



2020 COVID-19



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Incident Objectives



Objectives

Ensure the safety and security of responders as well as maximize the protection of public health and welfare.

Prevent the spread of COVID-19 in Alaska by implementing statewide containment and community mitigation strategies.

Support local emergency response operations through the coordination of information, situational reporting and resource requests.

Support the Alaska Department of Health and Social Services in implementation of the Alaska Pandemic Influenza Plan, Alaska Medical Countermeasures Management Plan, and Alaska Mass Fatality Plan.

Keep the public, stakeholders and the media informed of operational activities and address rumors or incorrect information in a timely manner.



Incident Objectives (cont.)



Objectives

Establish a tiered healthcare system to respond to COVID-19 to include the establishment of alternate care sites.

Deploy COVID-19 specimen collection centers and point of care testing sites statewide.

Distribute State of Alaska Crisis Standards of Care, and prepare to implement standards at the direction of the Chief Medical Officer.

Implement the Governor's health mandates.

Plan for the safe and effective recovery effort and the return to normal operations.

Conduct Riverwatch and flood response operations, and be prepared to support wildfire response operations as necessary.



Opening IC Remarks





Situation Brief



Active EOCs / IMTs



Anchorage (907) 343-1400
 Bethel (907) 543-1386
 Civil Air Patrol (907) 250-3931
 Cordova (907) 253-3790
 Craig (907) 826-3275
 Dillingham (907) 842-2321
 FNSB (907) 459-1481
 Gustavus (907) 209-8393
 Haines (907) 766-6409
 Juneau (907) 586-5278
 Ketchikan (907) 225-9616
 Kodiak (907) 486-8040

KPB (907) 714-2469
 Mat-Su (907) 861-8500
 Nome (907) 443-2310
 North Slope Borough (907) 852-0490
 Petersburg (907) 772-5421
 Sitka (907) 747-1811
 Skagway (907) 983-9730
 UAA (907) 382-1490
 Unalaska (907) 581-5330
 USCG Dist. 17 (907) 463-2736
 Valdez (907) 313-9443



Local Disaster Declarations

(**BOLD** = New Declarations)

Adak, City of
 Akhiok, City of
 Akiak, Native Village of
 Aleknagik, City of
 Aleutians East Borough
 Ambler, City of
 Anchorage, Municipality of
 Anderson, City of
 Angoon, City of
 Aniak, City and Tribe
 Atka, City of
 Barrow, Native Village of
 Bethel, City of
 Brevig Mission, City of
 Bristol Bay Borough

Buckland, City of
 Chefnak, City of
 Chenega, Native Village of
 Chignik, City of
 Chignik Lagoon Village Council
 Chignik Lake Village Council
 Chuathbaluk Traditional Council
 Coffman Cove
 Cold Bay, City of
 Cordova, City of
 Craig, City of
 Denali Borough
 Dillingham, City and Tribe
 Diomedede, City of
 Eagle, City of

Emmonak, City of
 Fairbanks, City of
 Fairbanks North Star Borough
 False Pass, City of
 Fort Yukon, City of
 Galena, City of
 Gulkana Village Council
 Gustavus, City of
 Haines Borough
 Homer, City of
 Hoonah, City of
 Houston, City of



Local Disaster Declarations

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Igiugig, Traditional Council
 Iliamna, Village Council
 Juneau, City & Borough of
 Kachemak, City of
 Kake, City of
 Kasaan, City of
 Kasigluk Traditional Elders Council
 Kenai Peninsula Borough
 Kenai, City of
 Ketchikan, City of
 Ketchikan Gateway Borough
 Kiana, City of
 King Cove, City of
 Kipnuk, Native Village of
 Kobuk, City of

