



**ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY &
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<p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 2 Heightened Awareness – For COVID-19 Response</p>	<p>http://ready.alaska.gov</p>	<p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: read the current NTAS Bulletin here.</p>
<p><u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u> Level:1-Minimum Appropriate Security Measures</p>	<p>WHO Novel Coronavirus Pandemic (COVID-19): 2019 Novel Coronavirus</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.

Significant Issues

Selawik Fire:

Over the weekend, the local store in Selawik was destroyed by fire. The SEOC coordinated an interagency teleconference call with the community and the Northwest Arctic Borough to gather additional information. There does not appear to be any immediate needs, but the SEOC will work with the community, borough, and the mass care task force to determine what assistance can be provided.

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic:

A unified command has been established at the SEOC. The SEOC continues to support statewide response to COVID-19.

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

DHSS is operating as the Medical Branch under the State EOC/Unified Command.

For more information about the outbreak refer to:

<https://covid19.alaska.gov/>

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

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

NTAS BULLETIN:

To read current advisories, select the link below.

<https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system>

Travel Alerts and Conditions

COVID-19 Health Mandates may affect travel. Check <https://covid19.alaska.gov/> for current Health Mandates.

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

Recent Earthquakes

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

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

Alaska Volcanoes

Korovin Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Semisopchnoi Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

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

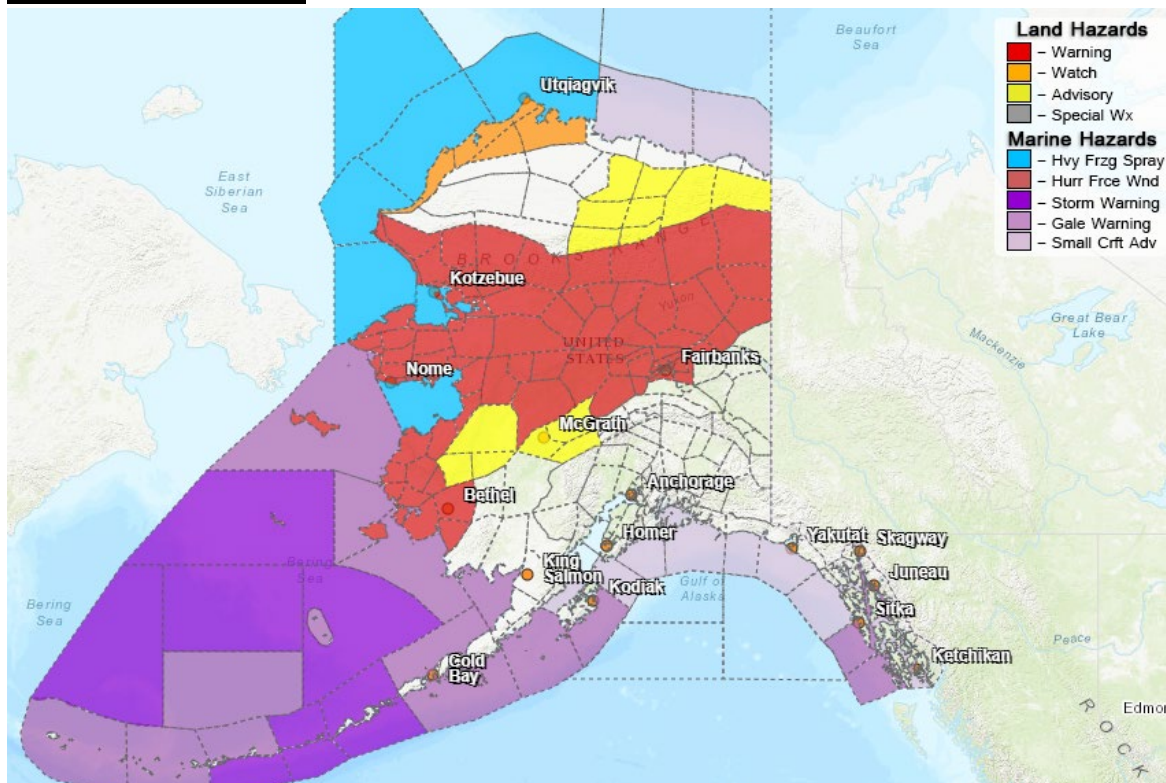
Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories

Stage 1 Alert Air Quality Advisories have been issued for Fairbanks Zone and North Pole Zone until 11:00 am today.

For the most up to date Air Quality Index Advisories:

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

Significant Weather:



A Winter Storm Warning is in effect until 12:00 P.M. Saturday for the Upper Koyukuk Valley, Central Interior, Southeast Brooks Range, Yukon Flats and Surrounding Uplands and the Middle Tanana Valley. Heavy snow expected. Travel will be difficult. Blowing snow in higher elevations. Total snow accumulations of 8 inches are expected. Chance of freezing rain.

A High Wind Watch is in effect until 3:00 pm this afternoon for Yukon Delta. South winds of 35 to 45mph with gusts to 65mph are possible for the area.

A Winter Storm Warning remains in effect until noon today for St Lawrence Island and Bering Strait Coast and until 11:00 pm for Eastern Norton Sound and Nulato Hills. Expect blowing snow with total snow accumulations of 3 to 5 inches.

A Winter Storm Warning is in effect from 4:55 am this morning 6:00 pm Friday for Chukchi Sea Coast, Lower Kobuk and Noatak Valleys, Baldwin Peninsula and Selawik Valley with total snow accumulations of 6-10 inches.

A Winter Weather Advisory is in effect from 4:55 am this morning 6:00 pm Friday for Kuskokwim Valley.

Coastal Flood Warnings have been issued for Kuskokwim Delta until 12:00 pm tomorrow, Yukon Delta until 6:00am Saturday, Chukchi Sea Coast, Northern and Interior Seward Peninsula until 12:00 pm Saturday and Eastern Norton Sound and Nulato Hills, Southern Seward Peninsula Coast and Baldwin Peninsula and Selawik Valley until 3:00 pm Saturday.

Coastal Flood Advisory is in effect until 6:00 P.M. Saturday St Lawrence Island and Bering Strait Coast and Coastal Flood Watch is in effect until 6:00 pm for Western Arctic Coast and 9:00 pm for Northern Arctic Coast.

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

For Fire weather: <https://fsapps.nwcg.gov/psp/npsg/forecast/#/outlooks?state=map&gacclid=1>

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/>

Alaska Cyber Security Information

State Employees may sign up for cybersecurity notifications and alerts at

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

The Next Situation Report: will be 06 November 2020. 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.