

ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT 24-281 • October 7, 2024



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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:

Landslide Response – Ketchikan

The Fire Chief in Ketchikan informed the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) of a landslide blocking the roadway on North Tongass Highway. Four of the eight individuals on the other side of the slide have safely self-extricated—the remaining four plan to drive to a nearby harbor for boat pick-up. A Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (DOT/PF) geohazard assessment team, equipped with drones, is en route to evaluate the situation. Ketchikan Maintenance and Operations (M&O) is prepared to clear the road once it is safe. SEOC will remain engaged in support as needed.

Hurricane Helene and Milton Support

SEOC Operations is engaged in supporting states impacted by Hurricane Helene and incoming Hurricane Milton. We are actively monitoring EMAC requests nationwide and will deploy as available. We currently have four staff deployed to Virginia, North Carolina, and Florida.

Department of Health (DOH):

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** 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-tool



Special Weather Statement:

- Upper Koyukuk Valley; Dalton Highway Summits; Yukon Flats; White Mountains and High Terrain South of the Yukon River; Upper Chena River Valley; Tanana Flats; Eielson AFB and Salcha; Goldstream Valley and Nenana Hills; Chatanika River Valley; Two Rivers; Fairbanks Metro Area; Nenana; Central Interior; Northern Denali Borough; Southern Denali Borough- Increasing chances for light snow
- South Slopes Of The Eastern Brooks Range; South Slopes Of The Central Brooks Range Increasing chances for accumulating snow

For more information and the most current Weather, Watches/Warning/Advisories go to: https://www.weather.gov/arh/

The Next Situation Report will be on October 8, 2024. An interim report will be prompted by a significant change in the situation or the threat level. This report is posted on the internet at https://ready.alaska.gov/sitrep.

To register for email distribution, <u>PLEASE</u> go to:

http://list.state.ak.us/mailman/listinfo/dhsem.situation.report.

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