Kodiak Island Borough
 Kokhanok, Native Village of
 Kongiganak, Native Village of
 Kotzebue, City of
 Koyuk (Tri-Council)
 Kwethluk, Organized Village of
 Lake and Peninsula Borough
 Larsen Bay, City and Tribe
 Manokotak, City of
 Marshall, City of
 McGrath, City of
 Metlakatla Indian Community
 Napakiak, City and Tribe
 Napaskiak, Native Village of
 Nightmute, Native Village of

Nome, City of
 North Pole, City of
 North Slope Borough
 Northwest Arctic Borough
 Nuiqsut, City of
 Nunapitchuk, City of
 Orutsararmiut Native Council



Local Disaster Declarations

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Ouzinkie, City of
 Pelican, City of
 Petersburg Borough
 Pilot Point, City of
 Pilot Station, City of
 Pitkas Point
 Port Heiden, City of
 Port Lions, Native Village of
 Sand Point, City of
 Savoonga, City of
 Saxman, City of
 Scammon Bay, Native Village of
 Selawik, City of
 Seldovia, City of
 Seward, City of

Shishmaref, City of
 Shungnak, Native Village of
 Sitka, City & Borough of
 Skagway, Municipality of
 Soldotna, City of
 St. Michael, City and Tribe
 St. Paul, City and Tribe
 Tenakee Springs, City of
 Thorne Bay, City of
 Tlingit & Haida Indian Tribes
 Togiak, City of
 Toksook Bay Traditional Council
 Tuntutuliak Traditional Council
 Tununak, Native Village of
 Unalakleet, City of

Unalaska, City of
 Upper Kalskag, City of
 Valdez, City of
 Wales, City of
 Wasilla, City of
 White Mountain, City of
 Whittier, City of





Community Lifeline Status







Community Lifeline Status

	<h2>Safety & Security</h2>	
	 <p>Government Services</p>	<p>School: <u>Health Mandate 013</u> suspended K-12 public and private schools for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. Distance learning will continue in accordance with each district's plan.</p>



Community Lifeline Status

	<h2>Safety & Security</h2>	
	 <p>Community Safety</p>	<p>Phase 1 of Reopening Alaska: <u>Health Mandate 016</u> includes updates to multiple existing mandates as part of a phased reopening of the state economy. These include changes to childcare & day camps, fishing charters, gyms/fitness centers, lodging & overnight camping, and intrastate travel provisions contained in mandates 3.1, 11, and 12.</p> <p><u>Health Mandate 017</u> established protective measures for defined independent commercial fishing vessels in lieu of submitting a Community/Workforce Protective Plan under mandate 10 or 12.</p>



Community Lifeline Status



Safety & Security



Community Safety

Social Distancing and Enforced Closure of Public Spaces:

Health Mandate 011 ordered the closure of non-governmental and non-essential businesses at 5pm on March 28th. The mandate also prohibited gatherings with non-family members regardless of number. The mandate remains in effect with the following changes.

Mandate 16 has permitted the reopening of non-essential businesses, including personal care under Mandate 9.1 and dine-in service under Mandate 3.1, that can comply with requirements set out within Mandate 16. Those unable to comply must remain closed.

Mandate 16 also permits outdoor recreational gatherings of up to 20 people with restrictions.

DCCED email address to be used to report suspected violations of the health mandates, including quarantine: investigations@alaska.gov.



Community Lifeline Status



Safety & Security



Community Safety

International & Interstate Travel:

Health Mandate 010 orders a mandatory 14-day self-quarantine for both international & interstate travelers (resident or non-resident) traveling to Alaska; failure to follow this order is punishable by law.



Intrastate Travel:

Health Mandate 012 suspends all in-state travel unless necessary to support identified critical infrastructure or for identified critical personal needs. This mandate remains in effect until rescinded.

Mandate 16 has permitted recreational travel activities for households, with certain restrictions and protective measures required.





