

# ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



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SEOC Preparedness Level	http://ready.alaska.gov	National Terrorism Advisory System:
Level 2 – Wildland Fires	ittp://ready.alaska.gov	Read the 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 red.)

# Significant Issues:

Numerous wildland fires in the Interior continued to spread yesterday resulting in a change of over 8,000 additional acres to the statewide year-to-date estimated total.

State Operations is now an active participant in the Anderson Complex Cooperators Team Meetings which were initiated by the Type 2 Incident Management Team (IMT) yesterday. The SEOC anticipates sending emergency managers up to the Anderson Complex with the Mobile Emergency Operations Center (MEOC) trailer tomorrow. The MEOC will be staffed for the remainder of the threat, to provide a reliable base of operations and communications platform. In addition, the SEOC continues daily contact with both the Denali and North Star Borough local emergency management personnel, ensuring lines of open communication.

The city and Borough of Juneau are under a flood watch for possible flooding associated with the glacier-dammed Mendenhall Lake and river within Suicide Basin. The SEOC is actively coordinating with Juneau area emergency management and monitoring the situation.

# 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, 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 has issued an updated National Terrorism Advisory Bulletin. The updated bulletin can be viewed at the below link.

To read current or expired advisories, click the link below: https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system

# **Travel Alerts and Conditions**

- Alaska Department of Transportation many cameras down due connectivity issues.
- Geist Rd westbound right lane closed for pedestrian foot-bridge repairs. From Johansen Expressway to Fairbanks St.

For current driving conditions dial 511 or link to <a href="https://511.alaska.gov/">https://511.alaska.gov/</a>

# 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

# **Recent Earthquakes**

USGS Earthquake Information: <a href="http://earthquake.usgs.gov/">http://earthquake.usgs.gov/</a> National Tsunami Warning Center: <a href="http://tsunami.gov/">http://tsunami.gov/</a>

#### **Alaska Volcanoes**

Aniakchak Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow Cleveland Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow Great Sitkin Alert Level: Watch and Aviation Color Code: Orange Semisopochnoi Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow Shishaldin Alert Level: Watch and Aviation Color Code: Orange Trident Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow For Alaska Volcano updates, go to: https://www.avo.alaska.edu/

#### Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories

Air Quality Advisory still in effect for Central and Eastern Alaska until 2 PM AKDT on Tuesday August 1, 2023, advisory will be issued until end of the event. 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 ADEC Spill Prevention and Response page is located at: <a href="http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/ppr/spill-information/response/">http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/ppr/spill-information/response/</a>

## **Alaska Cyber Security Information**

State Employees may sign up for cyber security notifications and alerts at <a href="https://oit.alaska.gov/security">https://oit.alaska.gov/security</a>

CISA-Cybersecurity Services and Tools: <a href="https://www.cisa.gov/free-cybersecurity-services-and-tools">www.cisa.gov/free-cybersecurity-services-and-tools</a>

## Alaska Wildland 2023 Fire Season:

The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center is at Preparedness Level: 3

Total Fires YTD: 280 Total Acres: 48,973

There are currently 132 active fire(s) with 3 new and 13 fire(s) staffed.

\*\*\* A change of 8,178 acres and 3 new fire starts yesterday.

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



Special Weather Statement in effect for Southeastern Brooks Range; Upper Koyukuk Valley; Yukon Flats and Surrounding Uplands; Central Interior; Middle Tanana Valley; Deltana and Tanana Flats; Upper Tanana Valley and the Fortymile Country; Denali; Eastern Alaska Range – Hot over Eastern Northern Alaska late this week and weekend.

Special Weather Statement still in effect for the Central Interior, Middle Tanana Valley, and Deltana and Tanana Flats – High water along the Tanana River into next week.

Flood Watch in effect for the City and Borough of Juneau – Watch for a glacier-dammed lake outburst through Thursday afternoon.

Dense Fog Advisory now in effect in the Western Prince William Sound until 9 AM AKDT this morning.

For more information and the most current weather, go to: <a href="http://www.weather.gov/arh.">http://www.weather.gov/arh.</a>

<u>The Next Situation Report</u> will be 2 August 2023. A significant change in the situation or the threat level will prompt an interim report. This report is posted on the internet at <a href="https://ready.alaska.gov/sitrep">https://ready.alaska.gov/sitrep</a>.

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