

Operational Divisions
San Diego Area Plan Section 9811.4
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Aerial view of the mouth of Aqua Hedionda lagoon (6-155-A) during an incoming tide.

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9811.4 Operational Divisions

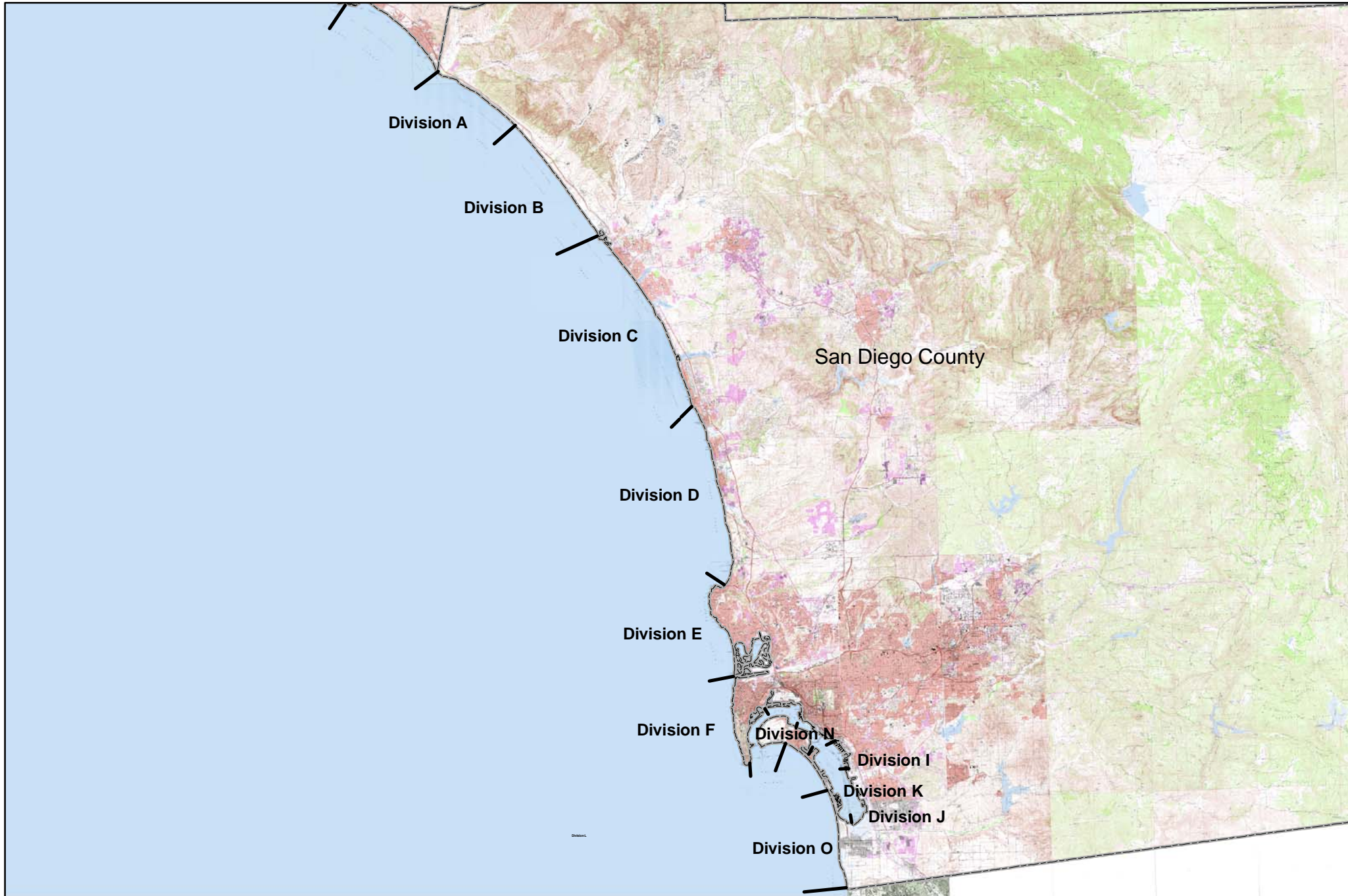
Coastal Operational Divisions are presented in this ACP to assist in response planning by providing organized operational divisions along the entire San Diego County Pacific Ocean shoreline. The operational divisions have been developed in conjunction with the US Coast Guard, California Fish and Game OSPR, and various Oil Spill Response Organizations. Experience has demonstrated that having pre-identified coastal segments can simplify the task of directing operational efforts during the early stages of any large spill response.

The coastal operational divisions are organized first around County boundaries, followed by other geo-political features such as shoreline physical characteristics and land ownership and management issues. The final organizing principle was the desire to provide manageable sized coastline segments not longer than about ten miles in length. Divisions can be easily subdivided, as necessary; to fit unique operational needs as they make work assignments.