Community Lifeline Status

 <p>Food, Water, Shelter</p>	<h2>Food, Water, Shelter</h2>	
	 <p>Food</p>	<p>Food Bank: Food banks are experiencing higher than normal traffic. Representatives estimate current supply chains are stressed but donations continue. Food Bank's across Alaska have started a variety of food distribution programs including the Emergency Food Assistance Program (TEFAP) and the Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP).</p>



Community Lifeline Status

 <p>Food, Water, Shelter</p>	<h2>Food, Water, Shelter</h2>	
	 <p>Shelter</p>	<p>Quarantine and Isolation: <u>Health Mandate 014</u> implements a temporary quarantine and isolation program utilizing non-congregate shelter solutions including hotels, college and university dormitories, and properly modified non-traditional structures to house three specific populations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First responders and healthcare workers who need to quarantine safely without exposing their families. • Homeless families, with at least one member who tested positive for COVID-19, who live in congregate shelters and will require isolation. • Homeless individuals who require quarantine or isolation.



Community Lifeline Status



Health and Medical



Medical Care

Health Care Facilities and Health Care Providers:

Health Mandate 015, Services by Health Care Providers, will go into effect in phases, with Section II going into effect April 20, 2020 and Section IV going into effect May 4, 2020.

Sec II: Effective April 20, 2020, Health care facilities and providers defined in statute and listed in Section I, Health Mandate 15, will be able to resume services that require minimal protective equipment and follow the published guidance.

Sec IV: Effective May 4, 2020, Provision for Resuming Non-Urgent/Non-Emergent Elective Services. Health care services that cannot be delayed beyond eight weeks without posing a significant risk to quality of life may resume if the published conditions of Health Mandate 015 are met.



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Health and Medical



Medical Care

Alternate Care Sites:

Alternate care sites have been established within eleven different communities throughout the State in response to potential surge of COVID-19 patients and an increased demand for care.



Community Lifeline Status



Health and Medical





Patient Movement

Emergency Medical Flight Services:

Air Operations Branch is developing agreements for temporary helicopter pad use at alternate care sites to facilitate the transportation of COVID-19 patients. The Branch is also working with Forestry to develop plans for aircraft during summer wildfire season while maintaining ability to respond to COVID-19 needs.





Community Lifeline Status

	<h2>Health and Medical</h2>	
	 <p>Public Health</p>	<p>Epidemiological Surveillance: Efforts continue as new cases are identified from labs. Case counts continue to increase, however rate of increase has slowed.</p> <p>Laboratory: Statewide Case Count totals: 368 positive/262 recovered/36 hospitalized/9 deaths. * A total of ~19,000 tests have been conducted within the state. * includes 1 Alaska resident located in WA state. AK COVID-19 Dashboard</p>



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	<h2>Health and Medical</h2>	
	 <p>Medical Supply Chain</p>	<p>Blood Bank: Blood Bank of Alaska is requesting recovered COVID-19 patients donate plasma; blood type O+/O- is the current “critical need”.</p> <p>Distribution: Alaska has received multiple shipments from the Strategic National Stockpile to date. Additional supplies have been secured via the private-sector within the state. Efforts continue to strengthen existing stores of personal protective equipment.</p>



Significant Weather Impacts for Transportation

Anchorage & Mat-Su

- Breezy tonight for semis Parks & Glenn Hwys.

Gulf Coast Region

- Rain & Breezy at Kodiak w/IFR at times.
- Construction delays Seward Hwy at Indian.

Southwest / Bethel

- Flood Warning – Kuskokwim River from Aniak to Kalskag,
- Flood Watch – Kuskokwim River Tuluksak to Bethel 'til Wed Afternoon.

