

ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



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<p><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 1-Routine Operations</p>	<p>http://ready.alaska.gov</p>	<p><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u> Read the NTAS Bulletin here</p>
<p><u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u> Level:1- Minimum Appropriate Security Measures</p>	<p>WHO Novel Coronavirus Pandemic (COVID-19): 2019 Novel Coronavirus</p>	<p><u>Alaska Military Installation Force Protection</u> <u>Level:</u> FPCON Bravo</p>

(Significant changes from previous situation reports are red.)

Significant Issues:

Point Lay:

The community of Point Lay suffered a complete loss of power due to blizzard conditions over the weekend. The SEOC Duty Officer was in contact with the Inupiat Community of the Arctic Slope (ICAS) over the weekend, and there are no current needs from the state at this time. They have been working closely with the community as well as the North Slope Borough throughout this incident. The community is in the process of assessing the damage and/or heating the loss of power may have caused. ICAS has been in contact with SEOC and FEMA Region 10, and a tribal declaration has been submitted to FEMA. SEOC will continue to stand by for support as necessary.

City of Hooper Bay:

Community households can now collect 5-10 gallons of water from the plant/washeteria daily. According to the ADEC's Drinking Water Program, the water collected is still under a BWN until testing can be conducted.

Kiana – Frozen Water Lines

EOC meetings continue. The community's priorities are thawing the west water loop and repairing the recently frozen sewer lines. SEOC remains available to offer aid.

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:

Falling Debris Risk on Sterling Hwy All Directions from mile marker 50 to mile marker 50.

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**

Mt. Spurr 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:

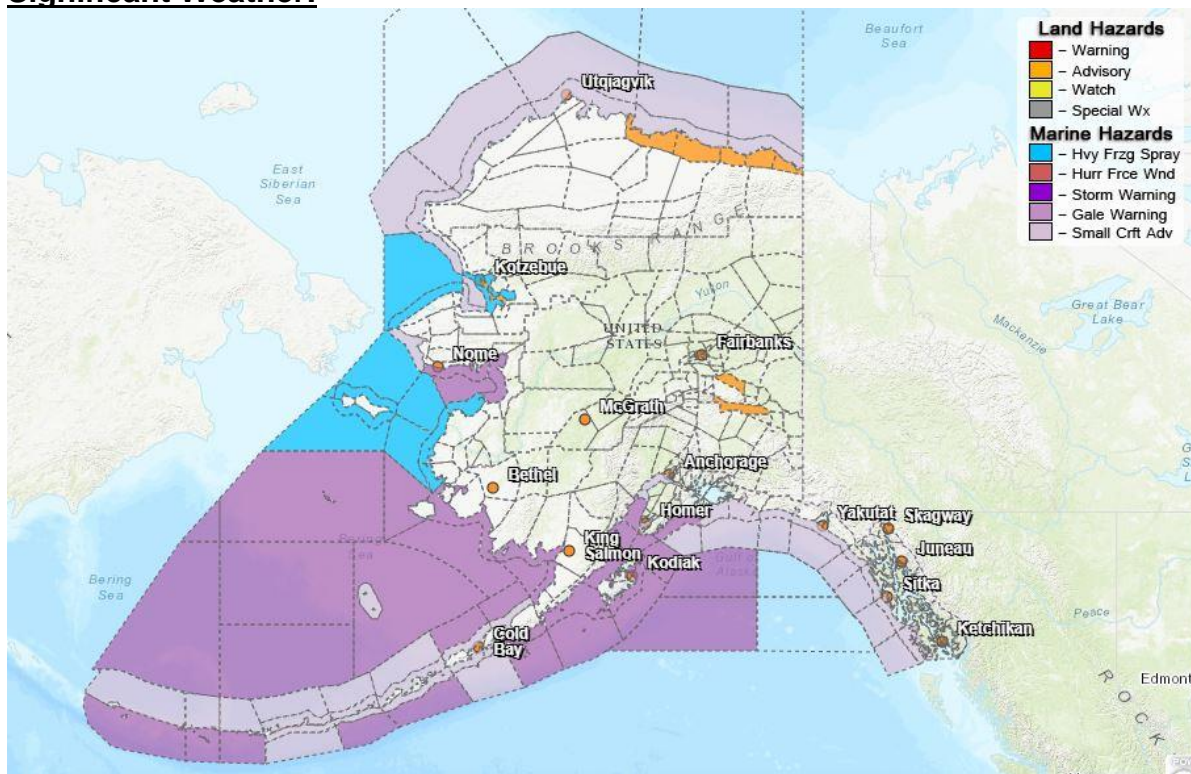
The Alaska Division of Environmental Conservation (ADEC) Spill Prevention and Response page is located at: <https://dec.alaska.gov/spar/>

