



COASTAL BEND, TX RV

Hurricane Harvey – 2017

Location

Coastal Bend is a broad term that includes nine different counties that span along the curved area on the Gulf Coast (including Aransas County, where volunteers will be staying). The climate is generally hot in the summer and mild in the winter. The area is known for fishing and birding, seafood, working ranches, and antiquing.

Disaster

Hurricane Harvey reached tropical storm status on August 17, 2017 and continued to develop and intensify, becoming a category 3 hurricane that finally dissipated on September 3, 2017. It was the costliest natural disaster ever on record in the U.S. and the first major hurricane to make landfall on U.S. soil since 2005. There were 91 confirmed deaths and more than 300,000 people were left without electricity. Many people were displaced and thousands of homes were destroyed or sustained major damage.

MDS Response

MDS volunteers will be staying at 1618 W Corpus Christi Street in Rockport, TX. The RV sites have both 30- and 50- amp service. Additionally, the MDS office and dining area will be located in the house on the property.

MDS work will be primarily building decks, porches, and ramps. Some interior finish work is also a possibility.

Directions

Use GPS to direct you to the project site. RV hookups will be visible when you arrive. Contact the Project Director when you arrive to be directed to your spot.

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