



**ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY &
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<p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 1 – Routine Operations</p>	<p>http://ready.alaska.gov</p>	<p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: You can read the new NTAS Bulletin here.</p>
<p><u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u> Level:1-Minimum Appropriate Security Measures</p>	<p><u>WHO Post Pandemic:</u> Disease activity at seasonal levels.</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: SEOC LEVEL 1 – ROUTINE OPERATIONS

Significant Issues:

Wildland Fires

This incident has transitioned to the Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management’s Disaster Assistance section for implementation of the Individual Assistance, Temporary Housing, and Public Assistance programs under the Governor’s declaration of disaster.

Application for State Disaster Individual Assistance remains available online through October 22, 2019.

Water Shortages

The SEOC continues to assist communities within the Lake and Peninsula and Kenai Peninsula Boroughs, to recover from their shortage of fresh water. The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation has been working with the communities to provide technical assistance. Regional tribal health organizations, and volunteer and faith-based organizations have been furnishing the following communities with a temporary water supply:

- Chignik Lagoon
- Seldovia
- Nanwalek

2019 Fire Season

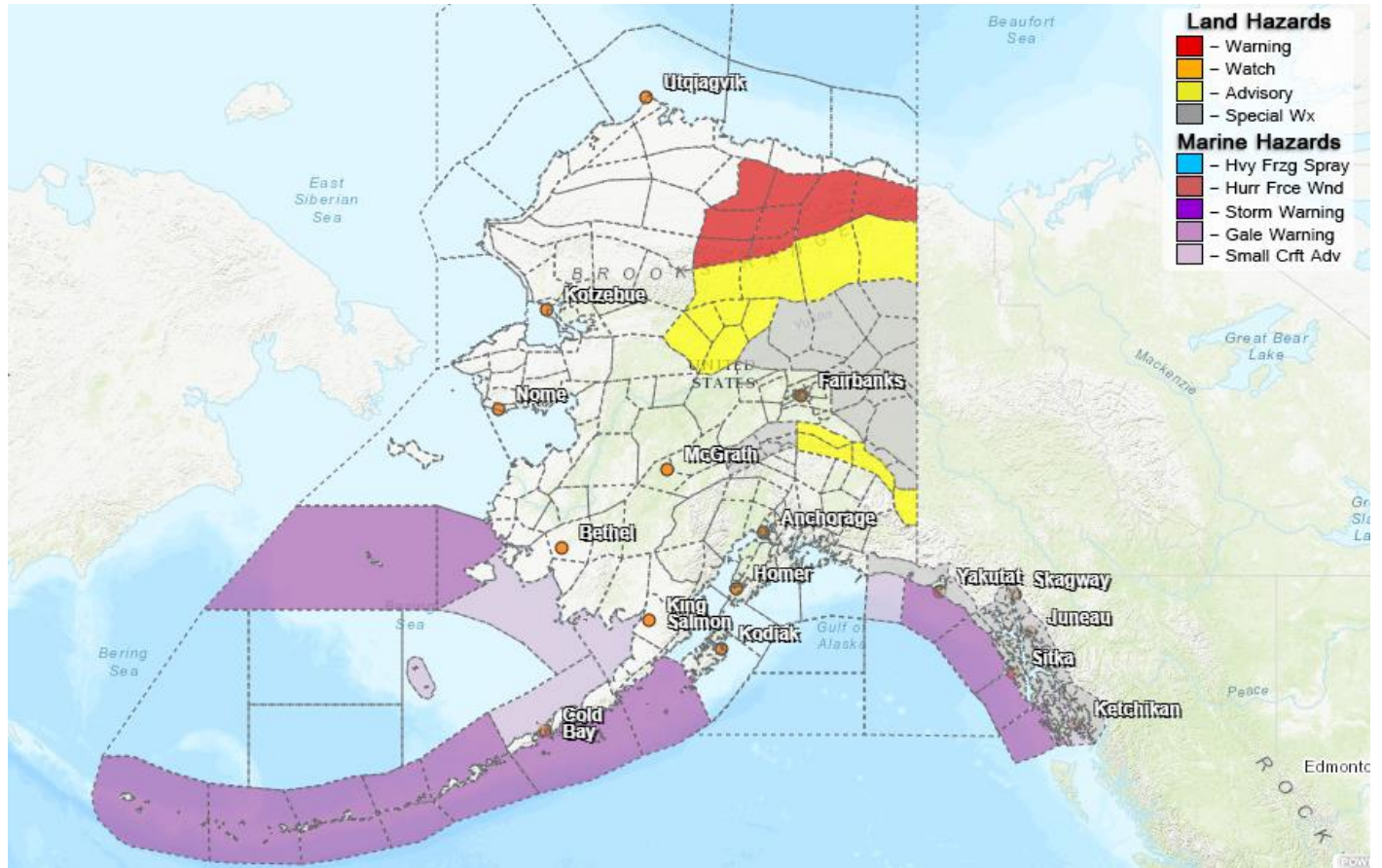
The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center is at Preparedness Level 2.

Wildland fire totals for 2019:

- Total Fires = **718**
- Total Acres = **2,583,651.0** There are currently **182** active fires with 4 fires currently staffed.

Current fire information is at <http://fire.ak.blm.gov> , <https://inciweb.nwcg.gov/> or <https://akfireinfo.com/>

Significant Weather:



Winter storm warning for the Northeastern and Southeastern Brooks Range in effect until Tuesday afternoon. There is also a special weather statement in effect for snow possible on the Denali Park road as well as the Yukon flats in the upper Tanana Valley until this afternoon.

Heavy rainfall possible Wednesday and into early next week for much of the southeast panhandle.

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

Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories

No active advisories are currently in effect.

For the most up to date Air Quality Index Advisories:

<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

Yesterday at approximately 5:10pm there was a 5.2 magnitude earthquake located 42km west of Willow with a depth of 69km. There are no tsunami warnings, advisors or threats issued.

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

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

Travel Alerts and Conditions

There are no current traffic alerts at this time

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

Alaska Volcanoes

Cleveland Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Shishaldin Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Orange.

Semisopchnoi Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Orange

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 **18** September 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.