

ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



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SEOC Preparedness Level Level 1 – Routine Operations.	http://ready.alaska.gov	National Terrorism Advisory System: 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:

Scammon Bay Fuel Shortage

SEOC will continue to offer technical assistance for the Tribe of Scammon Bay fuel shortage event.

Chignik Bay Avalanche and Power Outage

The avalanche that occurred on February 16th, 2024, caused a community wide power outage along with damage to property and infrastructure. SEOC received a signed Resolution declaring a local disaster from the City of Chignik. SEOC is continuing to support the community and will assist in identifying damages and needs.

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: www.cisa.gov/free-cybersecurity-services-and-tools





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

Turnagain Pass- Moderate at all elevation levels.

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

Significant Weather:

Land Hazards

- Warning
- Advisory
- Waich
- Special Wx

Marine Hazards
- Huy Frag Spray
- Hurr Free Wod
- Storm Warning
- Sale Warning
- Sale Warning
- Small Crit Adv

Storm Warning
- Small Crit Adv

Great Bear
- Late
- Creat Bear
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Blizzard Warning

- Yukon Delta Coast and Kuskokwim Delta Until 7pm Tuesday.
- St. Lawrence Island Until 1pm Tuesday.
- Eastern Beaufort Sea Coast Until 10pm this evening.
- Pribilof Islands Until 4pm Tuesday.

Winter Storm Watch

• Bering Strait Coast, Shishmaref, Southern Seward Peninsula Coast, and the Interior Seward Peninsula - Starting tonight until Thursday afternoon.

Winter Weather Advisory

 Central Beaufort Sea Coast, Northwest Arctic Coast; and the Northern Arctic Coast – Until 4pm today.

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 19, 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.

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