



Interior Winter Storm

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Fairbanks, AK
Friday, January 9

WINTER WEATHER ADVISORIES

FNSB

- 3-6 inches of snow beginning tonight and lasting through Sunday night. Brief break possible Saturday evening.
- Breezy conditions in valleys
- Drifting snow over hilltops

Dalton Highway Summits & White Mountains:

- East winds 25 to 35 mph, gusts up to 45 mph through late Saturday night
- Significantly reduced visibility with blowing and drifting snow
- Snowfall begins as winds diminish on Saturday

Delta Junction:

- 1-3 inches of snow accumulation
- Reduction in visibility possible

SPECIAL WEATHER STATEMENTS

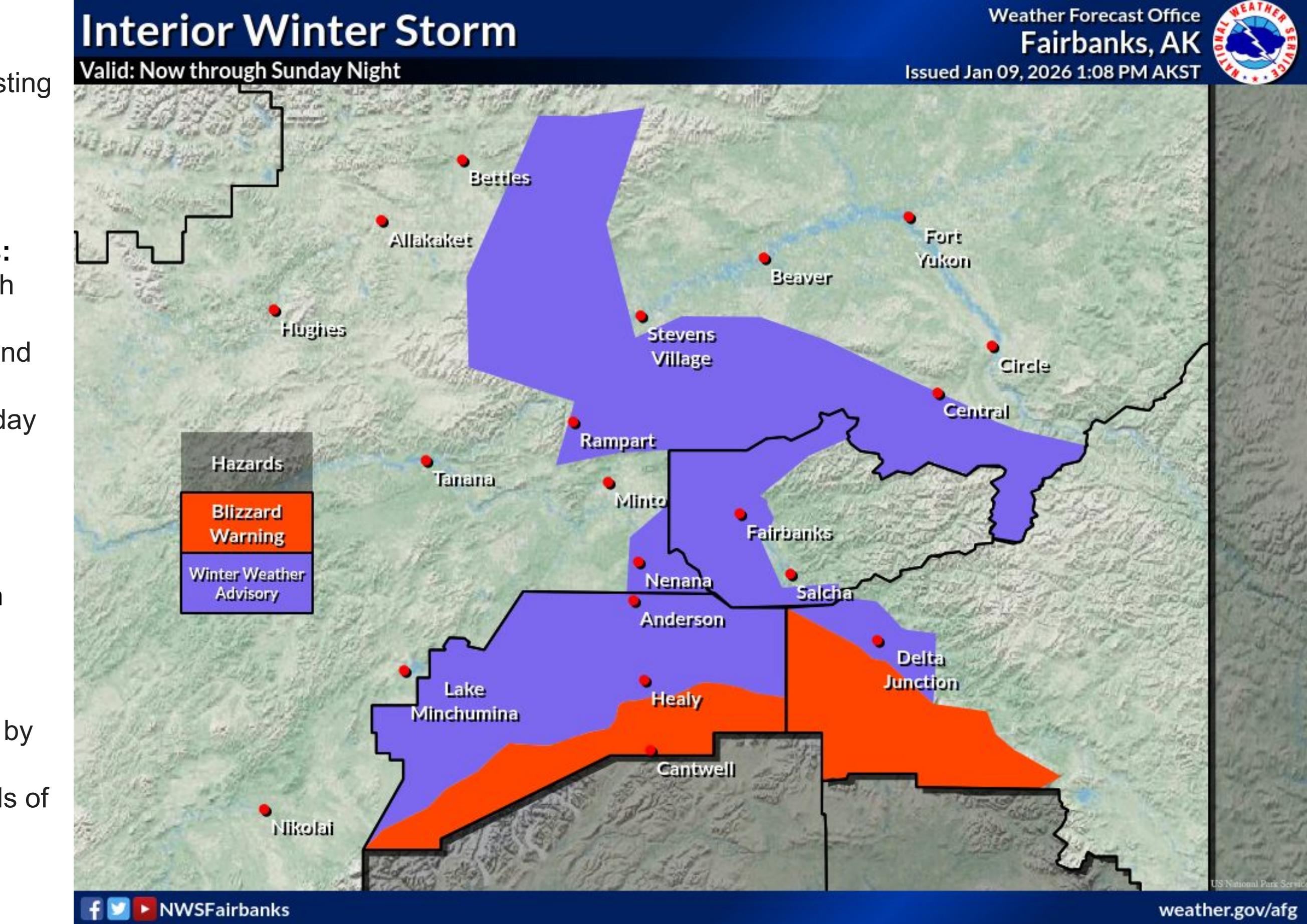
Upper Koyukuk Valley-Central Interior-Yukon