Interior

- Elevated river levels – snow melt. VFR.
- Focus on Upper Yukon

Northern / Nome

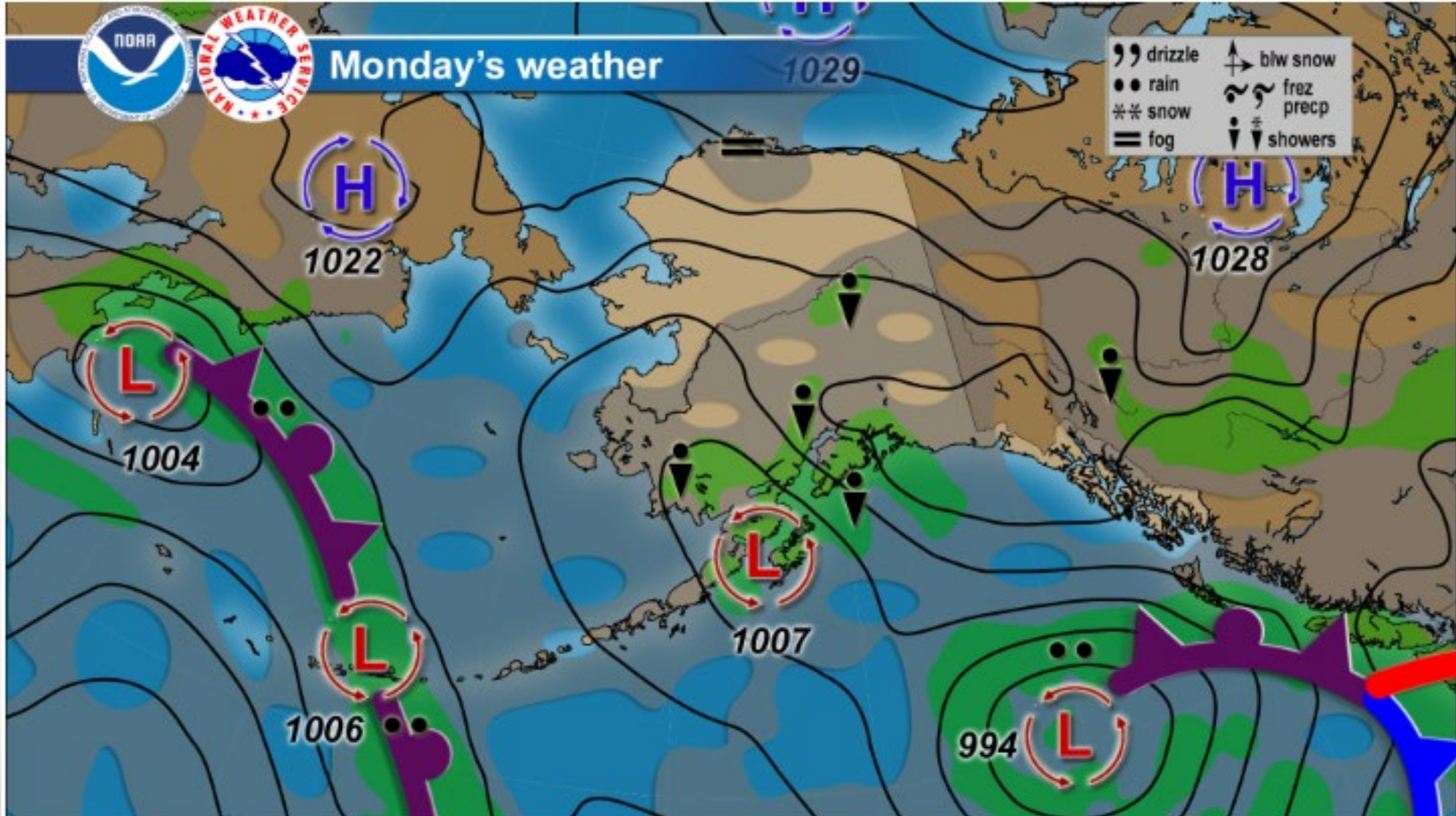
- No significant weather (VFR).

Southeast

- MVFR at times in Showers.

