

Hurricane Harvey Equine Donation Options

Many in our dressage community have been impacted by Hurricane Harvey. HDS has been contacted by people wanting to make donations to the equine storm victims. HDS recommends two options. Both are 501c3 non-profit organizations allowing tax deductible donations.

Option 1: Provides aid to **INDIVIDUAL** barn owners impacted by the storm.

<https://sportsauthorityfoundation.org>

or by mail to: Sports Authority Foundation, c/o Harris County-Houston Sports Authority, Partnership Tower, 701 Avenida De Las Americas, Suite 450, Houston, TX 77010

- Minimum donation= \$5
- Targeted fund= "**Houston Dressage**" to earmark funds for dressage barns that received storm damage
- 100% of funds will be distributed (no administration fee)

The Sports Authority Foundation has been established by the Harris County-Houston Sports Authority. The Foundation's directors will review funding applications and distribute the funds to needy applicants.

Option 2: Provides aid to the **COMMUNITY** including the SPCA and veterinary service organizations.

www.usef.org/donate (USEF Equine Disaster Relief Fund)

- Online donations only
- No donation targeting—funds will be distributed to underwrite the efforts of the Houston SPCA, Texas A&M University, the Texas Equine Veterinary Association (TEVA) and the American Association of Equine Practitioners (AAEP).