

# **WELCOME** VIRTUAL MEETING WILL BEGIN AT

### **11:45pm Central**

Society of American Military Engineers Omaha Post September 14<sup>th</sup> Meeting

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# **Omaha Post Meeting**

### Society of American Military Engineers Omaha Post September 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Meeting



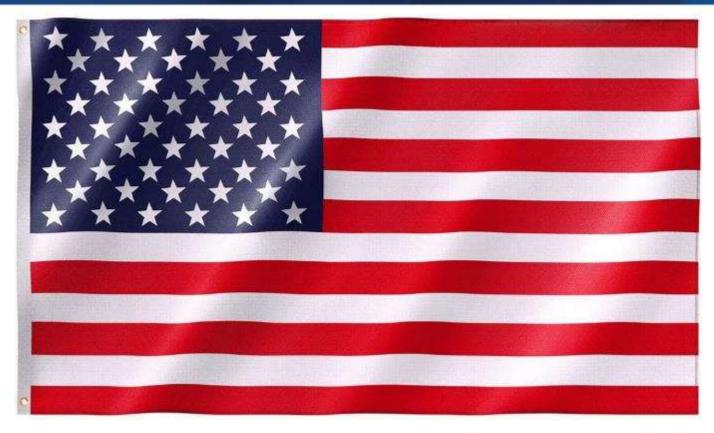
# **Meeting Agenda**

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Invocation
- New Member/ Guest Introductions
- Lunch
- Announcements
  - President's Report
  - ► Scholarship Report
  - Post Leadership Workshop
  - ► Post Website
  - Student Mentoring Program
- Membership Spotlight

- Presentation
- Q&A
- Split Kitty Drawing
  - **Closing Remarks**

# **Pledge of Allegiance**

**Omaha Pos** 



I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.





### Please remain standing

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# Introductions

### **Introductions**

- Welcome to New Members
- Introduction of Guests





### **Dismiss by table**

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Announcements

### October Membership Meeting

- ► October 10, 2023 @ Field Club
- ► Topic: Solar Energy Michael Shonka
- November Membership Meeting
  - ► October 10, 2023 @ Field Club
  - Topic: Perkins County Canal Tom Riley, P.E., Director-Nebraska Department of Natural Resources



# Announcements

### President's Report



# New Student Chapter Scholarship

- Up to four \$2,000 scholarships
- Awarded to members of our Student Chapters (MCC, UNO, and UNL)
- Applications available on website and due by the end of October.
- Award in November 2023















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# Announcements

### Post Website

### www.same.org/Omaha

### Student Mentoring Program



# **Membership Spotlight**

# **Conti**<sup>®</sup>Federal

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# **Capabilities Briefing**

# September 2023

### Conti Federal Done Once. Done Right.

### Conti Federal



Construction Company, services offered by Tony Conti ("Honest constructing

1959

FUSRAP.

Tony") immigrated to the US and started T.N. Conti & Sons, building stonewalls, steps, and patios

> The Beginning 1906

Gerald's son, Nat, formed Conti

> from a local contractor, channels and into an industry leader. culverts, large sewer along with a focus on systems, as well as serving the US federal plowing snow.

**Conti Construction** Company

Kurt G. Conti. in close collaboration with the communication

Management Team, towers up and down seeks to turn Conti the eastern seaboard, Conti Communications is

launched. It is later sold to Quanta Services in 1999. government.

4th Generation of Ownership 1990

The company embarks upon new Building cellular terrain with their first

project in the solar industry. Conti continues to serve the solar industry for nearly 20 years until selling CS Energy in 2021.

Embarking on Solar 2002

Conti completes its

Conti Federal wins our first contract in Israel.. with an office located in

Omer. Conti Federal Enters the Middle East 2011

Originally called

TENNA

BuildSourced. a technology company revolutionizing industrial asset tracking and analytics, in 2017 to

become Tenna **Tenna Gets Its Start** 2015

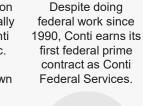
**Conti Federal Opens Midwest** Office 2022

1938 **Conti Contractors** Tony's son, Gerald, started Conti Contractors, spanned from constructing sewers and small roads to waterproofing basements

1979 1991 Conti Goes Conti Enterprises, Environmental Inc. Conti establishes itself as an environmental

contractor, DOE,

Conti Construction Co., Inc. is officially



Conti

Communications

1996

1998

Conti Federal

**Services** 

Conti celebrates 100 years of delivering highquality projects

2010 **New Orleans Office** Conti Federal opens a New Orleans

first international

projects in Guam

and Spain. Picture

here is Andersen

Air Force Base in

Guam.