Flats-Fortymile Country-Upper Tanana

Valley-Upper Chena River Valley-Eielson

AFB-Salcha-Two Rivers:

- Snowfall with totals between 2 and 5 inches by Sunday night
 - Snow may be heavy at times with periods of low visibility, mainly tonight





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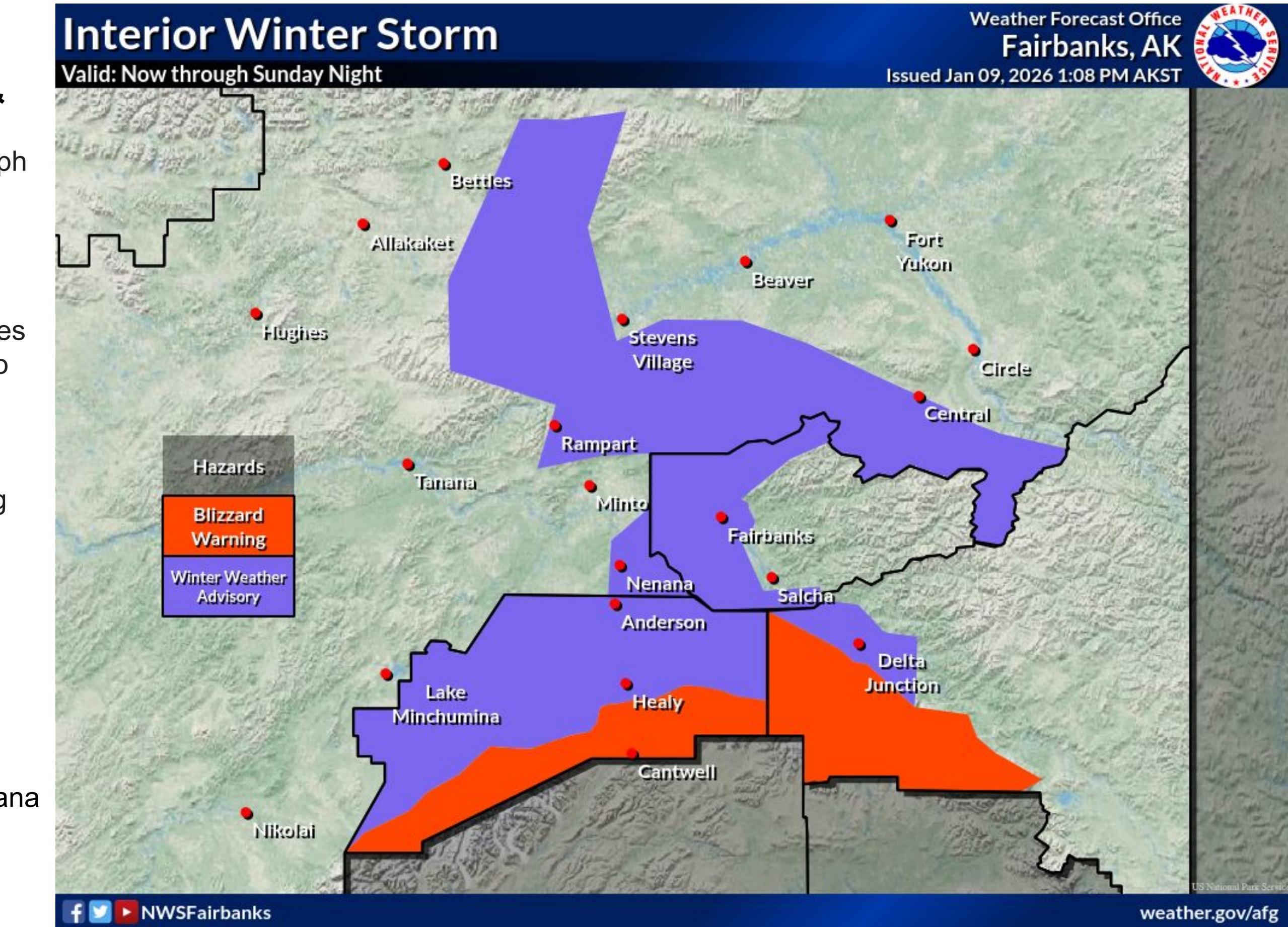
BLIZZARD WARNING

