



ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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| <p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 1 – Normal Operations</p> | <p>http://ready.alaska.gov</p> | <p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: You can read the new NTAS Bulletin here.</p> |
| <p><u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u> Level:1-Minimum Appropriate Security Measures</p> | <p><u>WHO Post Pandemic:</u> Disease activity at seasonal levels.</p> | <p><u>Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level:</u> FPCON Bravo</p> |

(Significant changes from previous situation reports are in red.)

THREAT LEVEL CHANGES: NONE

DHS&EM OPERATIONS

Cook Inlet M7.1 Earthquake (FEMA Declaration 4413-DR)

DHS&EM, FEMA, and other federal agencies are managing the recovery efforts associated with the Cook Inlet M7.1 earthquake at the Joint Field Office (JFO) in Anchorage.

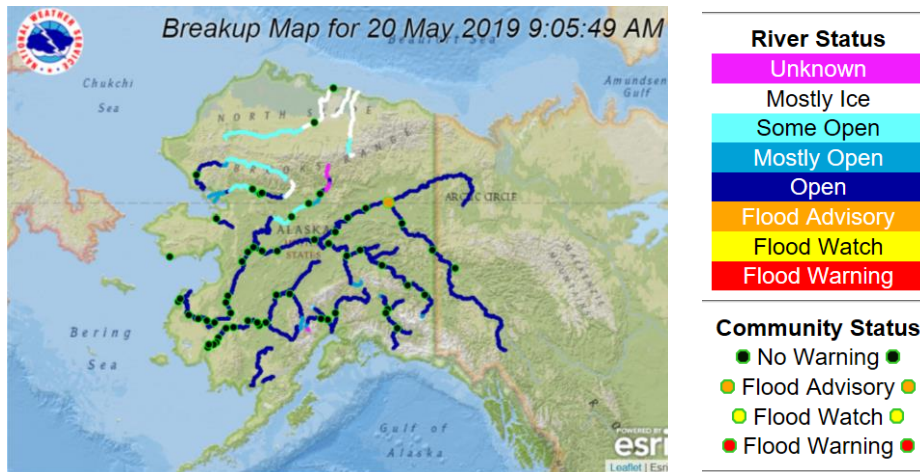
State & FEMA Response Activity

| Individual Assistance (IA) | <i>All data is as of close of business (COB) prior duty day</i> |
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| State Registrations | 13,845 |
| FEMA Registrations | 9,661 |
| SBA Loans Approved | 1,572 |

Akiak Erosion

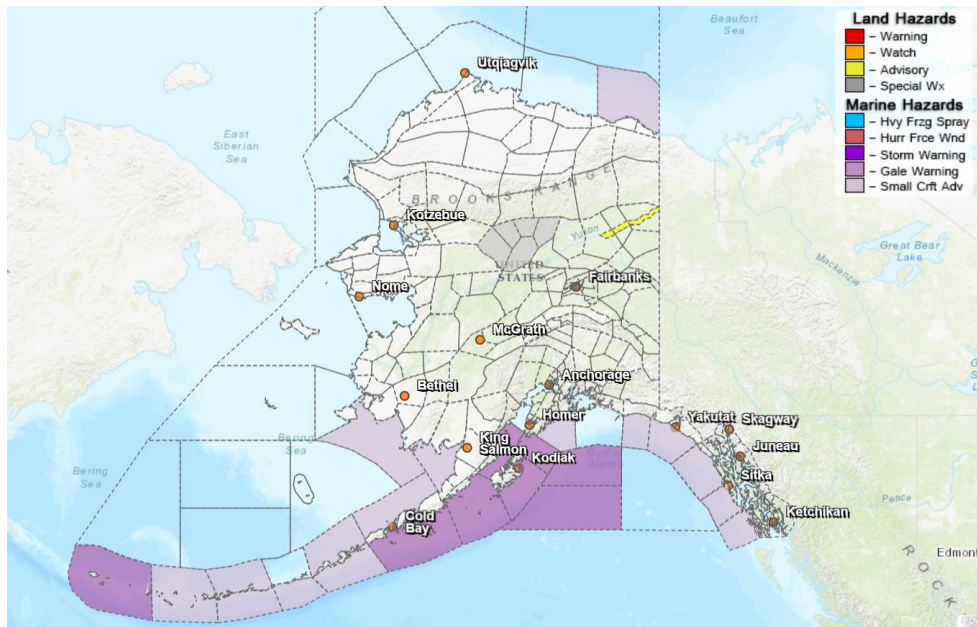
Last Friday night, the SEOC Duty Officer received word of accelerated erosion threatening the community of Akiak on the Kuskokwim River. The recent snowmelt in the highlands has caused high water on the Kuskokwim from Akiak to Kwethluk over the last week. This high water under velocity caused 40 – 45 feet of riverbank erosion in 1.5 hours on Friday afternoon. While there are no immediate threats to public or private structures or facilities, the acceleration in erosion is worrisome. The SEOC will work with the community to determine what state, federal, or other assistance can be provided to them to address this erosion.

River Watch 2019



For the most current Breakup Map, go to: <https://www.weather.gov/aprfc/breakupMap>

Significant Weather



Flood Advisory for Rapid Rises for Snowmelt Porcupine River from Canadian border downstream to Fort Yukon until 915 AM AKDT Tuesday.

For the most current weather Watches / Warnings / Advisories go to: <http://www.weather.gov/arh/>

2019 Fire Season

The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center is at Preparedness Level 1.

Wildland fire totals for 2019:

- Total Fires = 117
- Total Acres = 15,625.6

There are currently **16** active fires with **1** fire currently staffed. As of today, **2** fires were declared out and **1** new fires were reported.

Current fire information is at <http://fire.ak.blm.gov> or <https://asfireinfor.com/>

Avalanche Forecast:

Avalanche forecasting has concluded for the year. However, observations will continue to be posted on social media or through cnfaic.org.

Please check the below website for your area before engaging in backcountry activities.

For the most up to date Avalanche information: <https://alaskasnow.org/>

Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories

There are currently no active advisories/episodes in effect

For the most up to date Air Quality Index Advisories:

<http://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Home/Index>

State of Alaska Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS)

The Alaska DHSS website is located at <http://dhss.alaska.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

Spills of Oil and Hazardous Substances

The ADEC Spill Prevention and Response page is located at

<http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/ppr/spill-information/response/>

Recent Earthquakes

USGS Earthquake Information: <http://earthquake.usgs.gov/>

National Tsunami Warning Center: <http://ntwc.arh.noaa.gov/>

Travel Advisory

For current driving conditions dial 511 or link to <http://511.alaska.gov/>

Alaska Volcanoes

Cleveland Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Pavlof Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

For Alaska Volcano updates, go to: <https://www.avo.alaska.edu/>

Alaska Cyber Security Information

State Employees may sign up for cyber security notifications and alerts at

<https://oit.alaska.gov/Security>

The Next Situation Report: will be **22** May 2019 at 8:00 am. A significant change in the situation or the threat level will prompt an interim report.

This report is posted on the internet at <https://ready.alaska.gov/sitrep>. To register for email distribution, go to <http://list.state.ak.us/mailman/listinfo/dhsem.situation.report>. Direct questions regarding this report to the SEOC at 907-428-7100 or seoc@alaska.gov.