

## Satellite Phone Rental Companies

For extreme outdoor adventures that take you deep into Alaska backcountry, it is critical that you take a satellite phone as part of your communication and safety equipment.

### Type of Satellite Phone to Rent-“Iridium”

It is first important to note that the only “reliable” satellite phone in the Northern Alaska Regions is an **Iridium Satellite Phone**. Do not rent any other type as it would be virtually useless.

### Where to Rent a Satellite Phone

Iridium Satellite Phones can be rented online and in most communities and cities including Anchorage and Fairbanks Alaska.

There are many online companies that offer satellite phone rentals for quite reasonable prices. I suggest you Google and see what deals they have. They generally rent by the week and add more for additional days. Here is an example of one of those online companies:

<http://www.bluecosmo.com/satellite-phone-rental.php>. At this time, Arrowhead Outfitters LLC, does not recommend an particular company.

If you choose to use a local vendor in your own community or city, I suggest that you do a Google search or check your yellow pages.

There are a number of satellite phone vendors in Anchorage and Fairbanks. You can Google or look them up in the yellow pages. Arrowhead Outfitters LLC uses and recommends the following:

- Surveyors Exchange w/ offices in Anchorage and Fairbanks: <http://www.tse-ak.com/>
- [Anchorage Satellite Phones.com](http://AnchorageSatellitePhones.com) 907-372-7368- They have an office in Anchorage, however, you can order your phone over the internet and have it shipped to you I believe. Also, they offer \$10.00 off if you mention Arrowhead Outfitters name or use the code **outfit** (see attached flyer).
- ❖ As your adventure will most likely be a week or more in Alaska’s backcountry, we suggest that you make sure your phone has two batteries and that they are fully charged before you leave for your trip.