Richardson Highway North of Trims Camp & South of Denali National Park:

- South wind 30 to 40 mph, gusts up to 50 mph Friday afternoon - Sunday evening. Locally stronger gusts up to 65 mph possible near Black Rapids late Friday night through Saturday
- Snow accompanies winds with 6 to 12 inches possible along the Parks Highway and up to 18 inches possible along the Richardson Highway.
- Significantly reduced visibility in falling and blowing snow likely between Friday evening and Saturday morning down to $\frac{1}{4}$ mile

Winter Weather Advisory: Alaska Range - Healy north:

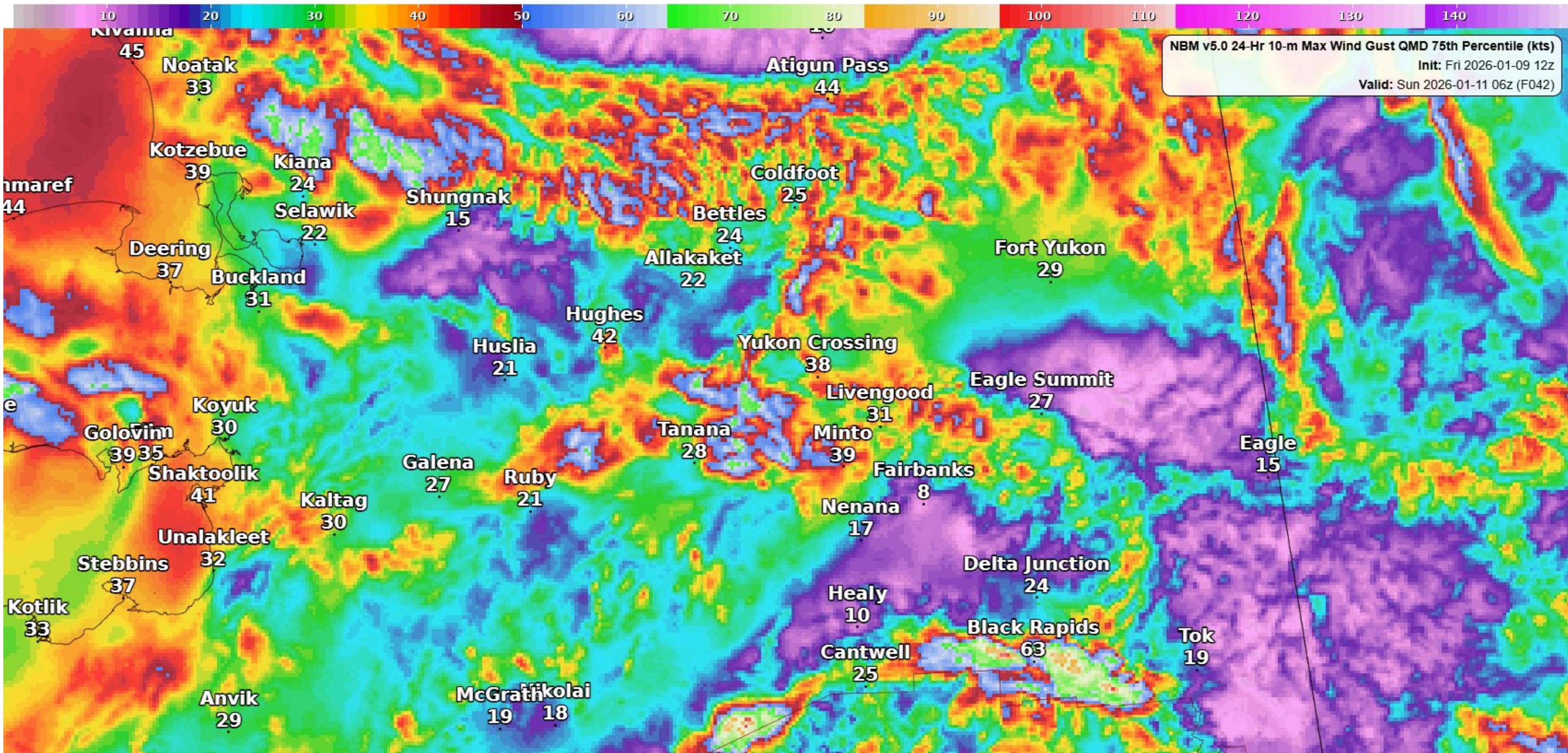
- Heavy snow and blowing snow
- 5-9 inches of snow accumulation possible
- A narrow band of heavy snow may persist through Sunday morning near or along the Parks Highway between Cantwell and Nenana
 - Heavier snow amounts are likely underneath that band
- Reduction in visibility





