



Alaska State Troopers Media Access Guide

News media looking for information on an incident in their area have a variety of routes to take. First, they should check the Trooper Dispatches on the “Trooper Times” website at: <http://www.dps.state.ak.us/pio/dispatch/index.asp>. Troopers in the field post news releases directly to the website 24/7. As they are entered “real time”, be sure to check the day of the incident, as well as the next day. Press releases covering more significant events are often recorded onto the Trooper Media Line at **337-9337**.

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