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<p><b><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u></b></p> <p>Heightened Awareness – Response to COVID-19 and Recovery from December Southeast Storms</p>	<p><a href="http://ready.alaska.gov">http://ready.alaska.gov</a></p>	<p><b><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u></b></p> <p>View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: <a href="#">read the current NTAS Bulletin here.</a></p>
<p><b><u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u></b></p> <p>Level:1-Minimum Appropriate Security Measures</p>	<p><b>WHO Novel Coronavirus Pandemic (COVID-19):</b></p> <p><a href="#">2019 Novel Coronavirus</a></p>	<p><b><u>Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level:</u></b> FPCON Bravo</p>

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

**THREAT LEVEL CHANGES:**

None

**Significant Issues:**

**Southeast Alaska December Storm:**

A team of geotechnical consultants arrived in Haines on Monday. They will be conducting field investigations for the next week in the area of the Beach Road landslide in support of community response and recovery activities.

**Tuluksak Water System Fire:**

The Yukon Kuskokwim Health Corporation has installed a non-potable water source with a community access point inside the school. Throughout the last week the SEOC has coordinated multiple shipments of potable drinking water that have been sent to Tuluksak. The SEOC remains in regular contact with community leadership to address any immediate needs.

**Selawik Power Outage:**

The SEOC is continuing to work with the Northwest Arctic Borough, ANTHC and Selawik to expedite the installation of a watering point at the water plant as well as working to provide additional sanitation supplies for the community while AVEC continues to work on restoring power. The SEOC will remain in contact with the community to identify any additional needs for assistance.

## **Unalakleet Water Issues**

Repair efforts to thaw the frozen transmission lines continue. The SEOC remains in contact with the community to identify any needs for assistance.

## **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**

The United States Department of Homeland Security has issued a National Terrorism Advisory System Bulletin effective January 27, 2021 for a heightened threat environment across the United States.

Read the bulletin here: [https://www.dhs.gov/sites/default/files/ntas/alerts/21\\_0127\\_ntas-bulletin.pdf](https://www.dhs.gov/sites/default/files/ntas/alerts/21_0127_ntas-bulletin.pdf)

## **Travel Alerts and Conditions**

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

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

## **Barry Arm Landslide / Tsunami Risk**

For the latest information on the Barry Arm Landslide and Tsunami risk, click here:

[DGGS Barry Arm Landslide and Tsunami Hazard](#)

## **Recent Earthquakes**

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

National Tsunami Warning Center: <http://tsunami.gov/>

## **Alaska Volcanoes**

**Semisopchnoi** Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

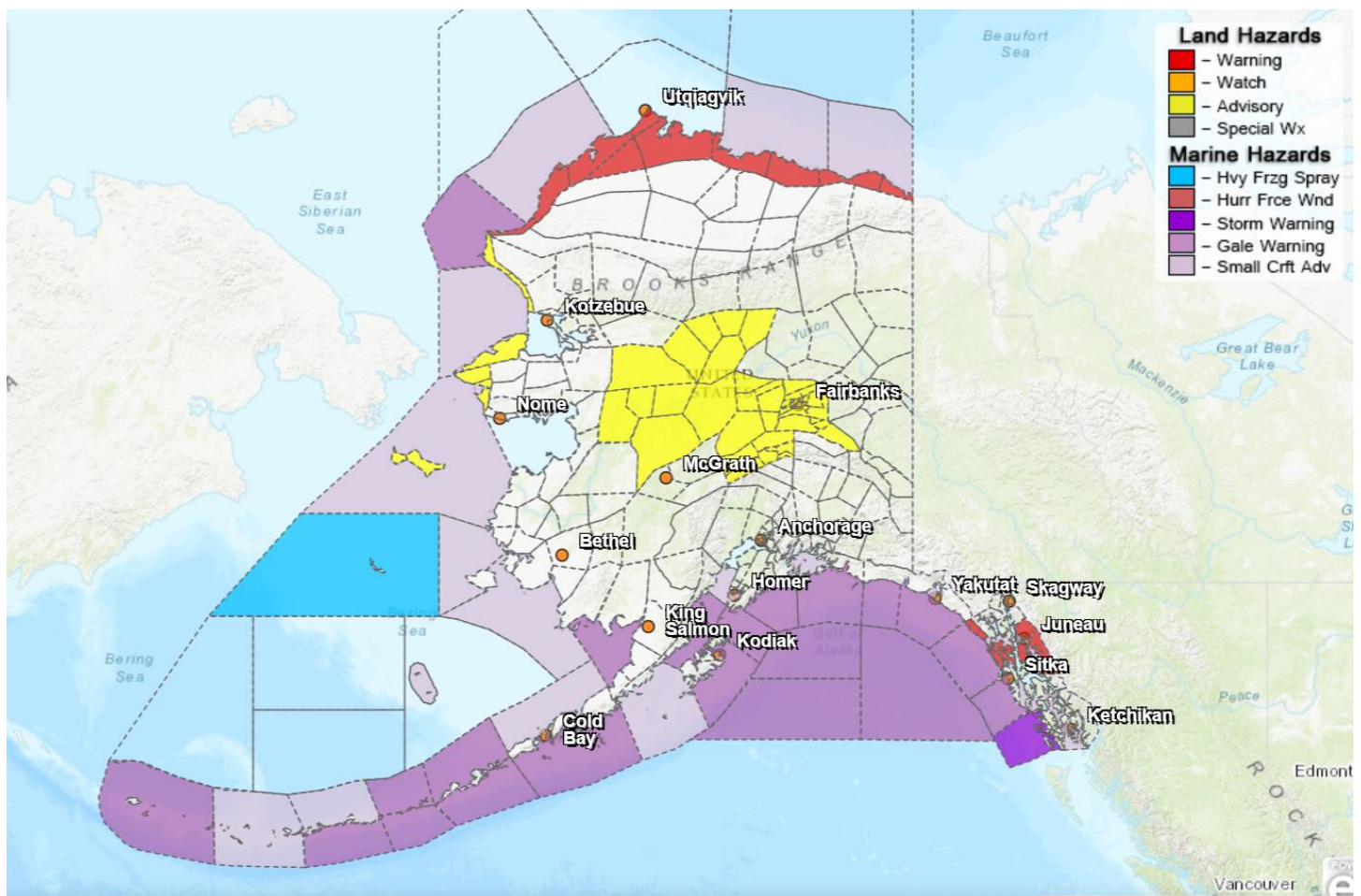
For Alaska Volcano updates, go to: <https://www.avo.alaska.edu/>

## **Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories**

For the most up to date Air Quality Index Advisories:

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

## **Significant Weather:**



Wind Chill Warnings and Advisories remain in effect until tomorrow night for the Western and Northern Arctic Coasts, Chukchi Sea Coast, Central and Eastern Beaufort Sea Coasts, St. Lawrence Island and the Bering Strait Coast.

A Winter Storm Warning is in effect until 9:00 A.M. today for Eastern Chichagof Island, Juneau, Elfin Cove, and Pelican. Total snow accumulations of 8 to 10 inches are expected.

A Winter Weather Advisory remains in effect through tonight for blowing snow and cold wind chills for much of the Central Interior, including Koyukuk Valley, Middle Tanana Valley, Deltana and Tanana Flats and Denali.

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

## **Avalanche Forecast:**

Check the Avalanche Forecast Center closest to your area for the most up to date information on Avalanche potential. <https://alaskasnow.org/> or <https://www.weather.gov/afc/avalanche>

## **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 26 February 2021. 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](mailto:seoc@alaska.gov)