

ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



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SEOC Preparedness Level Level 2 Heightened Awareness – For COVID-19 Response	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 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://earthquake.usgs.gov/

Alaska Volcanoes

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

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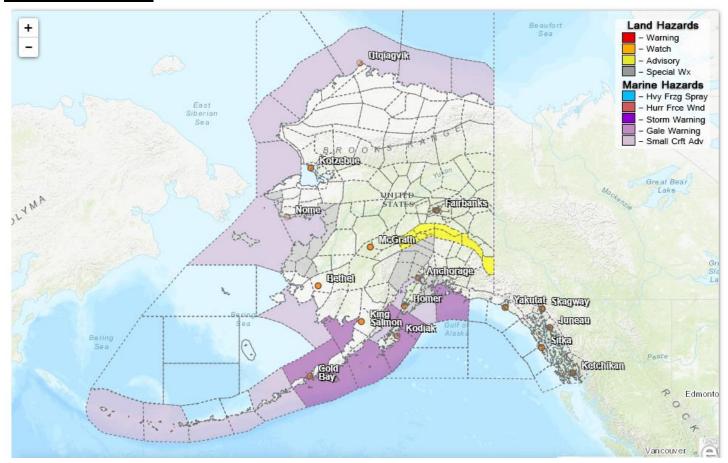
For Alaska Volcano updates, go to: https://www.avo.alaska.edu/

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:



Special weather statement in effect beginning tonight until Thursday (09/17) night along the Turnagain Arm. Sustained winds of 45 to 60 mph with gusts to 70 mph are expected in the higher elevations in the area.

Special weather statement in effect for the Seward and Western Susitna Valley area. 2 to 3 inches of rain fall over a 12-hour period from tonight into Thursday (09/17) morning has the potential to raise the water levels in the Resurrection River and other surrounding rivers and streams.

High wind advisory in effect from Thursday (09/17) until Friday (09/18) for Denali and the Eastern Alaska Range. Potential for sustained winds of 50 mph with gusts to 65mph

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&gaccId=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

<u>The Next Situation Report:</u> will be 17 September 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.