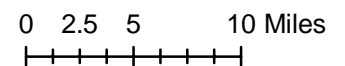
Coastal operational divisions are labeled from north to south in each County using a single alpha character (A to Z). In large bays (i.e. San Diego), the labeling was made in a clockwise progression to accommodate changing coastline angles. It was recommended that offshore operational divisions be identified with double alpha characters (AA to ZZ) to distinguish them from coastal assignments. No segmenting is provided for San Clemente Island.

Complementary response tools available in this ACP are located in section 9800. These include Environmentally Sensitive Site files (9811.1), Economically Sensitive Site listing (9811.3), and Shoreline Access files (9811.5). Please make a note of it.

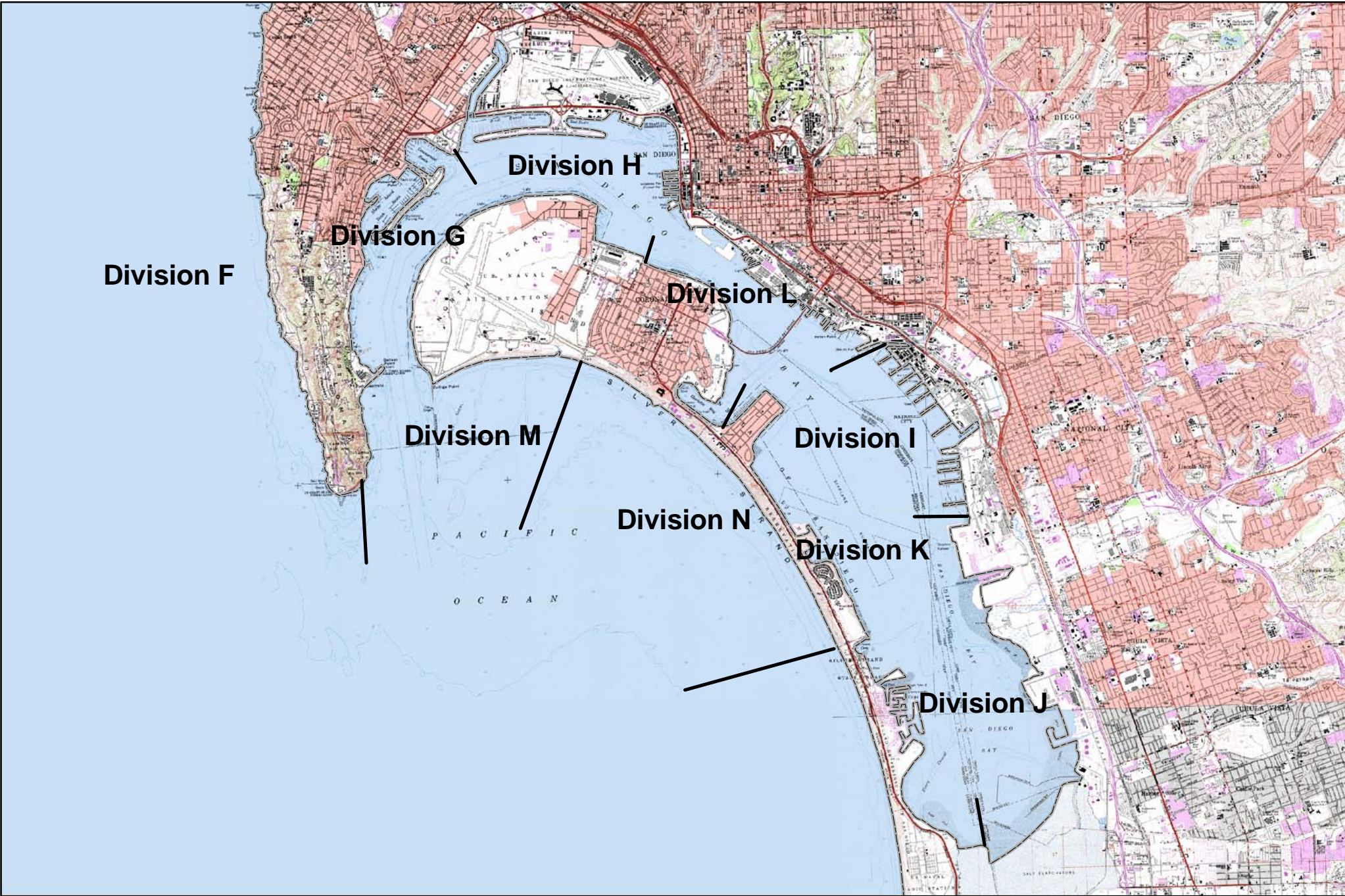
San Diego (SD) County Divisions



— Division Lines



San Diego (SD) Harbor Divisions



Division F

Division G

Division H

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Division M

Division N

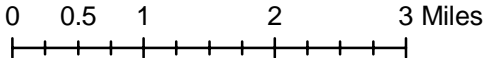
Division I

Division K

Division J



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