Conti Goes

International

2008

Project of the Year in office to service the Specialty Contracting

from Engineering News-Record for our Hurricane Sandy disaster relief efforts. Conti companies have earned more than 25 Best Project awards

2014

**Project of the Year** 

Conti Federal earns

since 2003..

2017 The Conti Group The Conti Group is formally organized into a holding company.

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Conti

TENNA

Company

Diversification

2020

2021 **Conti Federal** Moves Headquarters. To Orlando, FI

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renamed to Conti Enterprises, Inc. Today, the company is known as Conti Civil.

Conti Enterorises





2006

100 Years

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers the Southeast Louisiana

Urban Flood Control Project

# **Conti Federal**

#### GLOBAL PROJECT EXPERIENCE

5 CONTINENTS 250+ PROJECTS OR TASK ORDERS Our Tagline "Done Once, Done Right" isn't just something we say – it's how we deliver.



Nearly 9 out of 10 projects have received a CPARS of exceptional or very good

| MID-SIZE FIRM         |
|-----------------------|
| SPECIALIZING IN THE   |
| <b>FEDERAL SECTOR</b> |

Experience Agility Flexibility Focus Design-Build Self-Perform **Bonding Capacity** \$1.5B Aggregate \$650M Single Project

#### PROJECT EXPERTISE

Military Construction & Critical Infrastructure Secure Construction Environmental Remediation Disaster Response & Recovery



# The Conti Difference

# We think and execute **big**, while retaining the **agility**, **efficiency**, and **responsiveness** of a small firm.

| Culture<br>Strong Core<br>Value  | Self-Perform<br>Mindset   | Warrior Lean®  | Local Expertise,<br>Global<br>Experience | Key<br>Partners  |
|--|---|--|--|--|
| <ul> <li>Integrity &amp; Honesty</li> <li>Learning &amp; Progress</li> <li>Entrepreneurship &amp;<br/>Innovation</li> <li>Pride</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Prioritize design<br/>needs with early<br/>contractor<br/>involvement</li> <li>Understand the labor<br/>and resources<br/>required to execute</li> <li>Hire and supervise<br/>construction crews<br/>for cost optimization<br/>and subcontractor<br/>risk mitigation.</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Combines lean construction principles with the sharp decision-making prowess of the military</li> <li>Keeps projects on course in the face of change and adversity</li> </ul> |  | <ul> <li>A-E Partners</li> <li>Mentor Protégé</li> <li>Local/Regional<br/>Trade</li> <li>Partners</li> </ul> |

# **Commitment to the USACE Omaha District**

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#### **Omaha District Commitments to Growth**

- Focus Installations / Weapon Systems
  - F.E. Warren AFB / GBSD Sentinel Program
  - Ellsworth AFB / B-21 Program
  - Minot AFB / GBSD Sentinel Program
  - Grand Forks AFB / Disaster Response Program
  - Unrestricted RDI Program
- Regional Office in Rapid City, SD
  - European Regional Manager in Naples
  - 4 Current Projects
  - 4 Under Pursuit; 4 Pending Projects
- Strategic Omaha District Partners
  - A/E Design
  - Local Construction
    - Sitework, Concrete, MEP, Interiors

# Experience



# **Military Construction & Critical Infrastructure**

#### **New Construction**

- Hangars
- Administrative facilities
- Harden facilities
- Ammunition storage facilities
- Squadron operations
- Simulators
- Sensitive Compartmented
   Information Facility (SCIF)
- Energy centers
- Training facilities

