



ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



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<u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 1 – Routine Operations	http://ready.alaska.gov	<u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> Read the NTAS Bulletin here
<u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u> Level:1-Minimum Appropriate Security Measures	WHO Novel Coronavirus Pandemic (COVID-19): 2019 Novel Coronavirus	<u>Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level:</u> FPCON Bravo

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

Significant Issues:

None

State of Alaska Department of Health (DOH)

The DOH is leading the State of Alaska COVID-19 Recovery, supported by the 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

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security has issued an updated National Terrorism Advisory Bulletin. The updated bulletin can be viewed at the below link.

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 <https://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

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

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

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

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

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

Trident 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>

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/>

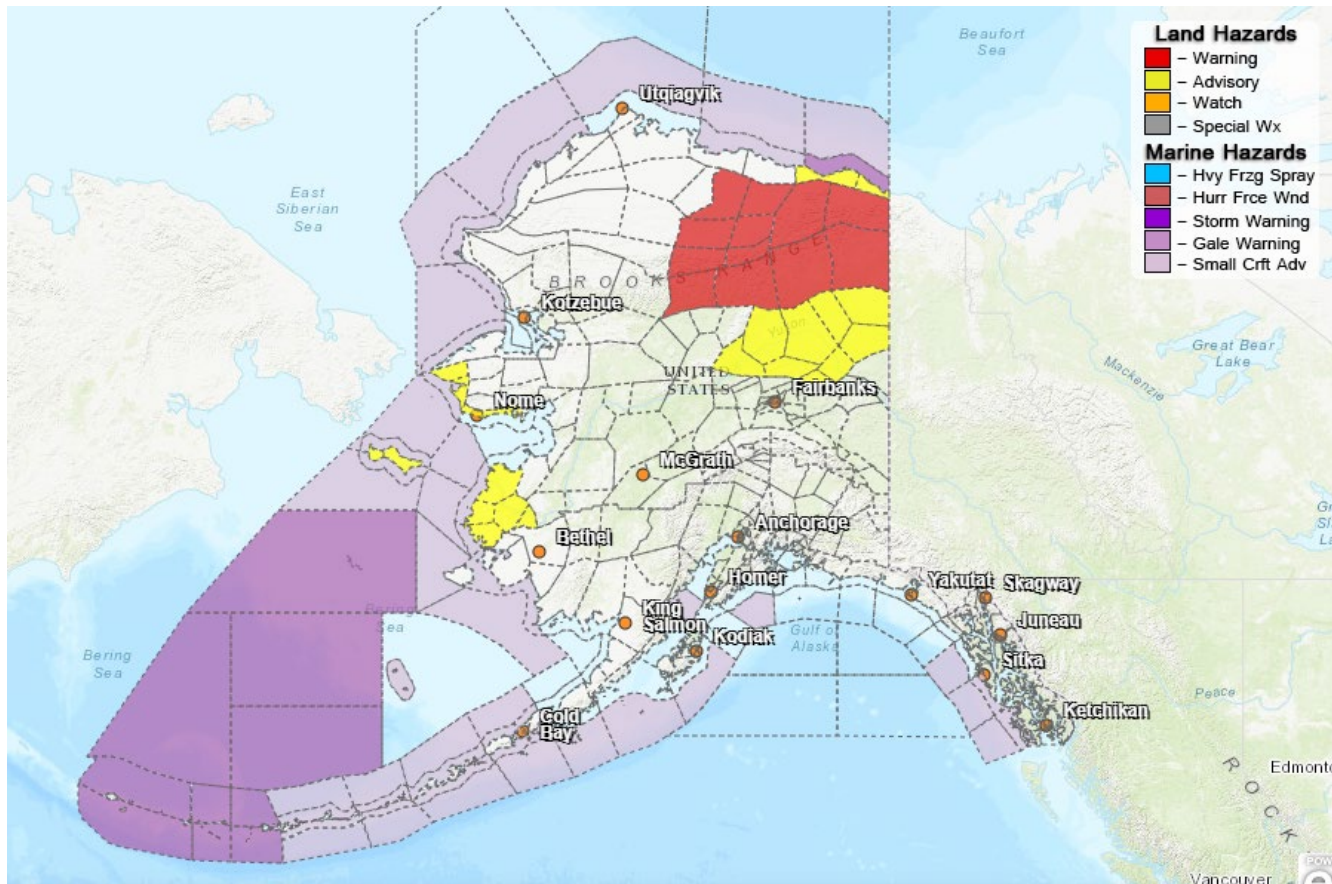
Alaska Cyber Security Information

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

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

CISA-Cybersecurity Services and Tools: www.cisa.gov/free-cybersecurity-services-and-tools

Significant Weather:



The following Winter Weather Advisories are in effect:

