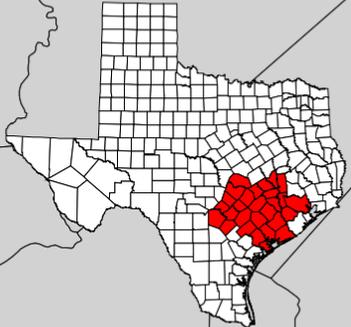
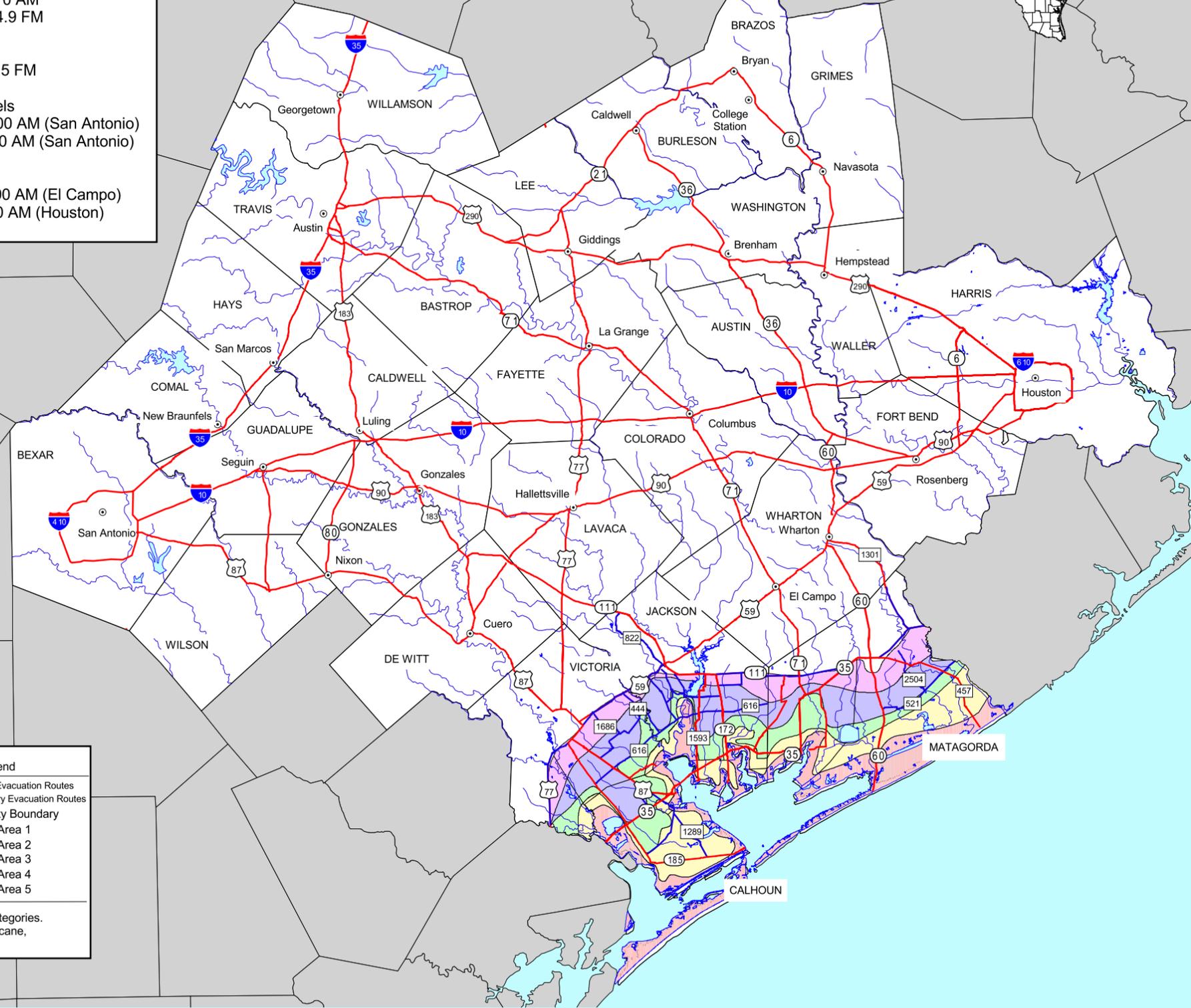


Inland Evacuation Map Matagorda Study Area



Tune to the radio stations listed below for traffic and shelter information

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| Austin KLBJ 590 AM | Houston KTRH 740 AM |
| Bryan-College Station KAGC 1510 AM KAMU 90.9 FM | La Grange KVLG 1570 AM KBUK 104.9 FM |
| Columbus KULM 98.3 FM | Navasota KMBV 92.5 FM |
| El Campo KULP 1390 AM KIOX 96.9 FM (Bay City) | New Braunfels WOAI 1200 AM (San Antonio) KKYX 680 AM (San Antonio) |
| Gonzales KCTI 1450 AM | Wharton KULP 1390 AM (El Campo) KTRH 740 AM (Houston) |



What To Do When A Hurricane Threatens

Have an evacuation plan
The map shows the Risk Areas (in color) and main evacuation routes out of your area. Know how to get to the evacuation route nearest your home and have an alternate route should that one be congested.

Pack a disaster supplies kit you can load in your car. (For a list of suggested items to include, contact your Emergency Management Coordinator or local Red Cross chapter.)

If you plan to stay in a hotel or motel, call ahead to make reservations before you leave. If you plan to stay with family or friends, let them know you are coming. If you are taking pets, make sure they will be welcome at your destination and remember to bring inoculation records, carriers, leashes, and pet supplies.

Consider leaving early if:
You live in low-lying or flood-prone areas, on a barrier island, or in a mobile home near the coast.

You are traveling with people who may have difficulty with a lengthy trip (young children, older family members, or people with special needs).

You are driving a recreational vehicle or towing a boat, trailer, travel trailer, or any other piece of equipment.

You want to be able to choose your route or final destination. (When the general evacuation starts, law enforcement personnel will be directing traffic and telling you which roads to take.)

Evacuation tips:
Listen to the Emergency Alert Station for your area (KTRH 740, KVIC 95.1) or NOAA Weather Radio (WXL26 162.475, WXK34 162.4, WWG40 162.425). When local officials tell people in your area to leave, do so immediately.

Carry food and drinks in your car. Stopping for these items will delay your evacuation and restaurants and stores along the evacuation routes may be closed or very crowded.

Listen to radio stations serving the area you are traveling through and watch for roadside signs or electronic message boards, especially if you are looking for a public shelter.

Be alert for law enforcement personnel directing traffic.

| Saffir-Simpson Scale | | Legend | |
|----------------------|-----------------|--------|-----------------------------|
| Hurricane Category | Windspeed (MPH) | | Primary Evacuation Routes |
| | | | Secondary Evacuation Routes |
| | | | County Boundary |
| 1 | 74-95 | | Risk Area 1 |
| 2 | 96-110 | | Risk Area 2 |
| 3 | 111-130 | | Risk Area 3 |
| 4 | 131-155 | | Risk Area 4 |
| 5 | >155 | | Risk Area 5 |

Risk Area numbers correspond to hurricane categories. For example, in the event of a Category 3 hurricane, Risk Areas 1, 2, 3 would be threatened.



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