Alaska Cyber Security Information:

State Employees may sign up for cybersecurity notifications and alerts at:

<https://oit.alaska.gov/security>

Significant Weather:



Winter Weather Advisory:

- **Baldwin Peninsula** – From 5pm till 9am Tuesday.
- **Eastern Beaufort Sea Coast and Central Beaufort Sea Coast** – Until 9pm tonight.
- **Eastern Alaska Range South of Trims Camp** – Until noon today.

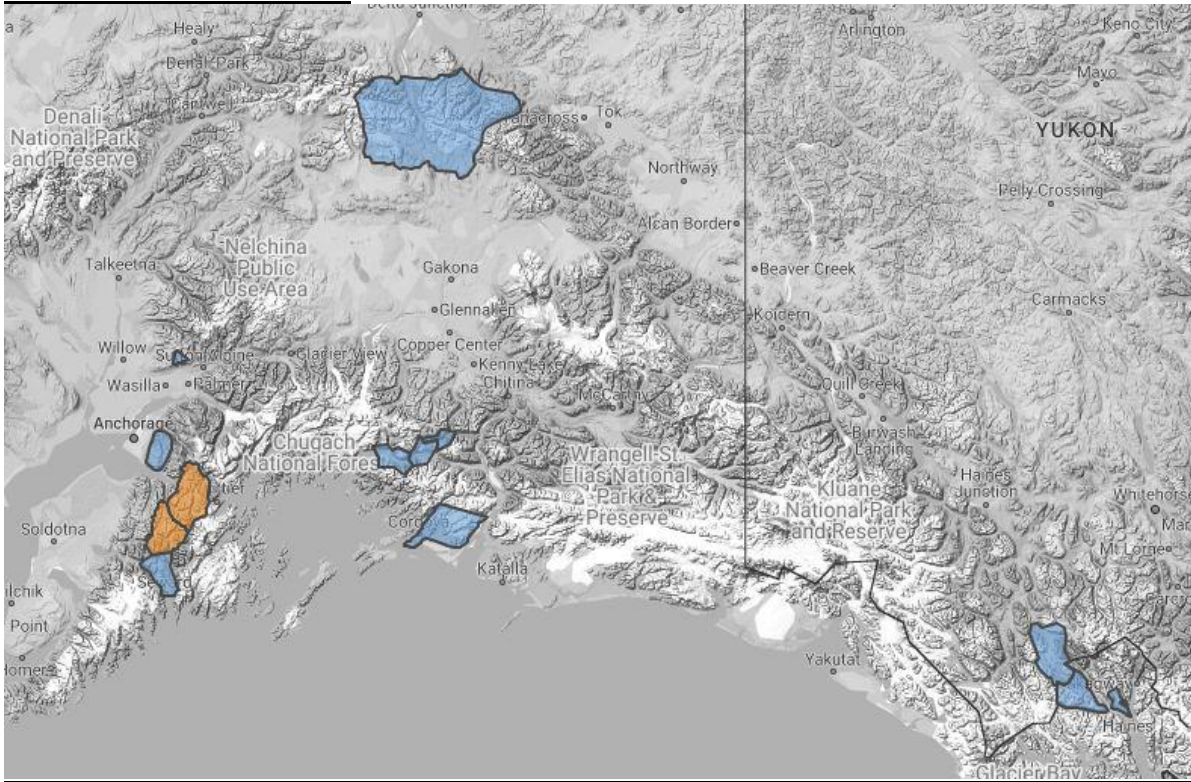
Wind Advisory:

- **Delta Junction** – Until 3pm Tuesday.

For more information and the most current Weather, Watches/Warning/Advisories go to:

<https://www.weather.gov/arh/>

Avalanche Conditions:



Turnagain Pass – Moderate 1,000' and above.

Summit Lake – Moderate 1,000' and above.

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

The Next Situation Report will be on **December 17, 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, PLEASE go to:

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

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