

ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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SEOC Preparedness Level Level 2 – Heightened Awareness	http://ready.alaska.gov	National Terrorism Advisory System: View this site for the latest NTAS bulletin: You can read the new NTAS Bulletin here.
Maritime Security (MARSEC) Level:1-Minimum Appropriate Security Measures	WHO Post Pandemic: Disease activity at seasonal levels.	Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level: FPCON Bravo

(Significant changes from previous situation reports are in red.)

THREAT LEVEL CHANGES: LEVEL 2 – HEIGHTENED AWARENESS

<u>Statewide Fires:</u> The SEOC remains activated at Level 2 – Heightened Awareness due to the statewide wildfire situation. The SEOC is monitoring fire activity statewide for support requests from Fire Incident Commands and local communities impacted by fire. The SEOC continues to coordinate deployments of mobile communication equipment including the Mobile Emergency Operations Center in support of Alaska Division of Forestry and local communities.

Significant Weather



There is a High Surf Advisory for St Lawrence Island and the Bering Strait Coast, as well as a Special Warning Statement for elevated surf for the Chukchi Sea Coast and the Western Arctic Coast through this evening.

A Dense Smoke Advisory has been issued for the Deltana and Tanana Flats through noon tomorrow.

Due to Glacial Lake Dam releases above Tazlina Lake and the Tazlina River, a Special Weather Statement has been issued through this morning for elevated water levels.

For the most current weather Watches / Warnings / Advisories go to: http://www.weather.gov/arh/

2019 Fire Season

The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center, (AICC) is at Preparedness Level 5.

Wildland fire totals for 2019:

- Total Fires = 560
- Total Acres = 1,884,592.0

There are currently 224 active fires with 23 fires currently staffed.

Current fire information is at http://fire.ak.blm.gov or https://akfireinfo.com/

Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories

Active advisories/episodes are in effect for Southcentral Alaska.

For the most up to date Air Quality Index Advisories:

http://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Home/Index

State of Alaska Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS)

The Alaska DHSS website is located at http://dhss.alaska.gov/Pages/default.aspx

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/

Recent Earthquakes

USGS Earthquake Information: http://earthquake.usgs.gov/

National Tsunami Warning Center: http://ntwc.arh.noaa.gov/

Travel Alerts and Conditions

For current driving conditions dial 511 or link to http://511.alaska.gov/

Alaska Volcanoes

Cleveland Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Shishaldin Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

Semisopochnoi Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Orange

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

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 23 July 2019 at 8:00 am. 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.