Amchitka Oversight Program

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AMCHITKA IS IN A VERY SEISMICALLY ACTIVE AREA
AND IS BEING PULLED IN DIFFERENT DIRECTIONS

TONS OF RADIOACTIVE MATERIAL EXPOSED TO AMCHITKA
SUBSURFACE WATER SYSTEM

RADIONUCLIDES WILL EVENTUALLY BE TRANSPORTED TO THE MARINE
ENVIRONMENT
Cannikin created a lake
The Aleut People Are Deeply Concerned About The Impact of The Amchitka Tests on Their Subsistence Resources

The Bering Sea Provides Food For Families

100% of households use subsistence food

66% of the Atkan diet is subsistence food
Stakeholders Group

- Aleut Tribes
- DOE
- APIA
- ADEC
- USFWS
- UAF

Other stakeholders
- TAC
- Worker’s group
- Commercial fisheries
- Subsistence users
- Public
Resources:

- 5th year of 5 year funding cycle
- Government to Government Relationship
- Reference Library developed
- Federal Sites Amchitka Web Page
- Public Presentations
- Consortium and Agency Partnerships
What is Amchitka like?
Amchitka is historic
Amchitka is a refuge
Amchitka is amid life
Potential Risks
Potential Risks
APIA’s terrestrial efforts
APIA’s terrestrial efforts
APIA’s Bio-sampling Roles
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Expedition Activities
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Information

• DOE Legacy Management website: http://www.LM.doe.gov/
  – Site fact sheet
  – Links to LTS&M Plan, other site documents, teaming partners
  – Site surveillance and maintenance records
  – Geospatial Environmental Mapping System (GEMS)
  – Inspection and sampling schedule
• Information repositories:
  – Aleutian Pribilof Islands Association, Inc.
    1131 E. International Airport Road,
    Anchorage, Alaska
    (907) 276-2700
  – DOE Office of Legacy Management
    2597 B ¾ Road, Grand Junction, CO 81503
    (970) 248-6000
QUESTIONS?

Thank you!