



# ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



**Daily Situation Report  
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<p><b><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u></b> Level 1-Routine Operations</p>	<p><a href="http://ready.alaska.gov">http://ready.alaska.gov</a></p>	<p><b><u>Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level:</u></b> FPCON Bravo</p>
<p><b><u>NTAS Bulletin</u></b> There are no current advisories <a href="https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system">https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system</a></p>	<p><b><u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u></b> Level:1 Minimum Appropriate Security Measures</p>	

(Significant changes from previous situation reports are red.)

**Significant Issues:**

SEOC contacted NWAB and is working to gather response costs and damage information for the communities of Shungnak and Selawik, which recently declared.

**2025 October West Coast Storm Disaster:**

- 138 households/ 467 individuals transitioned from non-congregate shelters (hotels) to longer-term housing (apartments)
- In Non-Congregate Shelter (hotels) Individuals: 171 Households: 30

**Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management Public Information:**

For current press releases, see: <https://ready.alaska.gov/PublicInformation/PressReleases>

**Department of Health (DOH):**

For current information, see: <https://health.alaska.gov/en/>

**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://dqgs.alaska.gov/hazards/barry-arm-landslide.html>

**Earthquakes:**

United States Geological Service (USGS) Earthquake Information:

[Earthquake Hazards Program | U.S. Geological Survey](#)

National Tsunami Warning Center: <https://tsunami.gov/>

### **Alaska Volcanoes:**

Great Sitkin: Alert Level: Watch and Aviation Color Code: Orange  
Shishaldin: Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow  
Atka Volcanic Complex Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation 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:  
<https://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Advisories>

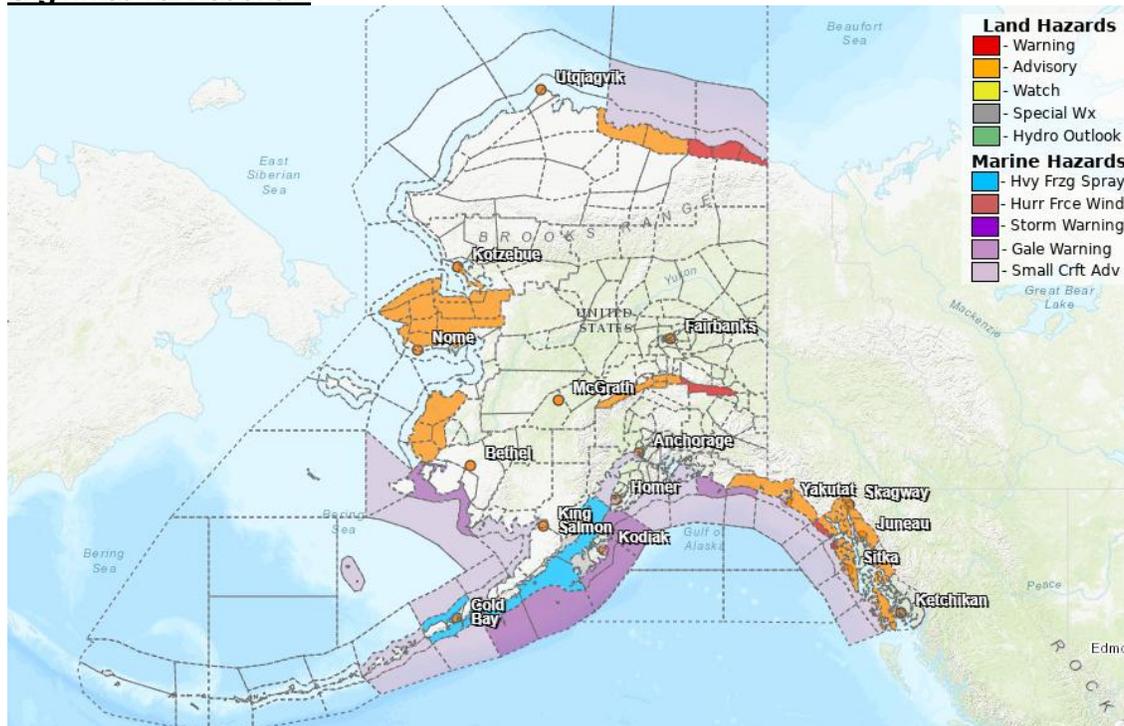
### **Spills of Oil and Hazardous Substances:**

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

### **Alaska Cyber Security Information:**

State Employees may sign up for cybersecurity notifications and alerts at:  
<https://oit-int.alaska.gov/security/>

### **Significant Weather:**



#### **WARNINGS:**

Blizzard Warning — Until 7 AM Wednesday: Eastern Beaufort Sea Coast.  
Winter Storm Warning — Until 7 AM Wednesday: Eastern Alaska Range south of Trims Camp.  
Winter Storm Warning — 4 AM to 7 PM Wednesday: Cape Fairweather to Lisianski Strait.

#### **WATCHES:**

None.

#### **ADVISORIES:**

Winter Weather Advisory — Until 10 AM this morning: Haines Borough and Klukwan; Skagway.  
Until 1 PM this afternoon: Glacier Bay; Juneau; Sitka; Yakutat; Eastern Chichagof Island; Cape Fairweather to Lisianski Strait.

Until 4 PM this afternoon: Prince of Wales Island; Petersburg Borough.  
7 AM to 10 PM Tuesday: Central Beaufort Sea Coast.  
Until 7 AM Wednesday: Southern Denali Borough.  
4 AM to 7 PM Wednesday: Glacier Bay; Juneau; Haines Borough and Klukwan; Skagway; Cape Fairweather to Lisianski Strait.  
4 AM to 4 PM Wednesday: Sitka.  
4 AM to 10 PM Wednesday: Prince of Wales Island; Petersburg Borough.  
7 AM Wednesday to 7 AM Thursday: Northern Seward Peninsula; Baldwin Peninsula.  
10 AM Wednesday to 10 PM Thursday: Interior Seward Peninsula.  
4 AM Wednesday to 7 AM Friday: Shishmaref; Bering Strait Coast.  
10 AM Wednesday to 7 AM Friday: Yukon Delta Coast.

## ALERTS:

Special Weather Statement — Through Wednesday: Southwest Kodiak Island (resuspended ash from Katmai–Novarupta expected).

For more information, go to <https://www.weather.gov/arh/>

## Avalanche Conditions:



**Hatcher Pass** – Low at all elevations.

**Chugach State Park** – Moderate above 1,000', low below 1,000'.

**Turnagain Pass and Girdwood** – Moderate above 2500', low below 2,500' and treeline.

**Summit Lake** – Moderate above 2500', low below 2,500' and treeline

**Seward and Lost Lake** – Low at all elevations.

**Maritime, Intermountain, Continental** – Moderate at all levels.

**Haines area/Chiklat Pass** – Moderate above treeline.

**Douglas Island** – Moderate above middle elevation, low below lower elevation.

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

**The Next Situation Report** will be on **March 18, 2026**. A significant change in situation or threat level will prompt an interim report. This report is posted on the internet at <https://ready.alaska.gov/sitrep>.

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