

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://ntwc.arh.noaa.gov/

Alaska Volcanoes

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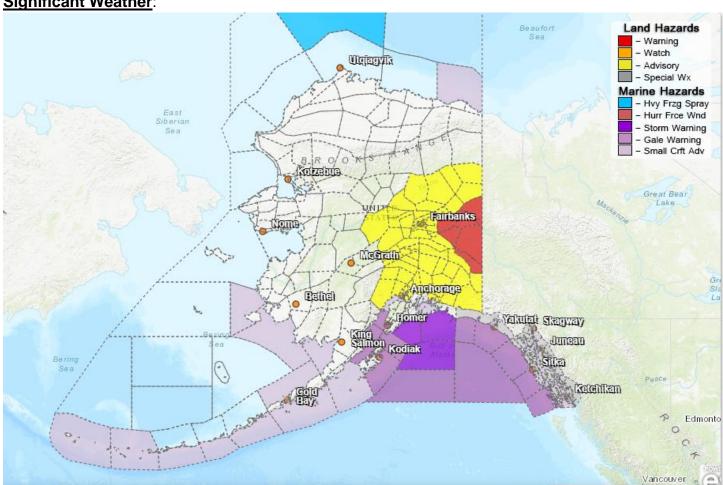
For Alaska Volcano updates, go to: https://www.avo.alaska.edu/

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:



A Flood Advisory has been issued for rapid rises in water levels from heavy rainfall in Sitka, including the coastal area from Cape Decision to Salisbury Sound until 1:00 P.M. today. The Indian River is expected to crest around 26' between 8:00 to 9:00 A.M. today.

A Winter Storm Warning remains in effect until 7:00 A.M. Tuesday (10/27). Heavy snowfall is expected with accumulations of up to 12 inches in the Upper Tanana Valley and Fortymile Country. A Winter Weather Advisory remains in effect until noon today for the Anchorage and Mat-Su area. An additional 4 inches of snow accumulation is forecasted for the area.

Much of the interior is under a winter weather advisory until 10:00 P.M. today. Continued snowfall with an accumulation of up to 6 additional inches is expected throughout the day.

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

<u>The Next Situation Report:</u> will be 27 October 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 https://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.