

Lincoln, NE -- Congressman Jeff Fortenberry tomorrow will review impacts of the BP oil spill on Gulf Coast communities and ecosystems. At the invitation of New Orleans Congressman Steve Scalise, Fortenberry will join a bipartisan group of House members in assessing the spill's damage.

"It is important we fully understand the profound environmental and social impacts of this disaster," Fortenberry said. "I anticipate a comprehensive, and disheartening, assessment of the situation."

Fortenberry is a member of the House Oversight and Government Reform Committee. He will be available for media comment at the conclusion of the review Friday afternoon. To arrange a phone interview, please contact Josh Moenning at 402-570-2708 or Kerri Price at 202-225-4806.

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