Forecasted Peak Winds

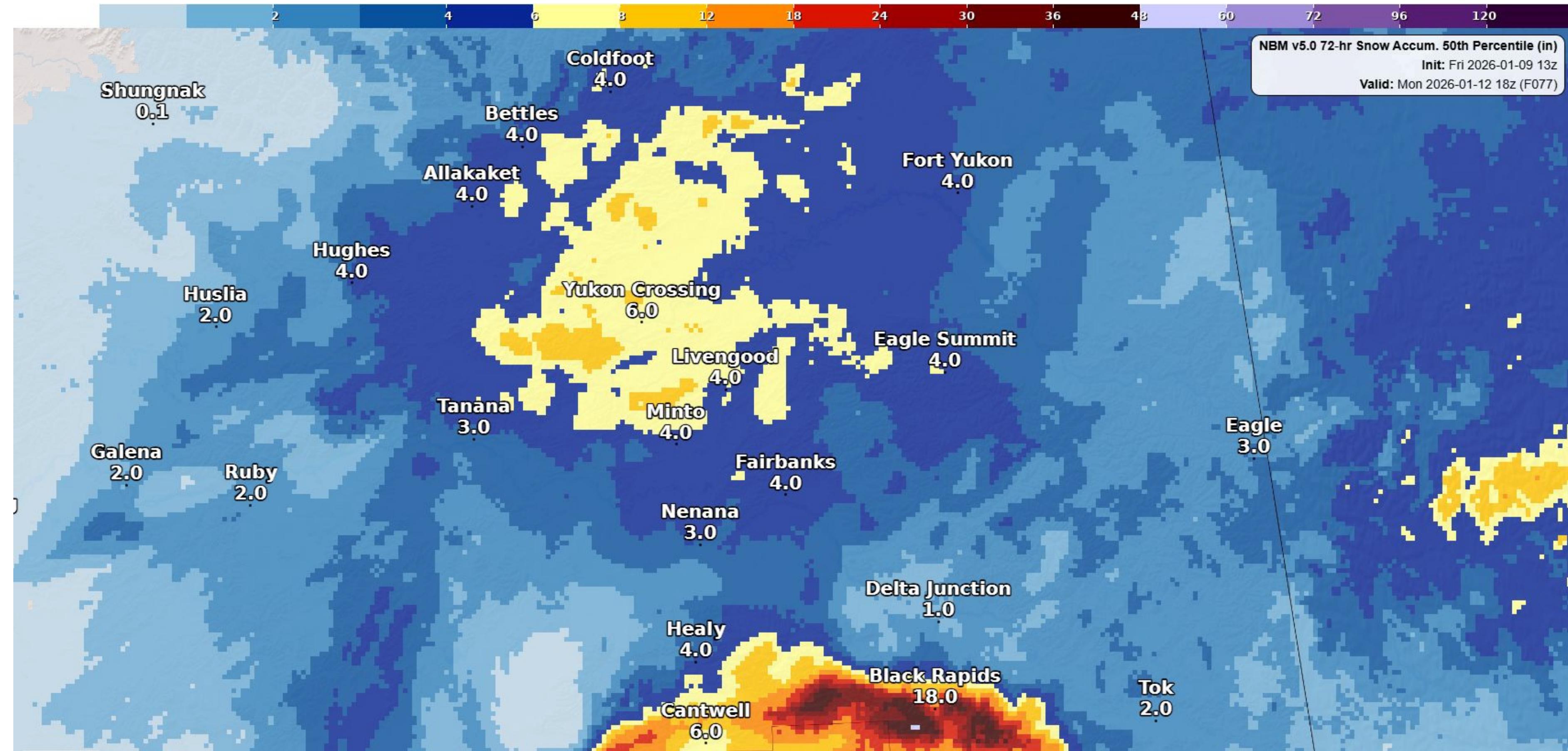
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50th Percentile Snow Totals - Most Likely

