Great Lakes Coastal Exercises of Interest for 2019

**April**
1. Isle Royale Tanker Spill ICS-201 Workshop: 25 April - Houghton, MI
   This workshop will develop an ICS-201 to prepare for a tank vessel grounding in the vicinity of Isle Royale, MI and Thunder Bay, Ont. The scenario involves a resulting 78K barrel No. 6 oil spill and will include both U.S. and Canadian participation.

**May**
1. Grand Haven Oil Spill Table-Top Exercise: 21 May - Grand Haven, MI
   This exercise will use local emergency response plans to respond to an oil spill near the mouth of the Grand River.

**July**
1. Niagara/Buffalo River Junction Table-Top Exercise for Vessel Grounding and Oil Spill: 25 July, Buffalo, NY
   This exercise will evaluate emergency response plans for an oil spill and marine transportation casualty at the junction of the Niagara and Buffalo Rivers and related impacts to the marine environment and marine transportation system.
2. Detroit River Worst-Case-Scenario Table-Top Exercise: 17 July, Detroit, MI
   This exercise will focus on responding to the Worst-Case-Scenario oil spill for the Detroit River as determined by U.S. and Canadian Area Committees.

**August**
1. CANUSLAK 2019 Part 1, Full-Scale Exercise: 19-21 August, Massena NY
   This exercise will evaluate U.S. and Canadian emergency response plans for an oil spill and marine transportation casualty on the St. Lawrence Seaway at Massena, NY. Focus will be on a coordinated U.S./Canadian response effort using the JCP.
2. CANUSLAK 2019 Part 2, International Coordinating Officer Development Workshop: August 28, Port Huron, MI
   This Workshop is the second part of this year’s CANUSLAK exercise which in addition to an equipment deployment drill will consist of a workshop to further develop the International Coordination Officer (ICO) position that exists in the JCP. Work product will consist of a revised ICO Handbook.

**September**
1. Petroleum Plant Casualty Workshop: 19 September, Rogers City, MI
   This exercise will use local emergency response plans to develop an ICS-201 for the Rogers City Area of Responsibility.

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