



Team Greely,

**THANK YOU** for your continued flexibility and resilience as we continue to navigate the ongoing challenges related to the COVID-19 pandemic. To maintain mission readiness, Fort Greely will adhere to a higher or more restrictive standard to preserve the health and readiness of the force – our 24/7 no-fail mission requires that we continue to take prudent measures to limit the potential spread of the virus.

As previously discussed, LTG Karbler, Commander for Space and Missile Defense Command, serves as our senior mission commander and remains the decision authority over changes to the installation. We also remain closely tied geographically with our U.S. Army Alaska (USARAK) teammates, and that plays a big part in our analysis and recommendations to LTG Karbler.

With concurrence from LTG Karbler, Fort Greely will enforce USARAK General Order (GO) Revision #7 dated July 16 (Encl. 1) and subsequently published addition guidance with USAG Fort Greely Memorandum for Record dated July 17 (Encl. 2). Accordingly, all U.S. Army personnel, including Soldiers, Department of Defense Civilians, and Contractors residing or performing work on Fort Greely **REMAIN** subject to a 14 day Restriction of Movement (ROM) upon arrival in Alaska from out of state.

**Significant changes to USARAK General Order, Revision # 7:**

- On-Post gatherings will be limited to 10 attendees or less.
- Gathering policy does **NOT** apply to religious services or physical fitness center.
- Requests to host larger gatherings must address social distancing, facility, room constraints, and an overall safety plan to mitigate risk.
- USAG Alaska Fort Wainwright Commander remains approval authority for gathering of 10 or more.
- Masks will be worn in **ALL** common areas or shared spaces in buildings, except where 6 foot distancing is maintained. Masks need not to be worn in office unless an individual enters the office and distancing cannot be maintained. In an outdoor setting, masks must be worn when 6 foot distancing is not able to be maintained.

**Access to Fort Greely remains limited to the following:**

- DoD Identification card holders,
- DoD contractors or vendors with a short-term or long-term visitor pass,
- First responders and emergency personnel,
- Food and grocery delivery drivers with a short-term or long-term visitor pass, and
- Unofficial short-term visitors with an approved installation access exception to policy.

Short-term visitor passes will not be issued to anyone without a mission-essential requirement to access the installation or an approved Installation Access Exception to Policy (IAETP). Requests for an IAETP may be approved by the Fort Greely or Fort Wainwright Commanders for family members of a DoD ID card holder who require access to the installation for emergency or humanitarian reasons.

We are not out of the woods – it's **IMPERATIVE** that we continue to remain vigilant. Thank you very much for your continued loyalty and support while we continue to navigate our new normal. Protect yourself, so you can protect the force, so the force can protect the nation!

/r,  
LTC Joel Johnson