#### Facility Restoration/ Modernization

- Historical renovations
- Facility interior upgrades
- Roof replacement
- Electrical upgrades
- Mechanical upgrades
- Plumbing upgrades
- Fire detections & extinguishing system
- Blast windows & doors
- Coordination and work in active buildings



F-35 Hardened Aircraft Shelter Owner: USACE Europe Location: Israel



# **Secure Construction**

#### Sensitive and Secure Areas

- Sensitive Compartmented Information Facility (SCIF)
- MEP installation/ upgrades
- Fire detection/protection
- Facility interior upgrades
- Historical renovations
- CBRN filtration systems
- Coordination and work in active buildings
- Intrusion detection/ access control systems

#### Anti-Terrorism/ Force Protection

- Blast windows and doors
- Security shelters
- Emergency egress tunnel
- Vehicular/personnel gates and barriers
- Fixed/retractable bollards
- Security kiosks
- Security buoys
- Access control points
- Perimeter fence



Senate Park Perimeter Security Owner: Architect of the Capitol Location: Washington, DC



# **Environmental Remediation**

- Testing, investigation and characterization
- Landfill closure (soil/liner)
- Groundwater treatment system
- In-situ soil-vapor extraction/treatment
- Multi-media remediation
- Radiological
- Facility decontamination/ decommissioning/ demolition
- Transportation & disposal
- Wetlands restoration
- Slurry wall installation
- UXO removal

Conti Federal is a small business enterprise under NAICS 562910

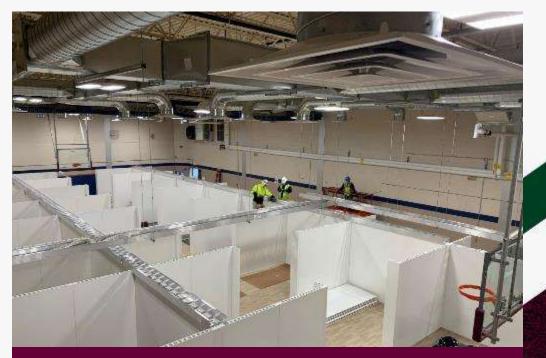


Hopewell Precision Superfund Site Owner: USACE Kansas City Location: Hopewell Junction, NY



# **Disaster Response and Recovery**

- Emergency response
- COVID-19 Alternate Care Facilities
- Temporary housing
- Remediation and hazardous waste disposal
- Shelter in Place
- MEP systems resiliency
- Coastal restoration
- Infrastructure and residential damage assessment
- Wind mitigation and hurricane retrofits
- Time-critical infrastructure repair
- Structural repairs & reconstruction
- Interior finish restoration and replacement
- Emergency power generation



**COVID-19 Alternate Care Facility** Owner: USACE Philadelphia Location: New Bergen, NJ





# **Omaha District Contract Vehicles**

#### **Current Omaha District Contracts**

- Truax Field F-35 Fighter Alert Shelter
- F.E. Warren AFB Helo/TRF Ops/AMU and Alert Facility
- Fort Liberty Barracks Restoration RDI MATOC
- Ellsworth AFB B-21 RF Hangar

#### **Pending/Upcoming Omaha District Contracts**

- Under Pursuit
  - Grand Forks AFB Disaster Response Program Formal Training Unit Bldg 631
  - Ellsworth AFB B-21 Weapons Loader Training Facility
  - FE Warren AFB GBSD Integrated Command Center
  - FE Warren AFB GBSD Missile Handling Complex
- Pending
  - Ellsworth AFB Phase Maintenance Hangar
  - Ellsworth AFB Fuels System Maintenance Dock
  - Consolidated Maintenance Training Facility
  - GBSD Integrated Training Center





**D/B Fort Bragg Barracks Renovation** Owner: USACE Omaha (RDI) Location: Fort Bragg, North Carolina Value: \$69,364,902



**F-35 Fighter Alert Shelter** Owner: USACE Omaha Location: Truax Field, Wisconsin Value: \$20,243,914



**F-35 Simulator & Squadron Ops** Owner: NAVFAC Southeast Location: NASJRB Ft Worth, Texas Value: \$26,908,666



Jersey City Med Center Flood Control Owner: RWJ Barnabas Health (FEMA) Location: Jersey City, New Jersey Value: \$35,056,313