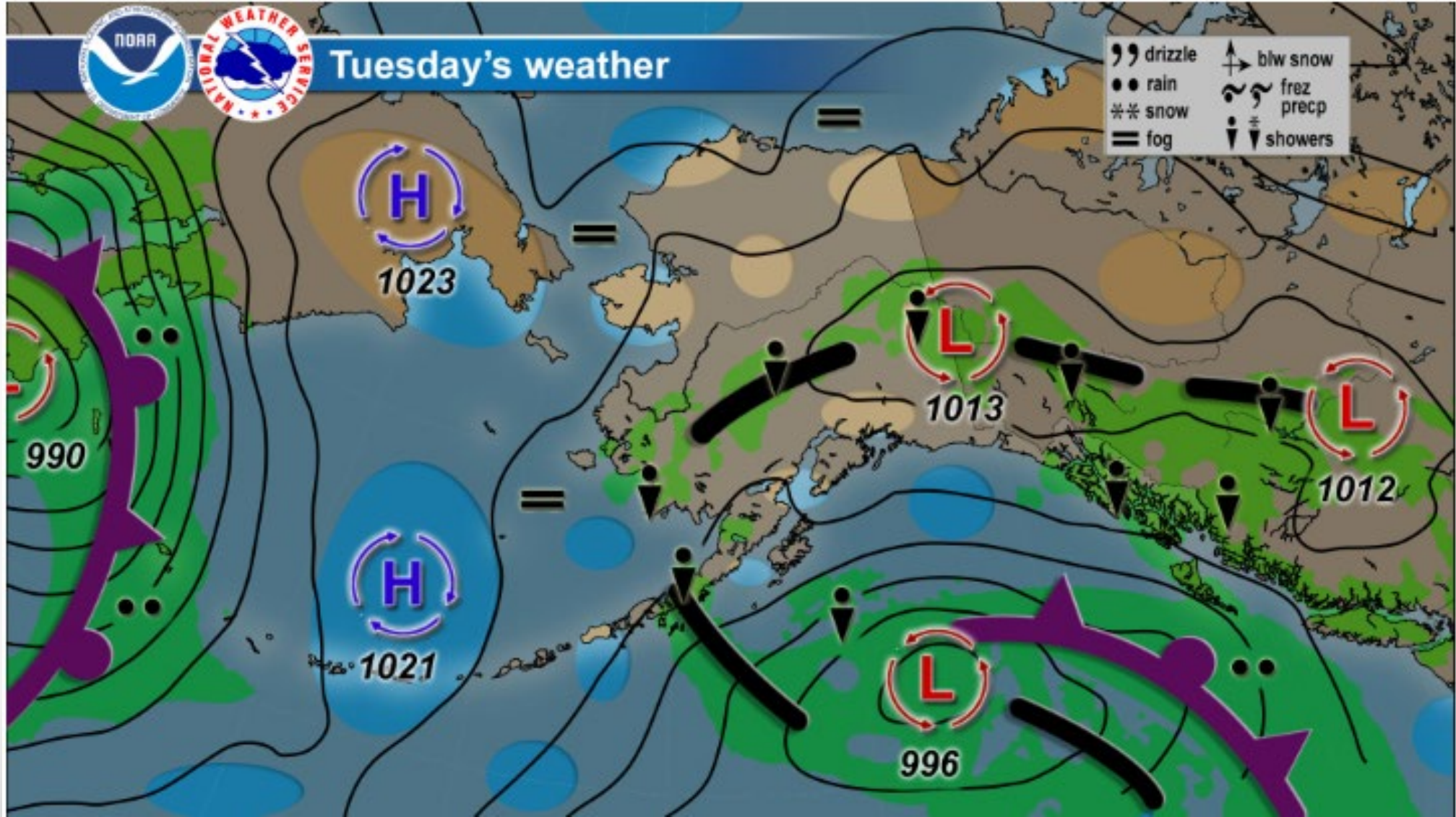


Today's Afternoon Weather



