

# ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT 24-031 • January 31, 2024



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SEOC Preparedness Level	http://ready.alaska.gov	National Terrorism Advisory System:
Level 1 – Routine Operations	nttp://ready.alaska.gov	Read the 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 red.)

# **Significant Issues:**

## **Chevak – Building Fire**

The SEOC will continue the monitor the event.

# Mertarvik - Power Outage

SEOC was notified that power was restored to the community but there are reports of a frozen water line. SEOC is coordinating with DEC and the Remote Maintenance Worker program to assist.

# **Quinhagak Power Outage Disaster**

State Individual Assistance application hotline and website is open for Quinhagak residents at <a href="https://www.ready.alaska.gov/Recovery/IA">https://www.ready.alaska.gov/Recovery/IA</a> or by phone 1 (844) 445-7131. The deadline to apply for State Individual Assistance is March 2, 2024.

#### State of Alaska Department of Health (DOH)

The DOH stands ready to assist with all aspects of public health and, in the event of a public health emergency, is supported by the SEOC and other state departments as required. For current information, see: <a href="https://health.alaska.gov/dph/Pages/default.aspx">https://health.alaska.gov/dph/Pages/prepared/default.aspx</a>
<a href="https://health.alaska.gov/dph/Emergency/Pages/prepared/default.aspx">https://health.alaska.gov/dph/Emergency/Pages/prepared/default.aspx</a>

#### **NTAS Bulletin**

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security issued an updated National Terrorism Advisory Bulletin on May 24, 2023. The current and expired bulletins can be viewed at the below link. <a href="https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system">https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system</a>

#### **Travel Alerts and Conditions**

The Klondike Highway is closed due to heavy ice on the road surfaces.

For current driving conditions, dial 511 or visit: <a href="https://511.alaska.gov/">https://511.alaska.gov/</a>

#### Barry Arm Landslide / Tsunami Risk

For the latest information on the Barry Arm Landslide and Tsunami risk, click here: https://dqgs.alaska.gov/hazards/barry-arm-landslide.html

#### **Earthquakes**

United States Geological Service (USGS) Earthquake Information: http://earthquake.usgs.gov/National Tsunami Warning Center: http://tsunami.gov/

#### Alaska Volcanoes

Kanaga Alert Level Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow Great Sitkin Alert Level: Watch and Aviation Color Code: Orange Shishaldin 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: <a href="http://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Home/Index">http://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Home/Index</a>

#### **Spills of Oil and Hazardous Substances**

The Alaska Division of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) Spill Prevention and Response page is located at:

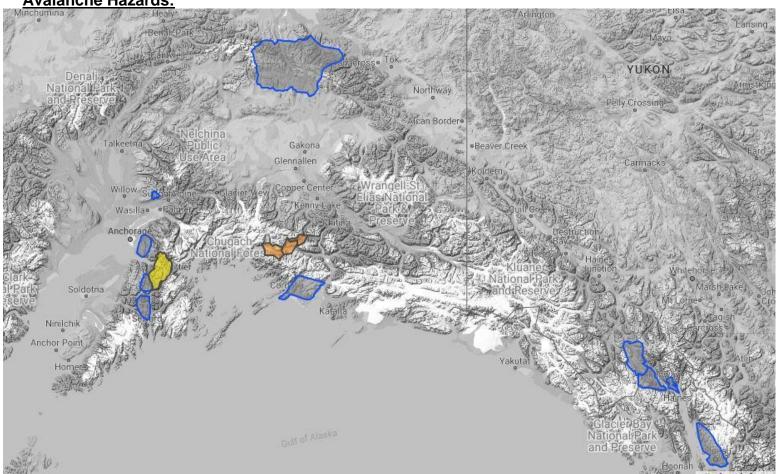
https://dec.alaska.gov/spar/

#### **Alaska Cyber Security Information**

State Employees may sign up for cybersecurity notifications and alerts at <a href="https://oit.alaska.gov/security">https://oit.alaska.gov/security</a>

Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)-Cybersecurity Services and Tools: www.cisa.gov/free-cybersecurity-services-and-tools

**Avalanche Hazards:** 



- Turnagain Pass Moderate at all elevations.
- Valdez Considerable at all elevations.
- All other area, no updates available.

For more information and the most current avalanche conditions, go to <a href="https://alaskasnow.org">https://alaskasnow.org</a>

**Significant Weather:** Land Hazards - Warning Advisory **Weimyik** - Watch - Special Wx Marine Hazards - Hvy Frzg Spray - Hurr Frce Wnd - Storm Warning Gale Warning - Small Crft Adv B R O' O 4 Cottenue Great Bear Lake - Fairbanks - empla Medalin Andhorage Dalidi Valual Saguay King Salmen Kodak Juneau (Keelilan Edmont

# **Winter Weather Advisory**

- Glacier Bay; Eastern Chichagof Island Until 3pm Thursday.
- Admiralty Island Starting 4 AM to 4 PM Thursday.
- Pribilof Islands Until 11 AM Thursday.

#### **Winter Storm Warning**

• Municipality of Skagway; Haines Borough, Klukwan and City/Borough of Juneau – In effect until 3PM Thursday.

# **Special Weather Statement**

- South Slopes of The Eastern Brooks Range, South Slopes of the Central Brooks Range Upper Koyukuk Valley, Dalton Highway Summits, Yukon Flats, White Mountains, High Terrain South of the Yukon River, Upper Chena River Valley, Tanana Flats, Eielson AFB and Salcha, Goldstream Valley, Nenana Hills, Chatanika River Valley, Two Rivers Fairbanks Metro Area Nenana, Central Interior, and the Northern Denali Borough
  - Another arctic blast Tuesday night unto the weekend

#### **Wind Chill Advisory**

- Lower Yukon River, Lower Yukon, Innoko Valleys and the Bering Strait Coast Until noon today.
- Eastern Norton Sound and Nulato Hills Until 6PM this evening.

# **Blizzard Warning Eastern**

Beaufort Sea Coast – Expected through this weekend.

For more information and the most current weather, Watches / Warnings / Advisories go to: <a href="https://www.weather.gov/arh/">https://www.weather.gov/arh/</a>

The Next Situation Report will be February 1, 2024. A significant change in the situation or the threat level will prompt an interim report. This report is posted on the internet at <a href="https://ready.alaska.gov/sitrep">https://ready.alaska.gov/sitrep</a>.

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.