**D/B Edinburgh Levee Repair** Owner: USIBWC Location: Edinburgh, Texas Value: \$6,498,887

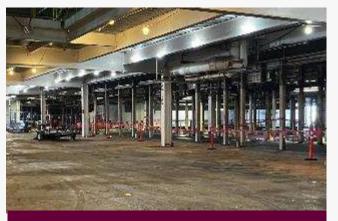




**AFSOC Special Tactics Operations** Facility Owner: USACE Mobile Location: Hurlburt Field, Florida Value: \$49,781,343



Helicopter Operations Alert Facility Owner: USACE Omaha Location: F.E. Warren AFB, Wyoming Value: \$124,733,987



AFLCMC-WAG Building Renovations Owner: USACE Tulsa Location: Tinker AFB, Oklahoma Value: \$69,364,902



Burnt Fly Bog OU3 Remedial Action Owner: USEPA RES Location: Marlboro, New Jersey Value: \$867,138

#### **No Photo**

Renovate F-35 Maintenance Hangar Owner: US Air Force Reserve Location: NASJRB Ft Worth Value: \$8,445,000





**Site 532** Facility Owner: USACE Europe Location: Israel Value: \$17,766,104



Naples C4I Renovation Owner: NAVFAC EURAFCENT Location: Naples, Italy Value: \$34,286,472



Site 417 Hardened Aircraft Shelter Owner: USACE Europe Location: Israel Value: \$84,430,404



Joint Intelligence Center Renovation Owner: NAVFAC (GCC Jacobs) Location: Sigonella, Italy Value: \$26,865,321



Owner: USACE Omaha Location: Ellsworth AFB, South Dakota Value: \$70,260,244



# **CONTINUE Done Once. Done Right.**

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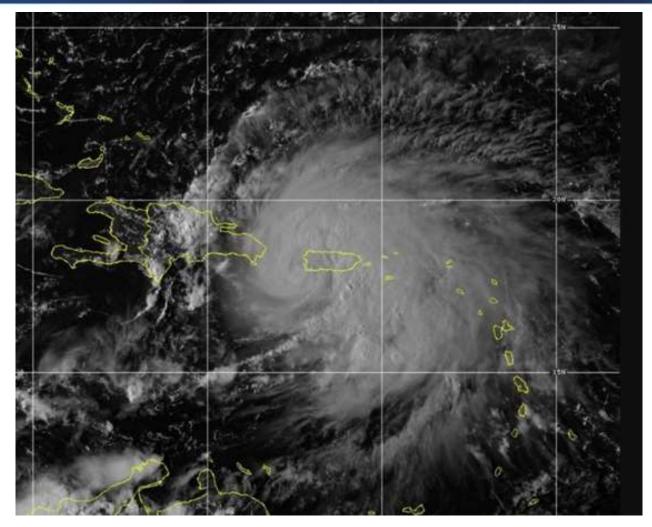


### **Hurricane Fiona Impact**

Scott R. Perkins, Business Development Director, Prairie Engineers, P.C.



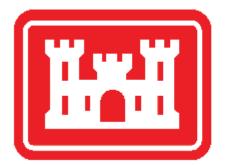
### MEASURING HURRICANE FIONA'S IMPACT FROM A SURVEYOR'S PERSPECTIVE





https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/f/fc/Fiona Puerto Rico landfall.gif





### US Army Corps of Engineers ® St. Louis District





USACE IS THE CLIENT, TWM IS THE PRIME, AND PRAIRIE WAS A SUBCONTRACTOR TO TWM



## SEPTEMBER 17-19TH FIONA HIT PUERTO RICO ON SEPTEMBER 23 WE RECEIVED THE PHONE CALL



# S.O.W.



Collect bathymetry of the area

Q

Investigate any scouring around the bridge piers



Delineate High Water Mark and Edge of Water Mark



## 5 NUMBERS THAT SHOW HURRICANE FIONA'S DEVASTATING IMPACT ON PUERTO RICO







1. Some areas of Puerto Rico got over 30 inches of rain

- 2. Dozens have to be rescued by the National Guard
- 3. More than 900,000 are still without power
- 4. Hundreds of thousands are still without water
- 5. Puerto Rico's economy could take a multibillion-dollar hit



