



**ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY &
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<p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 1 – Routine Operations.</p>	<p align="center">http://ready.alaska.gov</p>	<p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> Read the NTAS Bulletin here</p>
<p>Maritime Security (MARSEC) 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 red.)

Significant Issues:

2024 Riverwatch Operations

SEOC will deploy to the Upper Yukon Division, and the Kuskokwim Division, on Monday, April 29th to commence the annual Riverwatch aerial surveillance of ice and river conditions during spring break-up. The Divisions, staffed with SEOC Operators and National Weather Service (NWS) Hydrologists, will fly rivers as breakup proceeds providing local communities with real-time reports on river conditions and flood risk. Divisions will be immediately available should flooding occur to support local response.

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: <https://health.alaska.gov/dph/Pages/default.aspx>
<https://health.alaska.gov/dph/Emergency/Pages/prepared/default.aspx>

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.

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

Travel Alerts and Conditions

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

Barry Arm Landslide / Tsunami Risk

For the latest information on the Barry Arm Landslide and Tsunami risk, click here: <https://dggs.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

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:

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

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

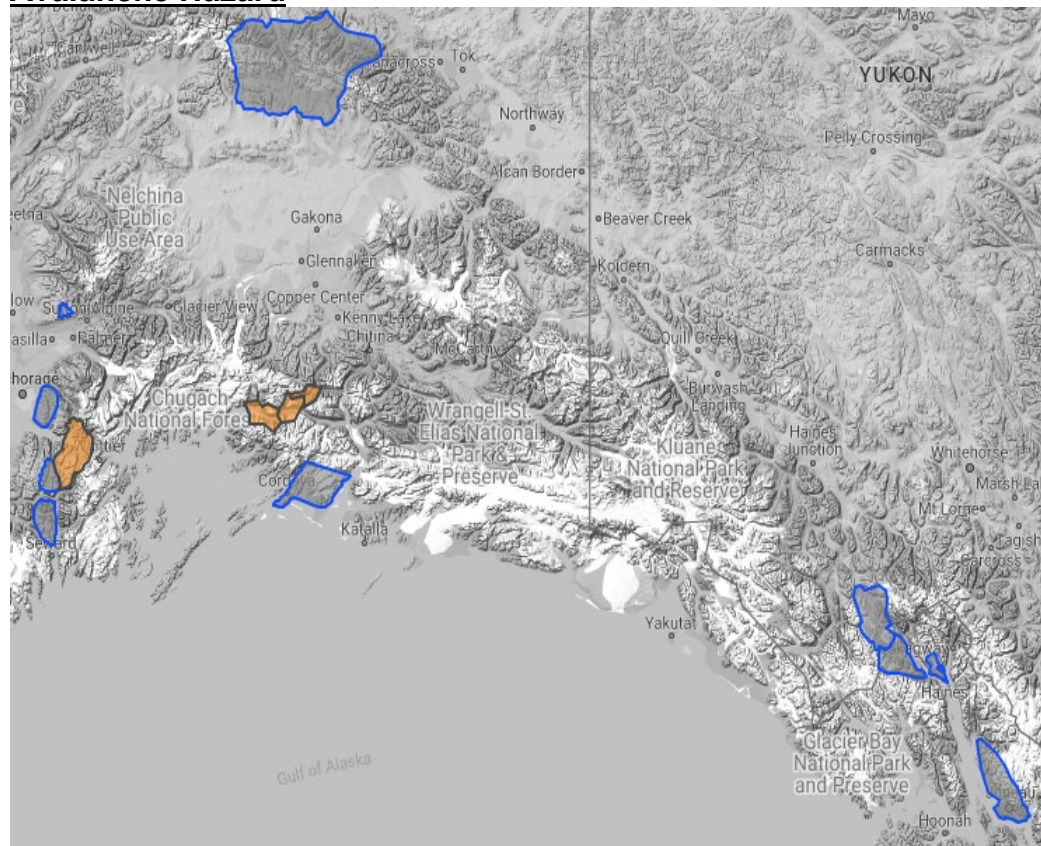
State Employees may sign up for cybersecurity notifications and alerts at

