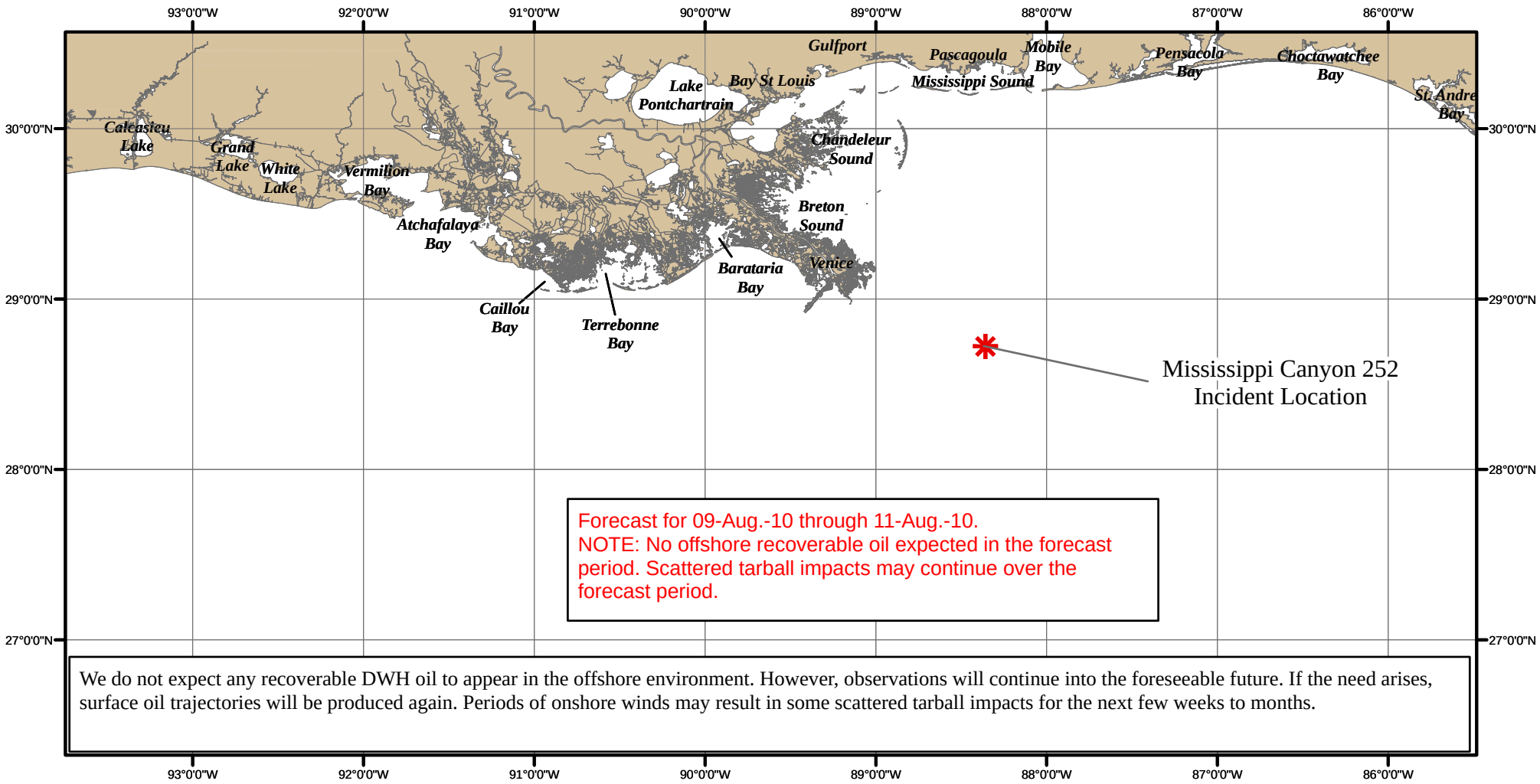
Nearshore
Surface Oil Forecast
Deepwater Horizon MC252

NOAA/NOS/OR&R **Nearshore**

Estimate for: 1200 CDT, 8/09/10 through 8/11/10
Date Prepared: 2000 CDT, Sunday, 8/08/10

No recoverable oil has been reported by daily overflights since July 30. Daily satellite analyses have indicated a decreasing number of possible oil anomalies since the well has been capped, and the anomalies have been decreasing in size. Since July 30, overflights have indicated the satellite anomalies have been a result of seaweed and sheens which are not recoverable.



Forecast for 09-Aug.-10 through 11-Aug.-10.
NOTE: No offshore recoverable oil expected in the forecast period. Scattered tarball impacts may continue over the forecast period.

We do not expect any recoverable DWH oil to appear in the offshore environment. However, observations will continue into the foreseeable future. If the need arises, surface oil trajectories will be produced again. Periods of onshore winds may result in some scattered tarball impacts for the next few weeks to months.

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Next Forecast:
Aug. 9th PM