



**ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY &  
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<p><u><a href="#">SEOC Preparedness Level</a></u> Level 1 – Normal Operations</p>	<p><u><a href="http://ready.alaska.gov">http://ready.alaska.gov</a></u></p>	<p><u><a href="#">National Terrorism Advisory System:</a></u> View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: <u><a href="#">You can read the new NTAS Bulletin here.</a></u></p>
<p><u><a href="#">Maritime Security (MARSEC)</a></u> Level: 1-Significant Risk</p>	<p><u><a href="#">WHO Post Pandemic:</a></u> Disease activity at seasonal levels.</p>	<p><u><a href="#">Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level:</a></u> FPCON Bravo</p>

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

**THREAT LEVEL CHANGES** : NONE

**DHS&EM OPERATIONS**

**Cook Inlet M7.1 Earthquake (FEMA Declaration 4413-DR)**

DHS&EM, FEMA, and other federal agencies are managing the recovery efforts associated with the Cook Inlet M7.1 earthquake at the Joint Field Office (JFO) in Anchorage.

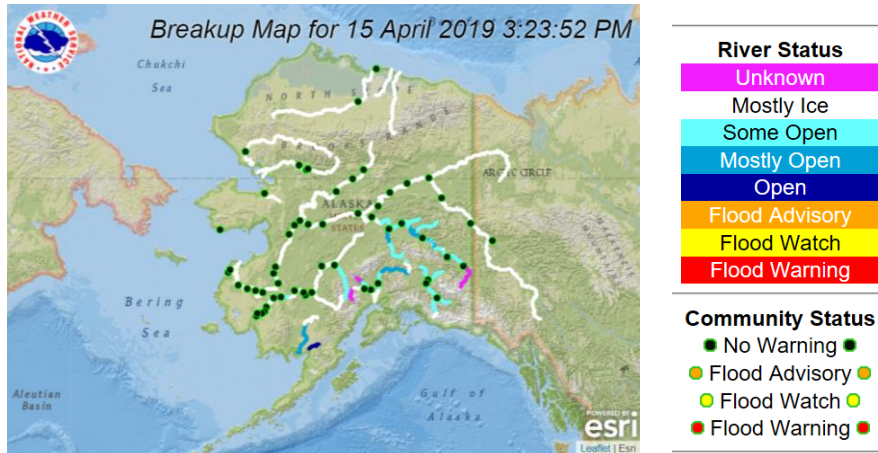
**Diomedes Water Shortage**

The SEOC is monitoring efforts to address a water supply issue in Diomedes that began last Thursday, April 11. Norton Sound Health Corporation (NSHC) believes a failed water pump at the Diomedes water treatment plant is the cause of the disruption that has stopped water flow to the school, clinic and washeteria. These buildings are the only facilities served by the water system; the rest of the community hauls water from the washeteria. A NSHC Remote Maintenance Worker (RMW) and Alaska Native Tribal Health Consortium’s (ANTHC) Tribal Utility Support team are providing technical assistance and plan to travel to Diomedes Tuesday to assess the situation. DEC reports ANTHC does have a limited amount of emergency funding that can be used in cases such as this, but it is limited to \$5,000 per community. This may be enough to buy replacement pumps, if needed. NSHC has reached out to US Senators Sullivan and Murkowski to make them aware of this situation.

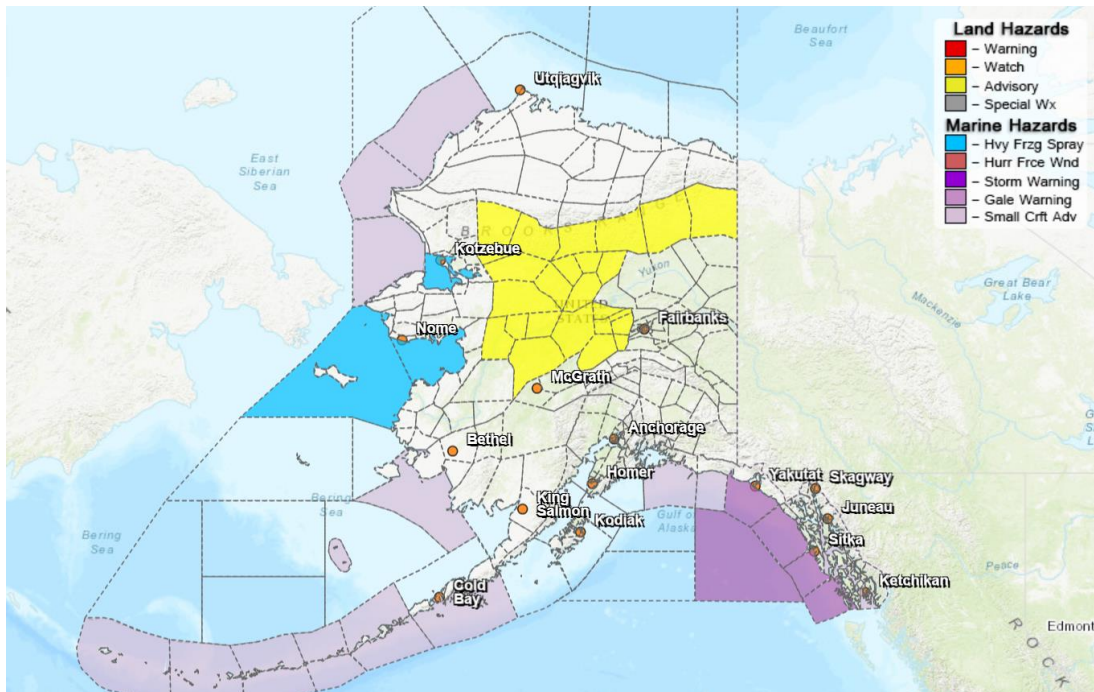
**State & FEMA Response Activity**

<b>Individual Assistance (IA)</b>	<i>All data is as of close of business (COB) prior duty day</i>
State Registrations	<b>13,845</b>
FEMA Registrations	<b>8,574</b>
SBA Loans Approved	<b>1,209</b>

**RiverWatch 2019:** Even though a particular river or reach may be described as mostly open or open. It is still possible for runs of ice and debris to move through as headwaters upstream breakup. Please use caution at all times when attempting to navigate rivers. Breakup of the state's major rivers continues; however, no significant reported to the SEOC.



## Significant Weather



The Winter Weather Advisory remains in effect until 6 AM AKDT Wednesday for the Upper, Lower Koyukuk Valleys and Middle Yukon Valleys, Upper Kobuk and Noatak Valleys, Southeastern Brooks Range and Central Interior.

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

## Avalanche Forecast:

Hatcher Pass, Cordova and Turnagain: Show Moderate danger levels of avalanche risks.

Please check the below website for your area before engaging in backcountry activities.

For the most up to date Avalanche information: <https://alaskasnow.org/>

## **Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories**

No active advisories/episodes are currently in effect.

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

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

The Alaska DHSS website is located at <http://dhss.alaska.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

## **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/>

## **Recent Earthquakes**

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

National Tsunami Warning Center: <http://ntwc.arh.noaa.gov/>

## **Travel Advisory**

For current driving conditions dial 511 or link to <http://511.alaska.gov/>

## **Alaska Volcanoes**

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

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

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

## **Alaska Cyber Security Information**

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

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

**The Next Situation Report:** will be 17 April 2019 at 8:00 am. 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](mailto:seoc@alaska.gov).