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

Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)-Cybersecurity Services and Tools:

www.cisa.gov/free-cybersecurity-services-and-tools

Avalanche Hazard



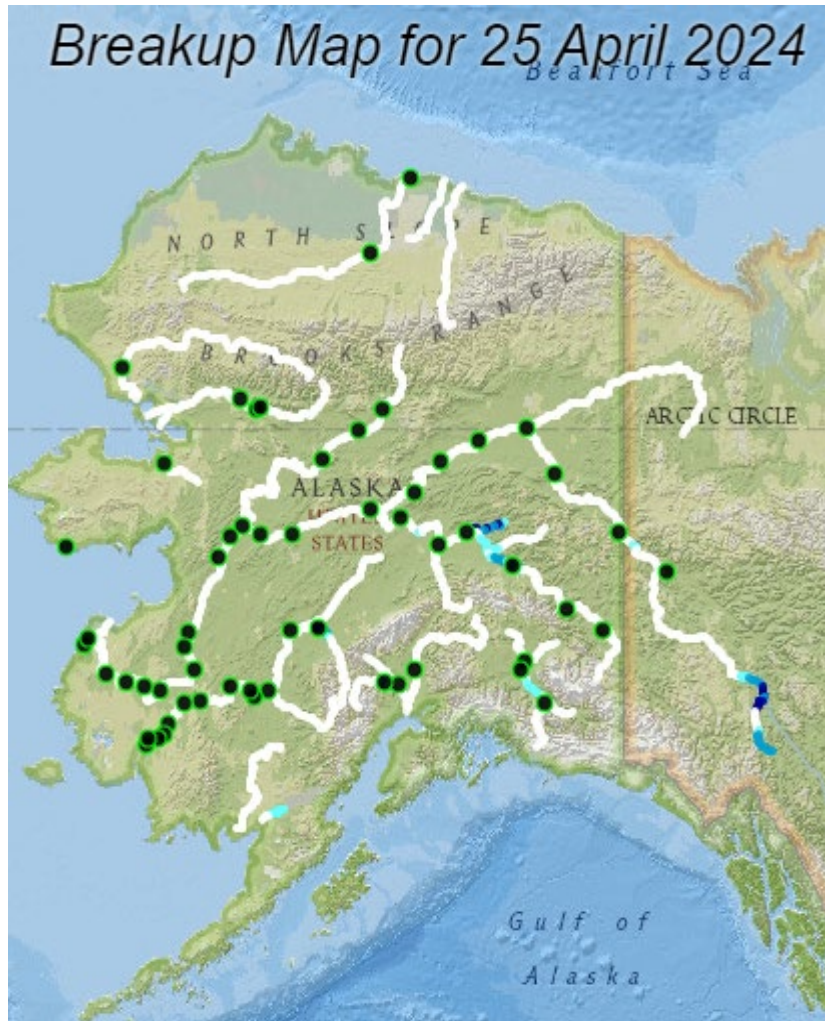
Travel in avalanche terrain is not recommended. Avoid being on or beneath all steep slopes.

Turnagain Pass- Low but quickly rise to Considerable as temperatures heat up

Valdez- Low today on all aspects and elevations

For information and the most current avalanche conditions, go to <https://alaskasnow.org>

Riverwatch Breakup Outlook:



River Status

Unknown
Mostly Ice
Some Open
Mostly Open
Open
Flood Advisory
Flood Watch
Flood Warning

Community Status

● No Warning ●
● Flood Advisory ●
● Flood Watch ●
● Flood Warning ●

Flood Advisory

Issued when flooding is imminent or occurring, generally within the next 1 to 3 hours, but is not expected to substantially threaten life and property.

Flood Watch

Issued when there is the possibility of widespread general flooding over an area within the next 36 hours.

Flood Warning for River Fcst Point

Issued when a river level has exceeded, or is forecast to exceed, moderate or major flood stage.

