

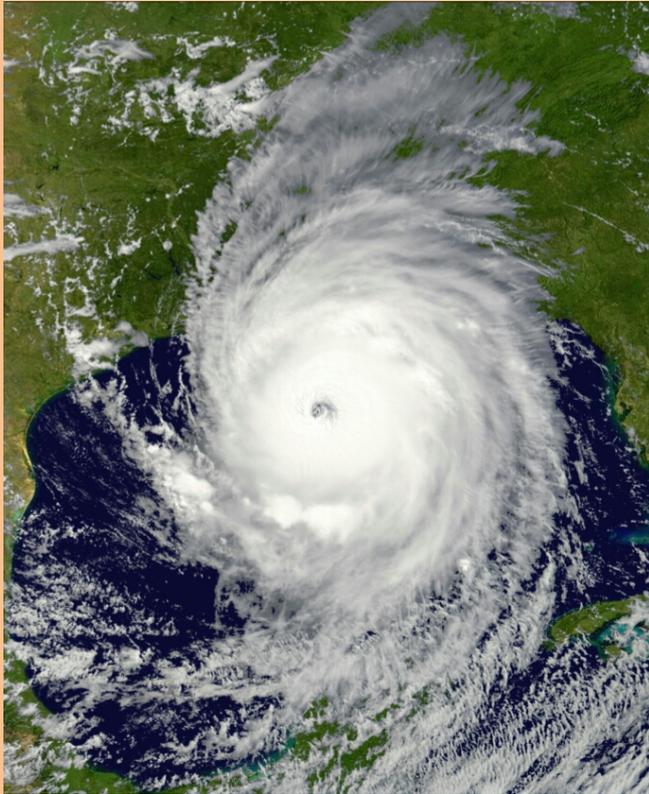
Hurricane Harvey Wreaks Havoc on Southeast Texas 25 – 30 August 2017 Including the Cradle of Texas: Brazoria, Matagorda, Wharton Counties



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People wade through chest deep water down Pine Cliff Drive as Addicks Reservoir nears capacity due to near constant rain from Tropical Storm Harvey, Tuesday, Aug. 29, 2017 in Houston. (Michael Ciaglo/Houston Chronicle via AP) [more >](#)

Hurricane Harvey Approaches Texas



Harvey approaching Texas



Harvey off the coast of Texas viewed from International Space Station 25 Aug 2017

Flood Waters Cover 300 Miles of Texas Coast From Corpus Christi to Orange

Hurricane Harvey was a unique weather event. It went ashore as a Cat 4 and stopped, lingering as a tropical storm for several days before slowly moving back into the Gulf and making landfall again near Sabine Pass 6 days after initial arrival. It dumped massive amounts of rainfall continuously causing catastrophic flooding all over the Texas coast.



Corpus Christi, TX 28 Aug 2017



Orange, TX 2 Sep 2017

Rockport

Aransas County



Rockport 27 Aug 2017

Rockport, Fulton, Port Aransas and Port Lavaca took the brunt of Harvey the Hurricane but other areas further north along the coast suffered greatly from Harvey's rainfall.

Brazoria

Brazoria County



Bridges across Brazos River leading
Into Brazoria from FM 521 and FM 332



View of Old Town Brazoria next to the
out-of-banks Brazos River

West Columbia

Brazoria County



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Lake Jackson 1

Brazoria County



Richwood area

Lake Jackson 2

Brazoria County



Victoria

Victoria County



Victoria was directly in line with Harvey when it made landfall

Wharton 1

Wharton County



Rescuing cattle

Wharton 2

Wharton County



Houston 1

Harris County



A semi-submerged home in the flooded Energy Corridor neighborhood of Houston. Andrew Burton for The New York Times



Floodwaters continued to rise in Houston. Alyssa Schular for The New York Times

Houston 2

Harris County



Spc. Brandon Tooley waded through water to escort evacuees from an apartment complex in West Houston. Alyssa Schukar for The New York Times

Houston Apartment



Flooded cars in an apartment complex parking lot in Humble, Tex. Edmond D. Fountain for The New York Times

Humble, Texas

On-Ramp to I-45 in Houston

Harris County



Friendswood 1

Galveston and Harris County



FM 2351 at FM 518 near Kroger



FM 2351 approaching Clear Creek

Friendswood 2

Galveston and Harris County



FM 2351 near Clear Creek

Friendswood 3

Galveston and Harris County



Flooding around FM 528



Flooding around FM 528

Harvey Rainfall Totals ~ 48"

