



ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



Daily Situation Report
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<u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u> Level 2 Heightened Awareness	http://ready.alaska.gov	<u>Alaska Military Installation Force</u> <u>Protection Level:</u> FPCON Bravo
<u>NTAS Bulletin</u> There are no current advisories https://www.dhs.gov/national-terrorism-advisory-system	<u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u> Level:1 Minimum Appropriate Security Measures	Wildland Fires https://fire.ak.blm.gov/ AICC Preparedness Level: 1

(Significant changes from previous situation reports are red.)

Significant Issues:

Patriot Day 2026:

Governor Dunleavy has proclaimed September 11, 2026, as Patriot Day in Alaska in recognition of the 25th anniversary of the September 11 terrorist attacks. In remembrance of those who lost their lives and in honor of their families, first responders, caregivers, and servicemembers who continue to protect and serve the nation, all Alaska state flags have been ordered to be flown at half-staff.

Tok Mukluk Fire

Acres: 7,339

Containment: 45%

Personnel: 31

Strong winds Wednesday forced firefighters to pause suppression repair along the western flank north of Red Fox Drive due to hazardous, unstable trees. Crews shifted to clearing fallen trees from roadways and monitoring trees threatening power lines, with more than two dozen trees reported down on power lines across Tok. Alaska Power & Telephone shut off affected lines to allow firefighters and utility crews to safely respond. Gusty winds also caused some hotspots along the western flank to flare up, producing visible smoke from town, but the activity remained within the existing burned area.

Crews will continue assessing the western edge, patrolling for hotspots, completing suppression repairs when conditions are safe, and removing hazardous trees. The burned area north of Red Fox Drive remains unsafe due to falling trees, ash pits, unstable ground, and

pockets of heat, and hunters and others are urged to avoid the area. Residents cleaning fire-damaged properties should not bury hazardous or contaminated debris, as contaminants could affect nearby wells. DHS&EM and Team Rubicon continue to assist affected landowners with recovery applications, debris disposal, and cleanup resources.

The Individual Assistance hotline and online application portal are open through October 19, 2026. Applicants may register online at ready.alaska.gov/Recovery/IA or call 1-844-445-7131.

Siberian/Chukchi Sea Low:

A low-pressure system moving northeast from Siberia into the Chukchi Sea will bring widespread rain and strong southwest winds across Northern Alaska through the weekend. High Wind Warnings remain in effect for the Western Seward Peninsula, St. Lawrence Island, and from Point Hope to Point Lay, with gusts up to 65 mph through Friday afternoon and inland gusts of 25–45 mph. High surf, minor coastal erosion, and water-level rises of 2–5 feet above the normal highest high tide line are expected along the West Coast, with High Surf Advisories from Kivalina to Wainwright. Residents should secure belongings along the coast.

Rain will continue through the weekend, with most areas receiving 0.5–1.5 inches, locally 1.5–2.5 inches. Rain may mix with snow in the Brooks Range as colder air moves in. Winds will gradually weaken along the West Coast Saturday while remaining elevated along the Arctic Coast into Sunday.

Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management Public Information:

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

Press releases for the Mukluk Fire including the DAC and State IA flyers are available online.

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

Earthquakes and Tsunamis:

United States Geological Service (USGS) Earthquake Information: [Earthquake Hazards Program | U.S. Geological Survey](#) National Tsunami Warning Center: <https://tsunami.gov/>

Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories:

For the most up-to-date Air Quality Index Advisories:

<https://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Advisories>

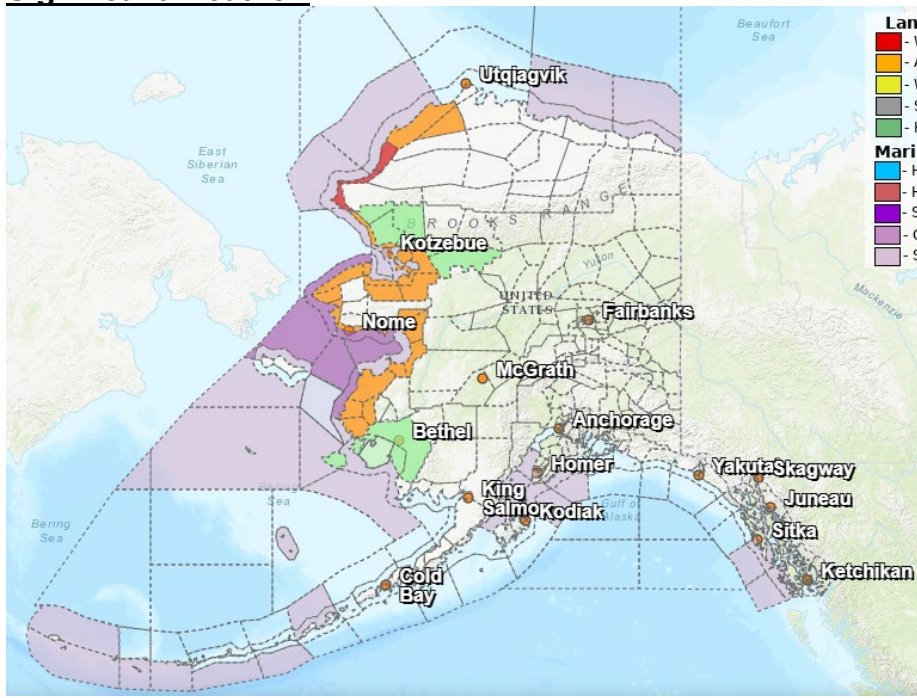
Alaska Volcanoes:

Great Sitkin: Alert Level: Watch and Aviation Color Code: Orange

Shishaldin: Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

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

Significant Weather:



- High Surf Advisory: Southern Seward Peninsula Coast, Eastern Norton Sound and Nulato Hills, Yukon Delta Coast, Shishmaref, and Bering Strait Coast — through 10 PM AKDT this evening.
- High Surf Advisory: Western Arctic Coast, Northwest Arctic Coast, Kivalina and Red Dog Dock, Lower Kobuk Valley, Baldwin Peninsula, and Northern Seward Peninsula — through 4 AM AKDT Saturday.
- Hydrologic Outlook: Kuskokwim Delta Coast and Nunivak Island, and Interior Kuskokwim Delta — elevated water levels through Friday evening.
- High Wind Warning: Western Arctic Coast — through 4 PM AKDT Friday.
- Hydrologic Outlook: Noatak Valley, Lower Kobuk Valley, and Upper Kobuk Valleys — through Friday afternoon for rainfall impacts.

For more information, please visit: <https://www.weather.gov/arh>

2026 Wildland Fire Season:

The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center is at Preparedness Level: 1

Total Fires YTD: 414 Total Acres: 88,951

There are currently 46 active fires with 0 new and 1 fire staffed.

Current Fire Information can be found at the AICC Situation Dashboard:

<https://www.arcgis.com/apps/dashboards/71b0377b3c3d4f719e11b8caa50fb529>

Current Fire Weather can be found at: <https://fire.ak.blm.gov/predsvcs/weather.php>

Alaska Cyber Security Information:

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

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

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/>

The Next Situation Report will be on **September 14, 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>

To register for email distribution, please go to:

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

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