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<p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 2 – Heightened Awareness</p>	<p>http://ready.alaska.gov</p>	<p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> Read the updated 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.)

Significant Issues:

SEOC at Level 2 – *Heightened Awareness* – Statewide Severe Weather Impacts

The State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) is activated in a hybrid virtual/in-person Incident Command structure to manage the current state declared disaster responses and other incidents arising statewide.

Hydaburg Dam

The SEOC continues to monitor the ongoing deteriorating condition of the Hydaburg Dam. Yesterday, the SEOC participated in a multi-agency coordination call involving local, state, and federal organizations that are working to assist the community. The SEOC will continue to monitor the situation and work with the community.

Threat Level Changes:

None

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

DHSS is now leading the State of Alaska COVID-19 Recovery through Department Operations, supported by SEOC and other state departments as required.

For current COVID-19 information, see:

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

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

NTAS BULLETIN

To read current or expired advisories, click the link below:

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

Travel Alerts and Conditions

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:
[DGGG Barry Arm Landslide and Tsunami Hazard](#)

Recent Earthquakes

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

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

Alaska Volcanoes

Great Sitkin Alert Level: **Watch** and Aviation Color Code: **Orange**

Pavlof Alert Level: **Watch** and Aviation Color Code: **Orange**

Semisopchnoi Alert Level: **Watch** and Aviation Color Code: **Orange**

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>

Spills of Oil and Hazardous Substances

The ADEC Spill Prevention and Response page is located at:

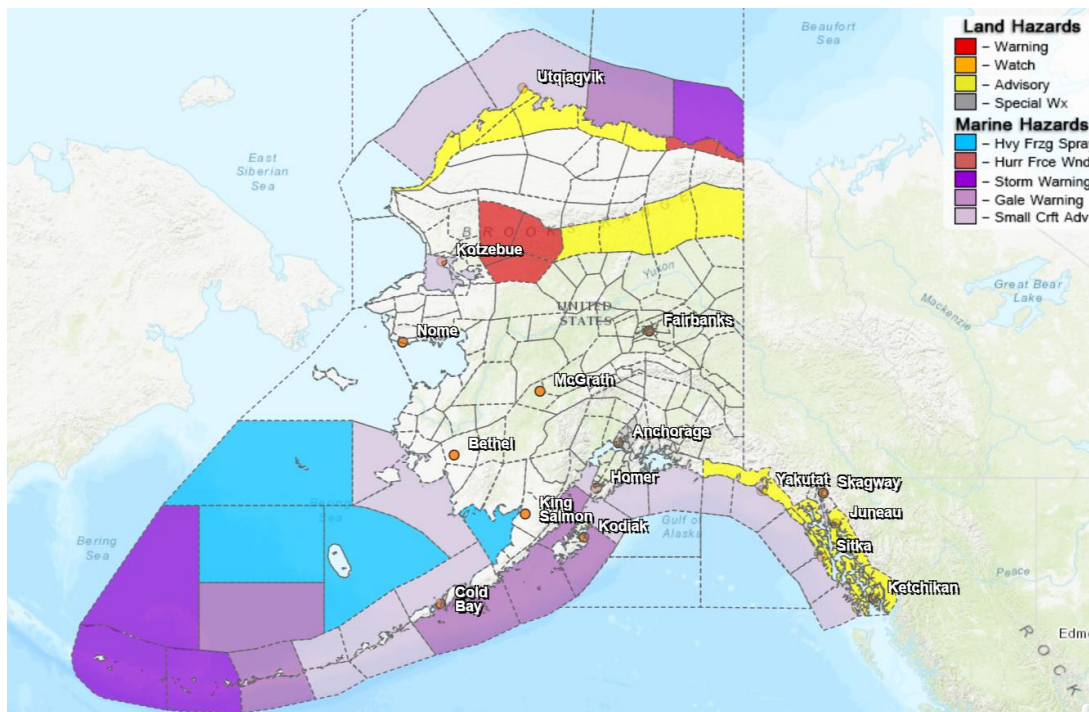
<http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/ppr/spill-information/response/>

Alaska Cyber Security Information

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

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

Significant Weather:



A Blizzard Warning is in effect for the Eastern Beaufort Sea Coast until 3:00 P.M. tomorrow.

A Winter Storm Warning remains in effect for the Upper Kobuk and Noatak Valleys – An additional 1 to 3 inches of snow accumulation is expected until 3:00 P.M. tomorrow.

A Dense Fog Advisory is in effect for most of the Panhandle from 9:00 P.M. today until noon tomorrow.

Winter Weather Advisories are in effect for the following areas:

- Western Arctic Coast – 1 to 2 inches of snow accumulation until midnight tonight.
- Northern Arctic Coast – up to 1 inch of snow accumulation is possible until 6:00 A.M. tomorrow.
- Southeastern Brooks Range – 1 to 3 inches of snow and winds gusting to 40 mph are possible until noon today.
- Central Beaufort Sea Coast – Blowing snow is expected with accumulations of up to 1 inch until 6:00 P.M. today.

A Special Weather Statement has been issued for Anchorage and the Mat-Su Valley. Light snow accumulations are expected across the region this morning.

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

Avalanche Forecast:



There are areas near Valdez and Thompson Pass with considerable risk. There are areas near Cordova, Haines, Chilkat Lake, Valdez, and the Richardson Highway with high risk.

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/avalancheweather>

The Next Situation Report: will be 26 January 2022. 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