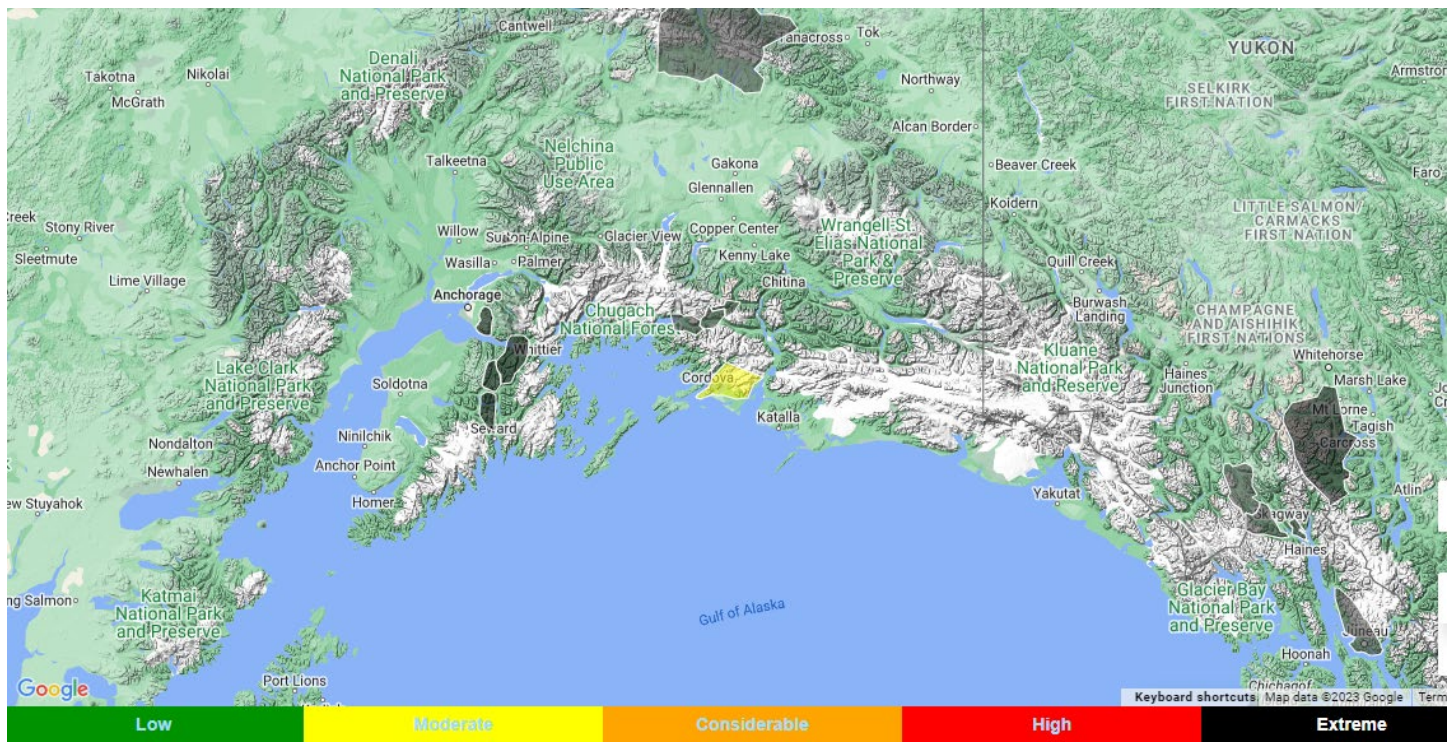
- St Lawrence Island and Bering Strait Coast - Snow and blowing snow with low visibility expected. Total snow accumulations of 4 to 6 inches. Winds gusting as high as 40 mph from 10:00AM this morning through 4:00PM Thursday.
- Southern Seward Peninsula Coast - Snow and blowing snow with low visibility expected. Total snow accumulations of 4 to 6 inches. Winds gusting as high as 40 mph from Midnight tonight through Midnight Wednesday.
- Yukon Delta - Snow and blowing snow with low visibility expected. Total snow accumulations of 4 inches. Winds gusting as high as 40 mph from 8:00Pm this evening through 10:00PM Wednesday.
- Yukon Flats and Surrounding Uplands – Blowing snow and west winds up to 40 mph through noon today.
- Eastern Beaufort Sea Coast - Snow and blowing snow with low visibility expected. Total snow accumulations of up to one inch. Winds gusting as high as 40 mph through 6:00PM this evening.

The following Winter Storm Warnings are in effect:

- Northeastern and Southeastern Brooks Range - Snow and blowing snow with brief blizzard conditions. Additional snow accumulations of 1 inch. Winds gusting as high to 40 mph through noon today.

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

Avalanche Forecast:



- Haines – Moderate advisory level above 1,500ft and low advisory level below 1,500ft.
- Valdez – Considerable avalanche advisory level 1,500 ft and above and moderate below 1,500 ft.
- Cordova area: Considerable advisory level above 2,000 ft, Moderate advisory level from 1,00ft to 2,000ft and low advisory level below 1,000 ft.
- Turnagain Pass – Considerable avalanche advisory above 1,000 ft., Moderate avalanche advisory level below 1,000 ft.
- Hatcher Pass – Moderate advisory level above 2,500 ft. for Wind Slab on Southwest to Northwest aspects on slopes 35° and steeper. Low advisory level below 2,500 ft.

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 **29 March 2023**. 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