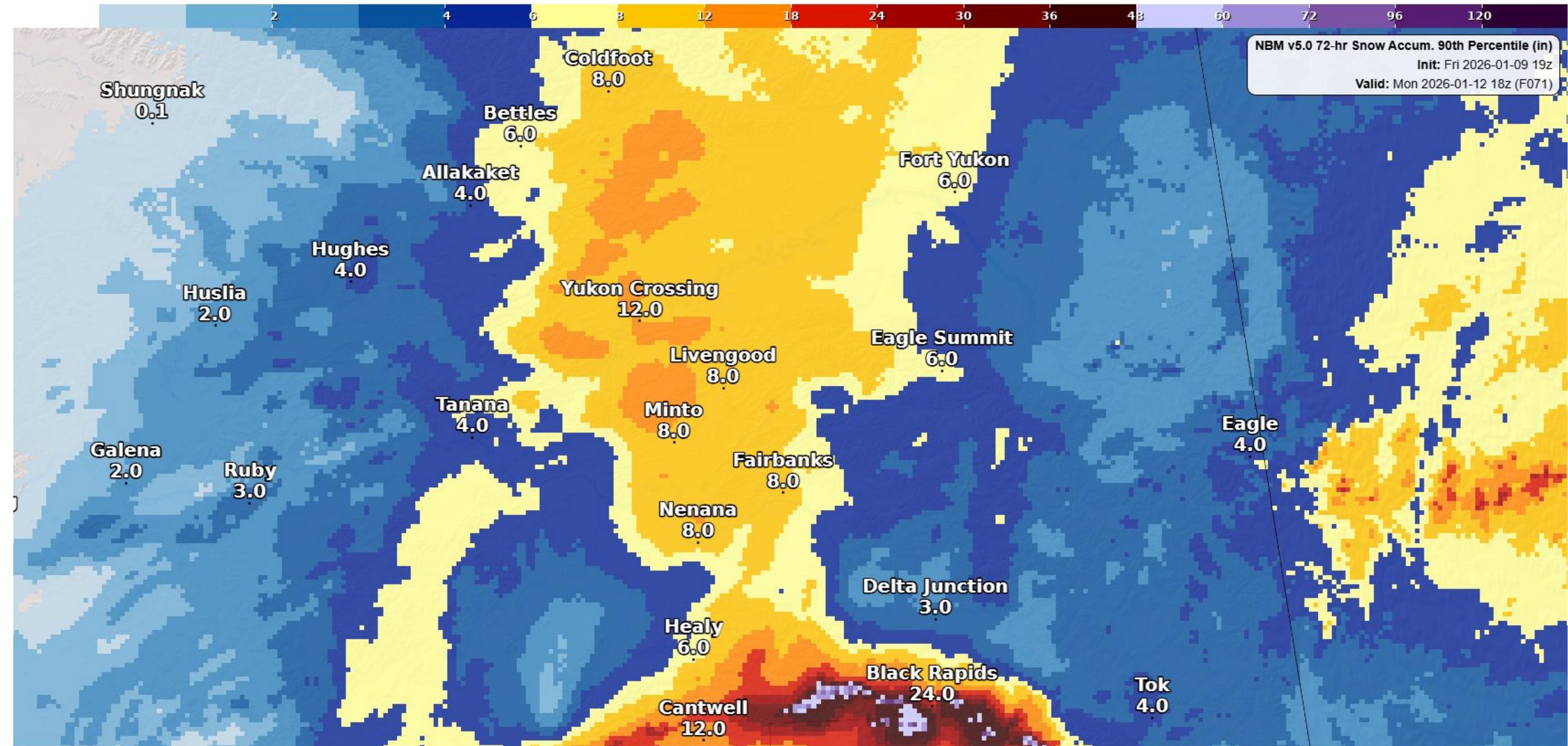
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90th Percentile Snow Totals - Maximum

