

ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



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SEOC Preparedness Level Heightened Awareness – Response to COVID-19 and Recovery from December Southeast Storms	http://ready.alaska.gov	National Terrorism Advisory System: View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: read the current NTAS Bulletin here.
Maritime Security (MARSEC) Level:1-Minimum Appropriate Security Measures	WHO Novel Coronavirus Pandemic (COVID-19): 2019 Novel Coronavirus	Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level: FPCON Bravo

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

THREAT LEVEL CHANGES:

None

Significant Issues:

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic:

A unified command has been established at the SEOC. The SEOC continues to support statewide response to COVID-19.

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 current advisories, select the link below.

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

Travel Alerts and Conditions

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

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://earthquake.usgs.gov/

Alaska Volcanoes

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

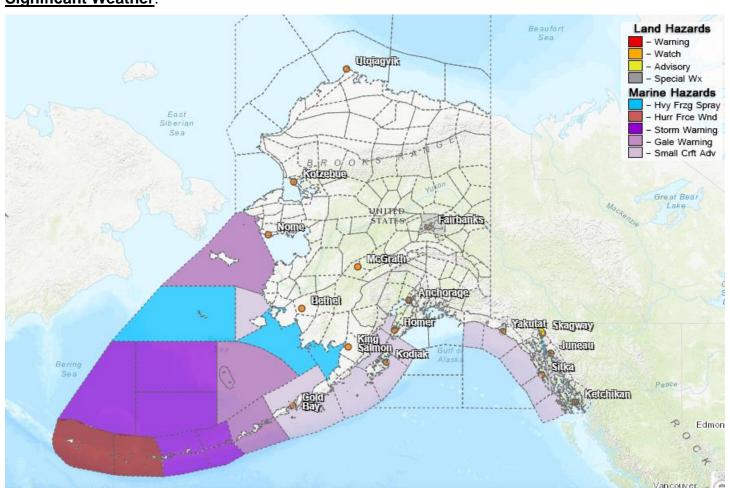
Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories

A Stage 2 Alert is in effect for both the Fairbanks and North Pole Zones until 2:00 P.M. tomorrow.

For the most up to date Air Quality Index Advisories:

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

Significant Weather:



A High Wind Warning is in effect for the Western Aleutians until 6:00 P.M. today. Southeast winds 55 to 75 mph with gusts to 80 mph are expected. The strongest winds will be from Kiska Island eastward.

A Wind Chill Advisory is in effect for the Taiya Inlet and Klondike Highway from midnight tonight until midnight Wednesday night. Wild chills as low as 35 below zero with northeast winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 45 mph are expected.

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

Avalanche Forecast:

- Areas near Cordova with low risk
- Areas near Haines, Chilkat Pass, Valdez, and along the Richardson Highway with moderate risk.

Check the Avalanche Forecast Center closest to your area for the most up to date information on Avalanche potential. https://alaskasnow.org/ or https://alaskasnow.org/ or https://www.weather.gov/afc/avalanche

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 cybersecurity notifications and alerts at https://oit.alaska.gov/Security

<u>The Next Situation Report:</u> will be 27 January 2021. A significant change in the situation or the threat level will prompt an interim report.

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