

ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



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

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

THREAT LEVEL CHANGES:

None

Significant Issues:

Tuluksak Water System Fire:

The DEC notified YKHC yesterday that they have lifted the boil water notice for the water treatment unit that YKHC established at the Tuluksak school. The Tribe has operators at the school daily for community members to fill containers for drinking water and YKHC has indicated that there is no longer a need for additional bottled water in the community.

Selawik Power Outage:

Alaska Village Electric Cooperative reported yesterday that two of the three generators in the community are operational. Full electrical power is available in the community and no power conservation measures are needed. A crew from ANTHC has arrived in the community to establish two water supply points and to assess the condition of the sewage and water systems to determine what corrective actions are needed.

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

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

Semisopochnoi Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

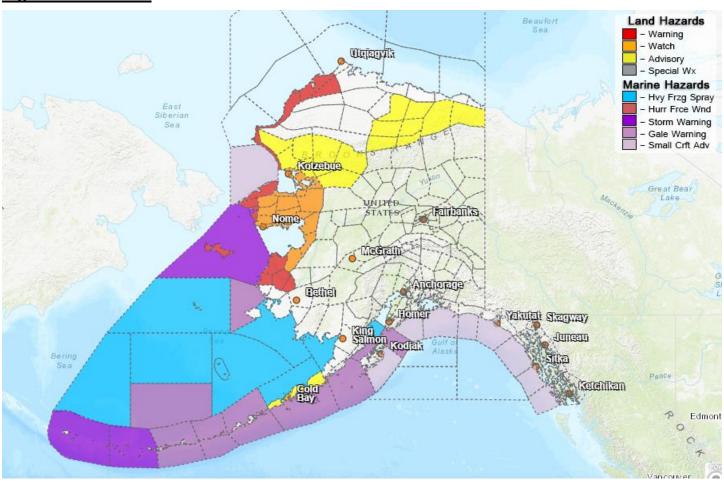
For Alaska Volcano updates, go to: https://www.avo.alaska.edu/

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:



A Blizzard Warning is in effect for St. Lawrence Island and the Bering Strait Coast until 9:00 P.M. tomorrow.

Wind Chill Warnings and Advisories remain in effect through tomorrow evening for the Western Arctic Coast, Northeastern Brooks Range, and the Kobuk & Noatak Valleys.

A Winter Storm Warning has been issued for the Yukon Delta for tomorrow. High winds and four inches of snow accumulation are expected.

Winter Storm Watches are in effect for the Baldwin Peninsula, Selawik Valley, Seward Peninsula, Eastern Norton Sound and Nulato Hills through noon on Friday.

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://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

<u>The Next Situation Report:</u> will be 4 March 2021. A significant change in the situation or the threat level will prompt an interim report.

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