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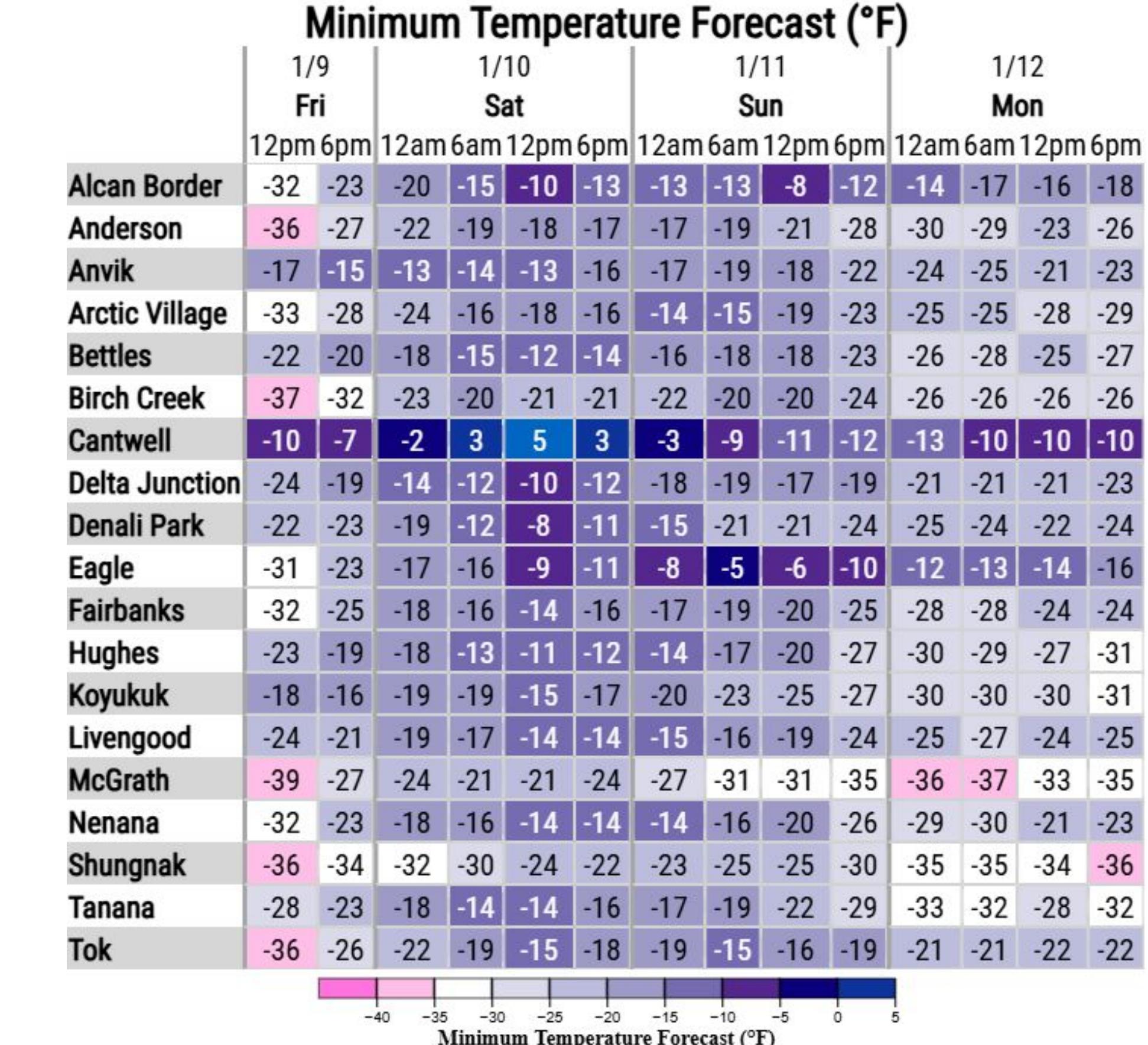




Forecasted Minimum Temperature - Interior

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- Temperatures will begin to rise this evening as the system enters the Interior.
- Temperatures will remain in the negative teens and single digits below throughout the weekend.
- Cold temperatures are expected to return once the snow moves out and skies clear.
 - Fairbanks could see temperatures at -30F as early as Monday at 3 AM.



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