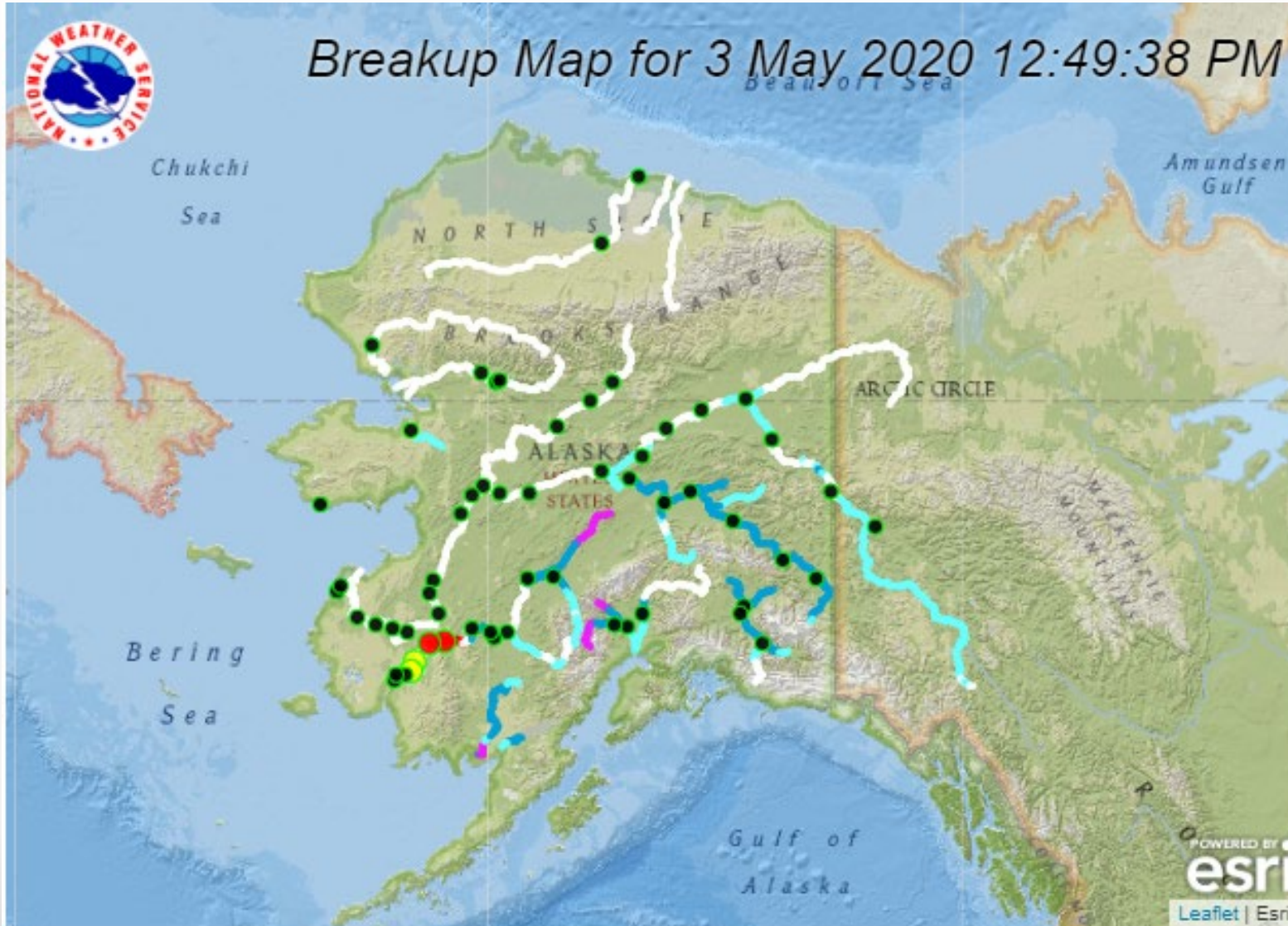


Tomorrow's Afternoon Weather





