EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>ACTUAL CUMULATIVE</b>
Personnel	\$2,250	\$2,250	\$2,250	\$2,250	\$0	\$9,000	\$0	\$9,000
Travel	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Contractual	\$0	\$0	\$1,414,100	\$1,414,100	\$0	\$2,828,200	\$43,947	\$278,399
Commodities	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Indirect Costs (40%)	\$900	\$900	\$566,540	\$566,540	\$0	\$1,134,880	\$1,413	\$11,070
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,150</b>	<b>\$3,150</b>	<b>\$1,982,890</b>	<b>\$1,982,890</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$3,972,080</b>	<b>\$45,360</b>	<b>\$298,469</b>
General Administration (9% of subtotal)	\$284	\$284	\$178,460	\$178,460	\$0	\$357,487	\$0	\$0
<b>PROJECT TOTAL</b>	<b>\$3,434</b>	<b>\$3,434</b>	<b>\$2,161,350</b>	<b>\$2,161,350</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$4,329,567</b>	<b>\$45,360</b>	<b>\$298,469</b>
Other Resources (In-Kind Funds)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$351,900

FY22	FY23	FY24	FY25	FY26	FY22-26 Total
\$3,400	\$3,400	\$2,161,400	\$2,161,400		\$4,329,600

Milestone/Task	FY22				FY23				FY24				FY25				FY26				FY27				
	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	
<b>Funding in hand @ DPOR</b>				x			x			x															
<b>Milestone: Data Collection</b>																									
Topographic Survey		x	x																						
Environmental Survey			x																						
Geotechnical Investigation										x	x														
<b>Milestone: 35% Design</b>																									
35% Design Drawings				x	x							x	x												
35% Specifications				x	x							x	x												
35% Design Review						x							x												
<b>Milestone: 65% Design</b>																									
65% Design Drawings							x	x					x	x											
65% Specifications							x	x					x	x											
65% Design Review									x							x	x								
Submit Permit Applications								x								x	x								
<b>Milestone: 95%/100% Design</b>																									
95%/100% Design Drawings										x	x					x	x								
95%/100% Specifications										x	x					x	x								
95%/100% Design Review												x						x							
<b>Milestone: Advertise Project for Construction</b>																									
Advertise												x						x	x						
Bid Opening													x							x					
Contract Award													x							x					
<b>Milestone: Construction</b>																									
Construction													x	x	x	x				x	x	x	x	x	
<b>Milestone: Project Close Out</b>																									
Project Close Out																		x	x					x	x
<b>Reporting:</b>																									
Annual Progress Report				x				x				x				x									
FY Work Plan				x				x				x				x									
Final Report/Project Results																								x	
<b>Deliverables:</b>																									
Completed Construction Work																								x	

Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Feb, Mar, Apr	May, Jun, Jul	Aug, Sep, Oct	Nov, Dec, Jan