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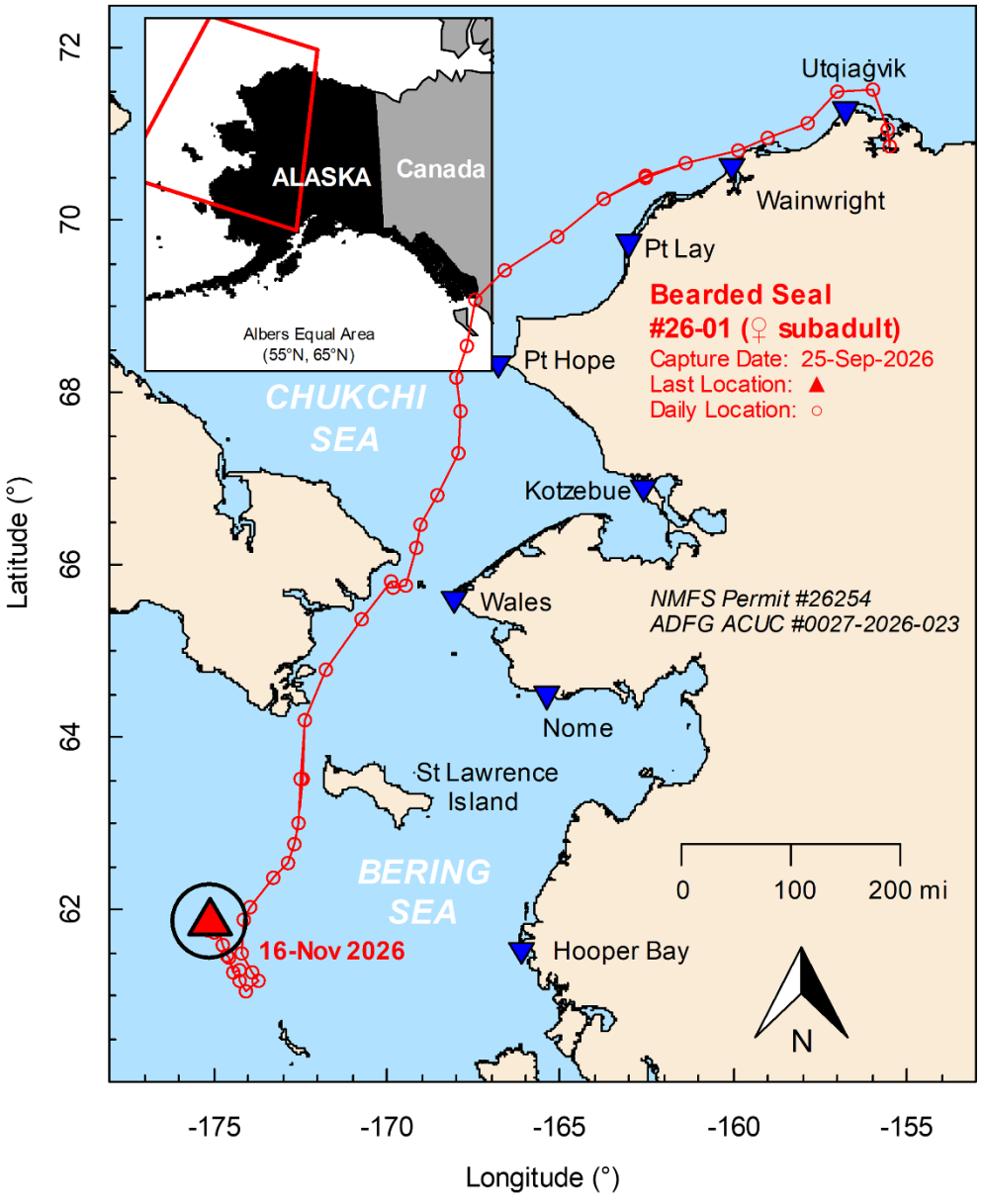
Map 2026-27_#08
Ice Seal Baseline Study

ICE SEAL LOCATIONS *as of 16-November-2026*

This map shows the movements of a bearded seal (*Erignathus barbatus*) captured in near Utqiaġvik, AK and instrumented with a satellite tracking device. This research was supported in part by National Petroleum Reserve-Alaska Program funds (NPR-A grants #20-NPRA-06 and #22-NPRA-06), made available through the State Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development. Additional funding was provided through the Community Directed Funding Program (Prog. #NA23NMF4690288), made available by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. All 2026-27 NSB ice seal research is conducted under NMFS permit #26254 and ADF&G Animal Care and Use Committee Protocol #0027-2026-023, in cooperation with the Ice Seal Committee and the NSB Fish & Game Management Committee. For more information visit www.north-slope.org, or contact Andrew Von Duyke at andrew.vonduyke@north-slope.org.

BEARDED SEAL #26-01
Subadult female



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