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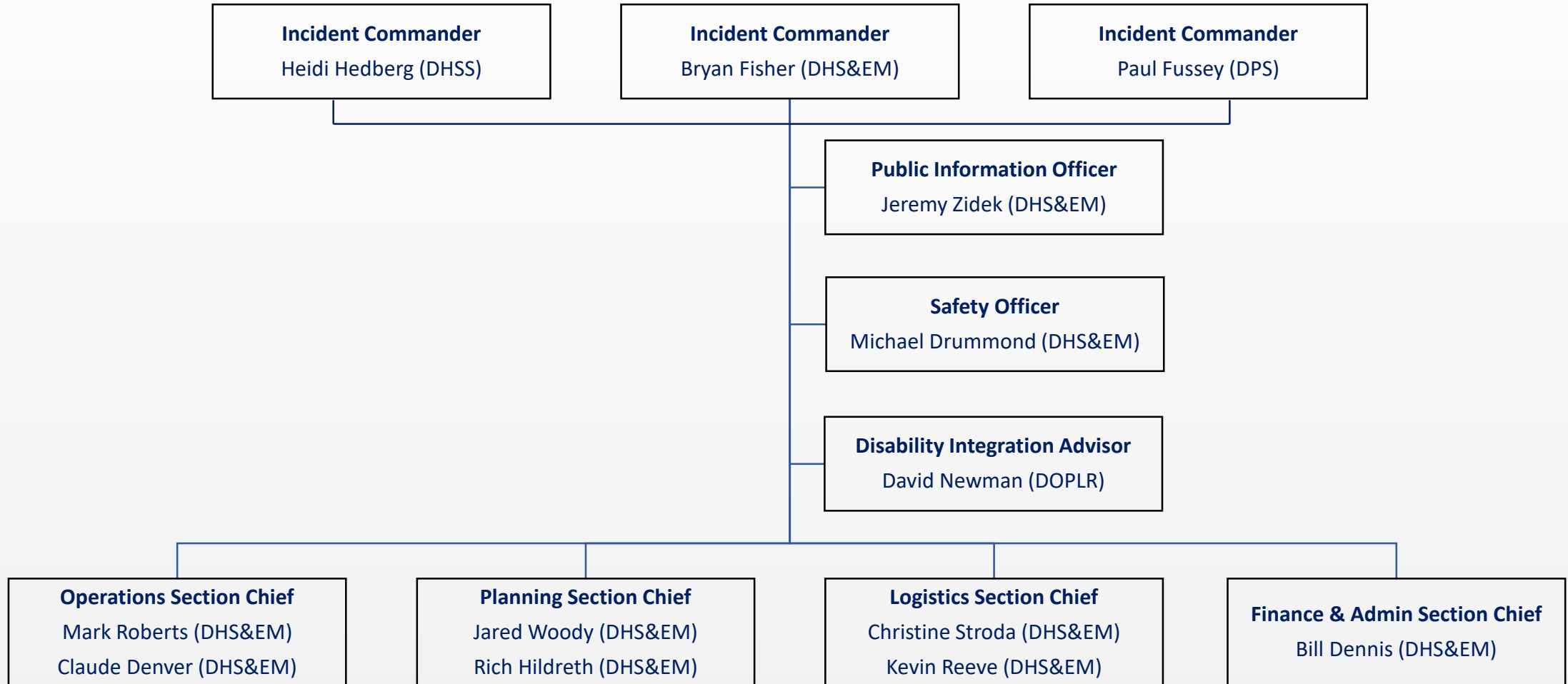




