



**ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY &
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<p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 1 – Routine Operations.</p>	<p align="center">http://ready.alaska.gov</p>	<p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> Read the 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 red.)

Significant Issues:

Alaska X and Vigilant Guard Exercises

SEOC continues to participate in the Alaska X and Vigilant Guard exercises this week, testing Alaska’s disaster response capabilities.

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, is 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 issued an updated National Terrorism Advisory Bulletin on May 24, 2023. The current and expired bulletins can be viewed at the below link.
<https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system>

Travel Alerts and Conditions

For current driving conditions, dial 511 or visit: <https://511.alaska.gov/>

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>

Earthquakes

United States Geological Service (USGS) Earthquake Information: <http://earthquake.usgs.gov/>
National Tsunami Warning Center: <http://tsunami.gov/>

Alaska Volcanoes

Great Sitkin Alert Level: Watch and Aviation Color Code: **Orange**
Shishaldin 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>

Spills of Oil and Hazardous Substances

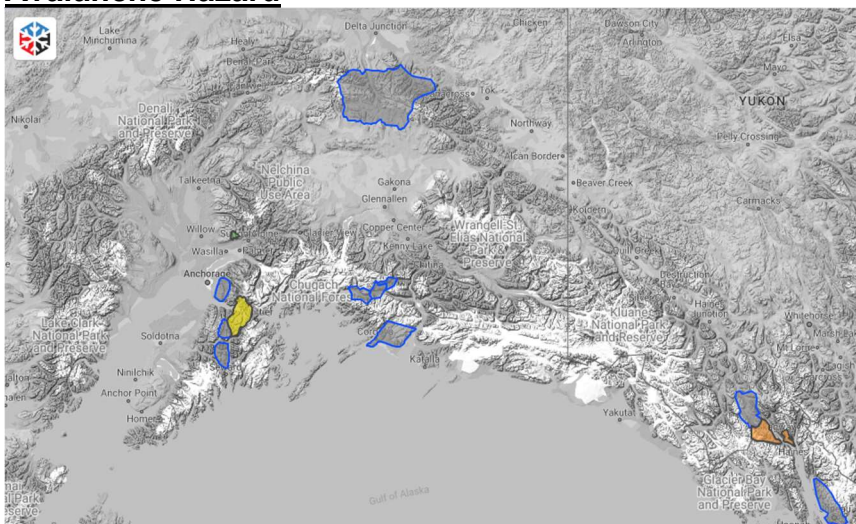
The Alaska Division of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) Spill Prevention and Response page is located at:
<https://dec.alaska.gov/spar/>

Alaska Cyber Security Information

State Employees may sign up for cybersecurity notifications and alerts at
<https://oit.alaska.gov/security>

Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)-Cybersecurity Services and Tools:

Avalanche Hazard

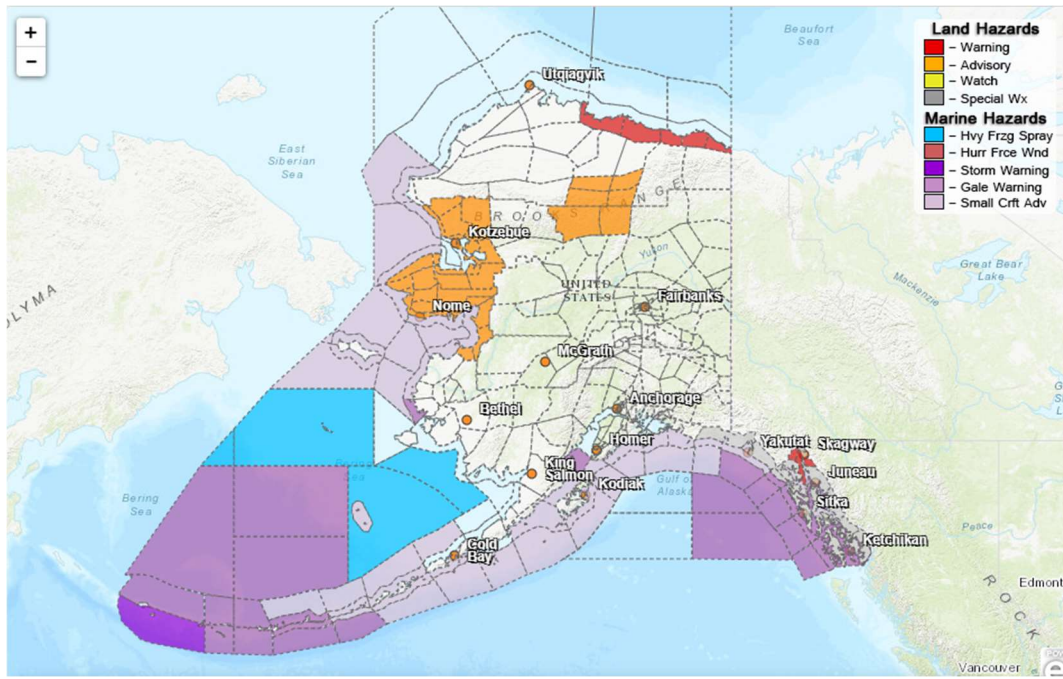


Travel in avalanche terrain is not recommended. Avoid being on or beneath all steep slopes.

Turnagain Pass – Moderate at all elevations.
Haines – Moderate below 2,500 FT; Considerable above.
Lutak – Considerable at all elevations.

For information and the most current avalanche conditions, go to <https://alaskasnow.org>

Significant Weather:



Special Weather Advisory

- **City and Borough of Yakutat; Municipality of Skagway; Haines Borough and Klukwan; Glacier Bay; Eastern Chichagof Island; Cape Fairweather to Lisianski Strait; City and Borough of Sitka; Admiralty Island; City and Borough of Juneau; Petersburg Borough; Western Kupreanof and Kuiu Island; Prince of Wales Island; City and Borough of Wrangell; Ketchikan Gateway Borough; Annette Island** – in effect for Warming and periods of heavier rain next week.

Wind Chill Advisory

- **Central Brooks Range and South Slopes of The Central Brooks Range** – in effect from Noon AKST today until 1 PM AKDT Monday.
- Noatak Valley; Kivalina and Red Dog Dock; Lower Kobuk Valley; Baldwin Peninsula; Northern Seward Peninsula; Shishmaref; Bering Strait Coast; Southern Seward Peninsula Coast; Interior Seward Peninsula; Eastern Norton Sound and Nulato Hills – in effect from 3 AM AKST Saturday to 1 PM AKDT Monday.

Wind Chill Warning

- **Central Beaufort Sea Coast** – in effect until 3 PM AKST this afternoon.
- **Eastern Beaufort Sea Coast** – in effect until 1 PM AKDT Monday.

Winter Storm Warning

- **Haines Borough and Klukwan** – in effect until Midnight AKST tonight.

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

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

The Next Situation Report will be **March 11, 2024**. 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.