View

Recent River notes and updates at: [Alaska-Pacific RFC \(weather.gov\)](https://www.weather.gov/alaska-pacific/rfc)

Alaska Wildland 2024 Fire Season:

The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center is at Preparedness Level: 1

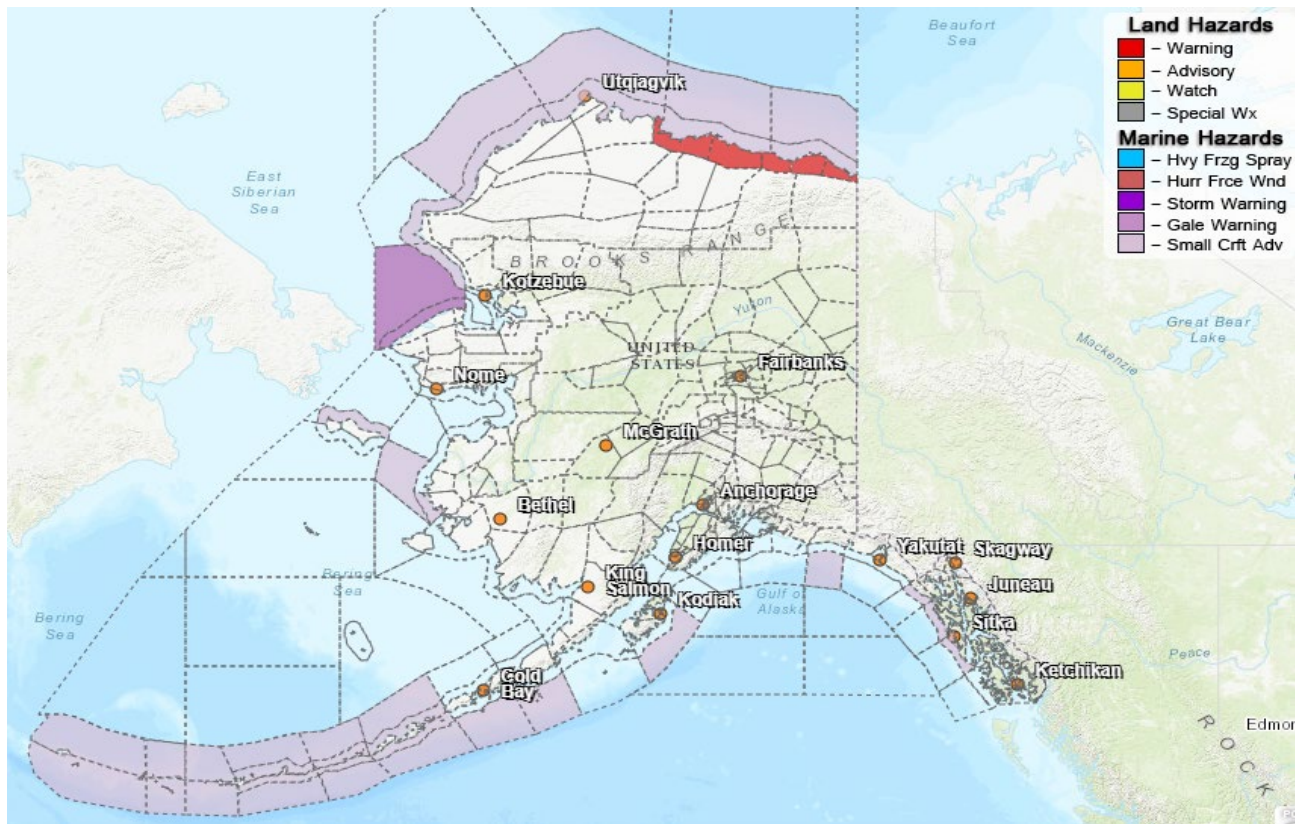
Total Fires YTD: 24

Total Acres: 32

There are currently 0 active fire(s) with 2 new and 0 fire(s) staffed.

For more information, go to <https://fire.ak.blm.gov/> or <https://akfireinfo.com/>

Significant Weather



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

Blizzard Warning:

- **Central Beaufort Sea Coast, Eastern Beaufort Sea Coast-10 am this morning until 10 pm Friday**

The Next Situation Report will be **April 26, 2024**. 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.