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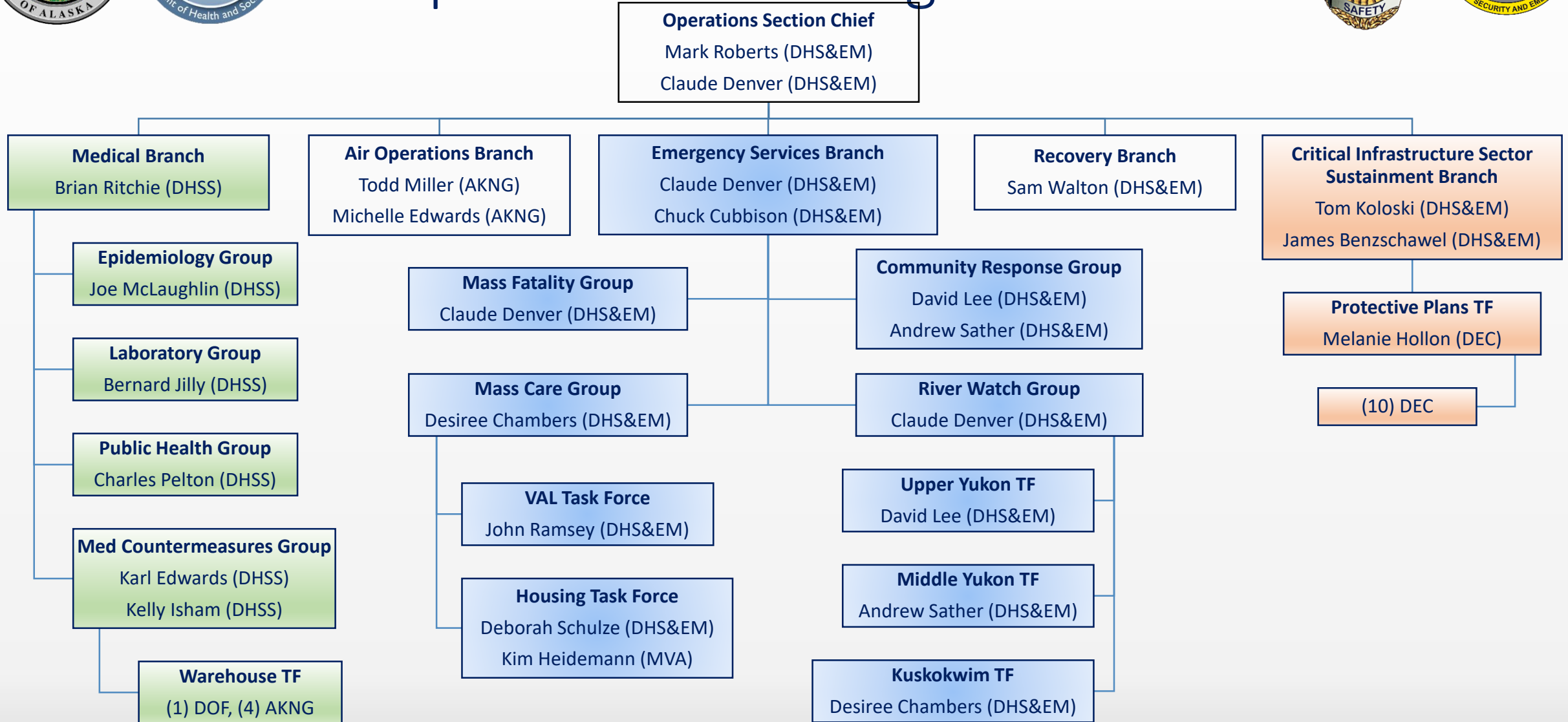


Unified Command Task Organization





Operations Task Organization





Liaison Officer

Inter-Agency Issues



Logistics



Finance



Safety Officer



Public Information Officer



Meeting Schedule

Monday, May 4, 2020

Operations Brief (OP11)	0800
SITREP	1600

Tuesday, May 5, 2020

Operations Brief (OP11)	0800
SITREP	1600

Wednesday, May 6, 2020

Operations Brief (OP11)	0800
SITREP	1600



Closing IC Remarks