Friday 25 Aug - Tuesday 29 Aug 2017

Rainfall recorded at 606 Fernwood Drive in Friendswood, Texas 77546

Day	Date	Rain Gauge	Time
Friday	25-Aug	3"	10PM
Saturday	26-Aug	3"	3PM
Saturday	26-Aug	6.33+"	11PM
Sunday	27-Aug	6.33+" - 13"	8AM
Sunday	27-Aug	3.25"	6PM
Monday	28-Aug	5"	1:30PM
Monday	28-Aug	4"	6:30PM
Tuesday	29-Aug	6.33+"	7AM
Tuesday	29-Aug	1.25"	5PM

+ indicates rain gauge overflowed before being reset

Other official rainfall totals reported* in Friendswood (see map next slide):

Clear Creek @ I-45: 49.4"

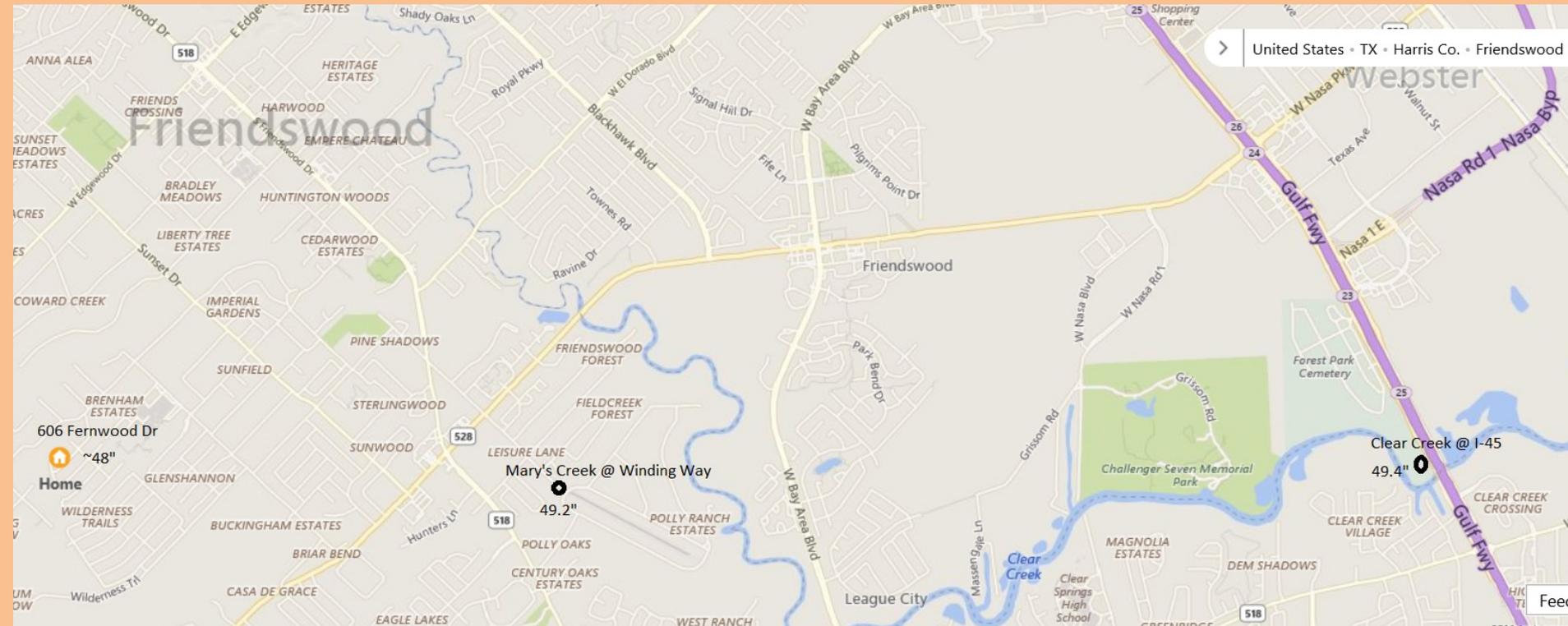
Winding Way Road @ Mary's Creek: 49.2"

Friendswood 2.5 NNE: 44.05"

*Reported 9 PM on 30 Aug 2017 by National Hurricane Center/National Weather Service

Friendswood Rainfall Map

Galveston and Harris Counties



48"

49.2"

49.4"

These rainfall totals are among the highest recorded for Hurricane Harvey. The highest total reported was 51.88" at Cedar Bayou (near I-10 and Anahuac). Note: 606 Fernwood Dr. is in FEMA Flood Zone X (unshaded) i.e. greater than 500-yr. flood; it did not flood with Harvey, and has never flooded.

VIDEOS From Hurricane Harvey Flooding Aftermath Brazoria, Matagorda, Wharton, and Galveston Counties

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What's Next?

7 Sep 2017



Katia
Cat 2

Irma
Cat 5

Jose
Cat 5