

Depiction helped save 15,000 animals during Hurricane Gustav.



“During Gustav we transferred 15,000 animals in 133 refrigerated tractor trailers, 94 cages and transport crates each, stops every 2 hours. No internet meant no knowledge of road blockage, so we used amateur radio with Depiction to show where to go and keep map element positions up to date. Depiction was essential in coordinating transport between 19 different pickup points and sheltering in Shreveport.

We had to use boats to get to a flooding animal shelter north of Baton Rouge. The first thing I did was create a Depiction for the area with a flood simulator. Then the city manager saw it and used for his streets, too. It gave them just enough information that they could do workarounds. Everyone was impressed. Depiction really came through for us.”



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