

## Keils Kitchen

Alaskan residents cannot afford decreased or weakened Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plans. The threat to our natural environment and clean water is too real and too imminent. The current regulations under 18 AAC 775 Article 4 provide some safeguard for our environment and my fear is that in an effort to streamline these regulations industry will manage to remove those safeguards at dire costs to our environment and our state. This will leave contamination to be cleaned up by the state government to be paid for by residents, as was the case prior to these regulations.