



**ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY &
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<p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 3 – For COVID-19 Response</p>	<p>http://ready.alaska.gov</p>	<p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: read the current 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.)

THREAT LEVEL CHANGES: None.

Significant Issues

Chignik 7.8 Earthquake

The SEOC is continuing to assess the damages from the July 21, 2020 earthquake in consultation with the Lake and Peninsula Borough, Aleutians East Borough, and local communities.

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic

A unified command has been established at the SEOC. The SEOC Preparedness Level remains at Level 3 for this event.

2020 Fire Season

The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center, (AICC) is at Preparedness Level 1.

Wildland fire totals for 2020:

Total Fires = 327

Total Acres = 181,208

There are currently 23 active fires with 0 fires currently staffed.

Alaska Interagency Coordination Center Wildland Fire Dashboard: <https://arcg.is/1GfGTa1>

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

DHSS is operating as the Medical Branch under the State EOC/Unified Command.

For more information about the outbreak refer to:

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

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

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

NTAS BULLETIN:

To read the current bulletin, select the link below to view the PDF version:

https://www.dhs.gov/sites/default/files/ntas/alerts/20_0118_ntas_bulletin.pdf

Travel Alerts and Conditions

COVID-19 Health Mandates may affect travel. Check <https://covid19.alaska.gov/> for current Health Mandates.

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

Recent Earthquakes

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

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

Alaska Volcanoes

Cleveland Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Great Sitkin Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Semisopchnoi Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Makushin Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Veniaminof Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

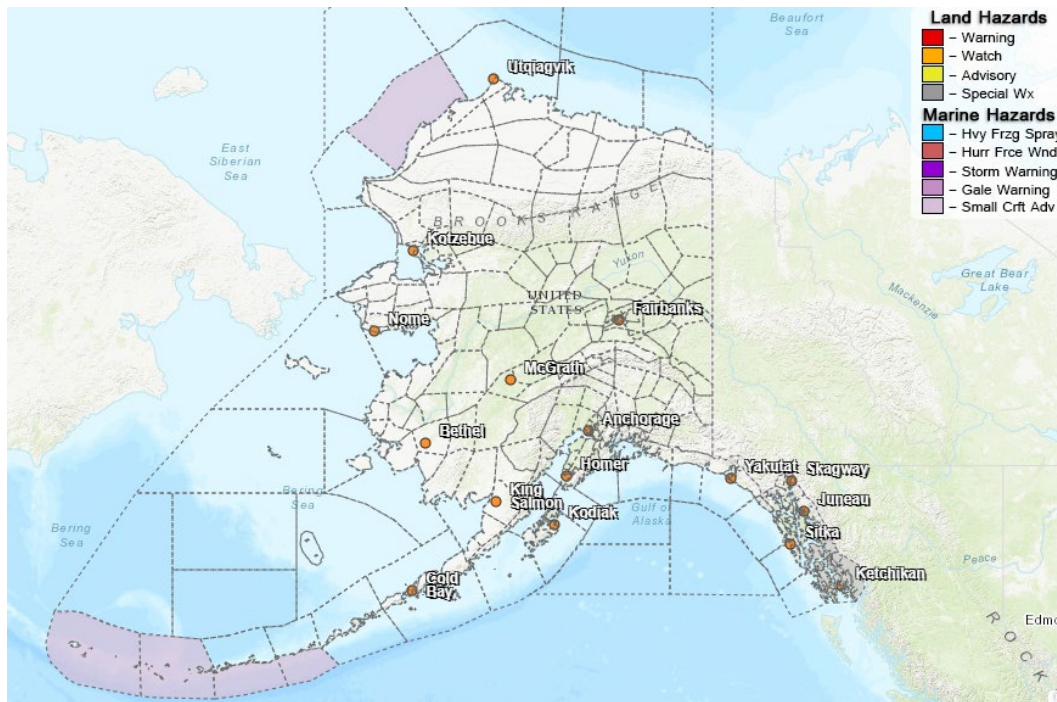
For Alaska Volcano updates, go to: <https://www.avo.alaska.edu/>

Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories

For the most up to date Air Quality Index Advisories:

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

Significant Weather:



A Flood Advisory is currently in effect until noon today for Ward Lake in the Southern Inner Channels.

A Special Weather Statement indicates that river levels in The Southern Inner Channels and nearby areas of the southern panhandle will remain high through Monday but will be decreasing.

For more information and the most current weather Watches / Warnings / Advisories go to:

<http://www.weather.gov/arh/>

For Fire weather: <https://fsapps.nwcg.gov/psp/npsg/forecast/#/outlooks?state=map&gacclid=1>

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>

The Next Situation Report: will be 18 August 2020. 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.