



# ALASKA DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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<b><u>SEOC Preparedness Level</u></b> Level 2 – Heightened Awareness	<b><u>Alaska Cyber Security Alert Level:</u></b> Green – Low	<b><u>National Terrorism Advisory System:</u></b> There are no current alerts.
<b><u>Maritime Security (MARSEC)</u></b> Level:1-Significant Risk	<b><u>WHO Post Pandemic:</u></b> Disease activity at seasonal levels.	<b><u>Alaska Military Installation Force Protection Level:</u></b> FPCON Bravo

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

### THREAT LEVEL CHANGES

No changes.

### DHS&EM OPERATIONS

#### Community Assistance and Monitored Events

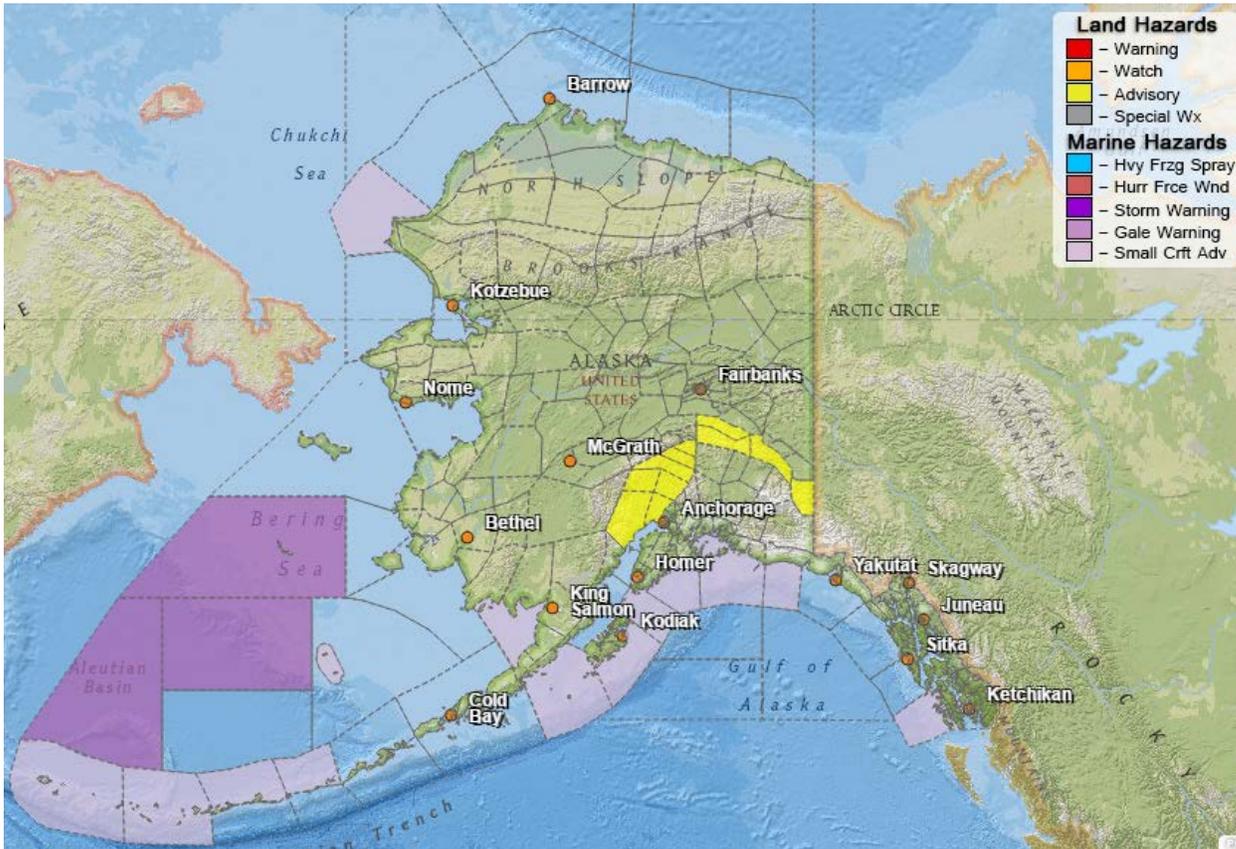
##### **Matanuska River Erosion and Flooding**

The Matanuska River is moving toward the Old Glenn Highway between MP 14-15 (between Maud and Smith Roads). While the river is not flooding, it is moving rapidly and now is within 120' of the road. There is concern that the river could damage the road, severing an important transportation link for the state and surrounding communities. The Department of Transportation and Public Facilities has begun moving heavy equipment and material to the site in preparation for work to protect critical infrastructure.

##### **Arctic Chinook Exercise**

The SEOC has activated in support of the Arctic Chinook Exercise. This exercise is an arctic search and rescue/mass rescue exercise involving a “cruise ship in distress” scenario.

### Significant Weather



A flood advisory is in effect for the Yentna River at Lake Creek in the Susitna Valley until 10:45 PM Thursday.

A wind advisory is in effect for the Eastern Alaska Range until midnight tonight.

For current Alaska weather information, go to: <http://www.weather.gov/arh/>

### **2016 Fire Season**

Wildland fire totals for 2016: 536 fires have burned 499,720 acres so far this fire season.

There are currently 53 active fires with 0 fires currently staffed. 0 new fires were reported yesterday and 0 fires were declared out.

Current fire information can be found at <http://fire.ak.blm.gov> or <https://akfireinfo.com/>

### **Air Quality Index (AQI) Advisories:**

Please see the following links for current air quality advisories:

Alaska DEC Air Quality Advisories: <http://dec.alaska.gov/Applications/Air/airtoolsweb/Advisories/Index>

Fairbanks NSB Air Quality Division: <http://co.fairbanks.ak.us/airquality/>

### **State of Alaska Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS):**

For Alaska DHSS website: <http://dhss.alaska.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

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

For ADEC Spill Prevention and Response see website:

[http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/ppr/response/sr\\_active.htm](http://dec.alaska.gov/spar/ppr/response/sr_active.htm).

### **Recent Earthquakes**

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

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

### **Travel Advisory**

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

### **Alaska Volcanoes**

**Cleveland Volcano** Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

**Pavlof Volcano** Alert Level: Advisory and Aviation Color Code: Yellow

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

### **Alaska Cyber Security Advisories**

The potential exists for malicious cyber activities, but no known exploits have been identified or known exploits have been identified but no significant impact has occurred. Advisories page is located at [http://doa.alaska.gov/ets/security/S\\_Advisory/index.html](http://doa.alaska.gov/ets/security/S_Advisory/index.html).

For the State Cyber Security Program contact Chris Letterman, State Computer Security Officer: [chris.letterman@Alaska.gov](mailto:chris.letterman@Alaska.gov) or go to the Alaska Department of Administration, Enterprise Technology Services at: <http://doa.alaska.gov/ets/Security/>.

**The Next Situation Report:** will be 25 August 2016 at 11:00 am. A significant change in the situation or the threat level will prompt an interim report.

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