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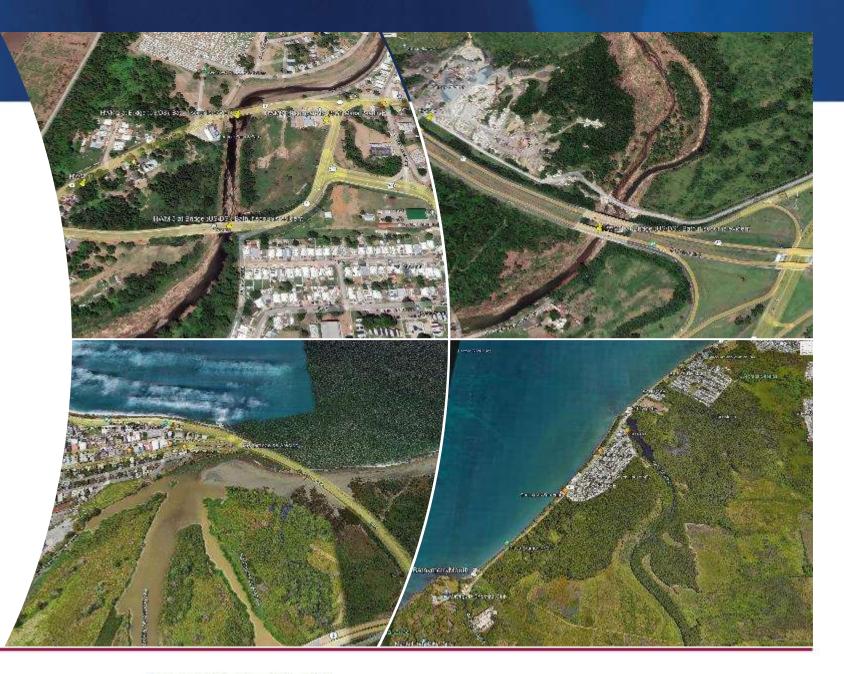
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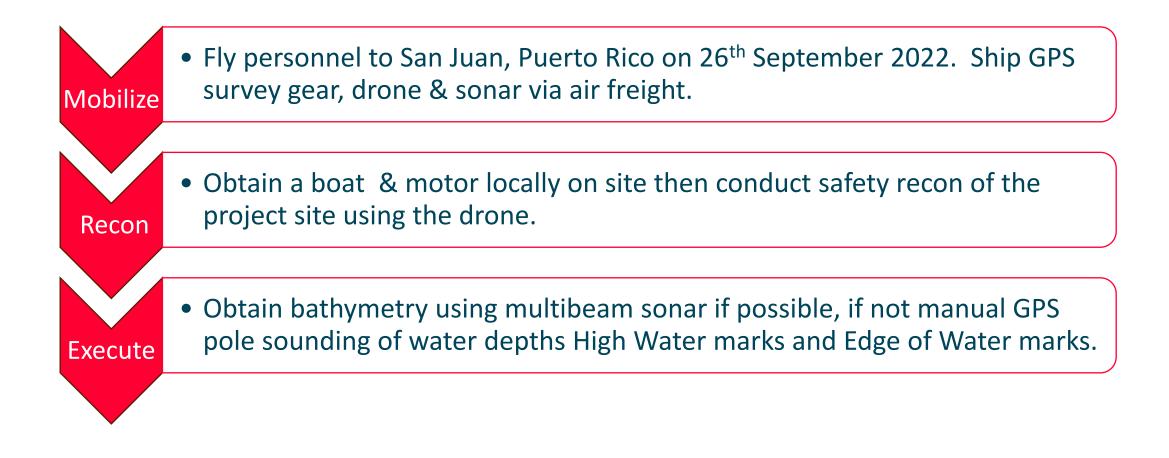
## S.O.W. LOCATIONS

- Arecibo Fiona
- Rio Nigua Fiona
- Guanajibo Fiona

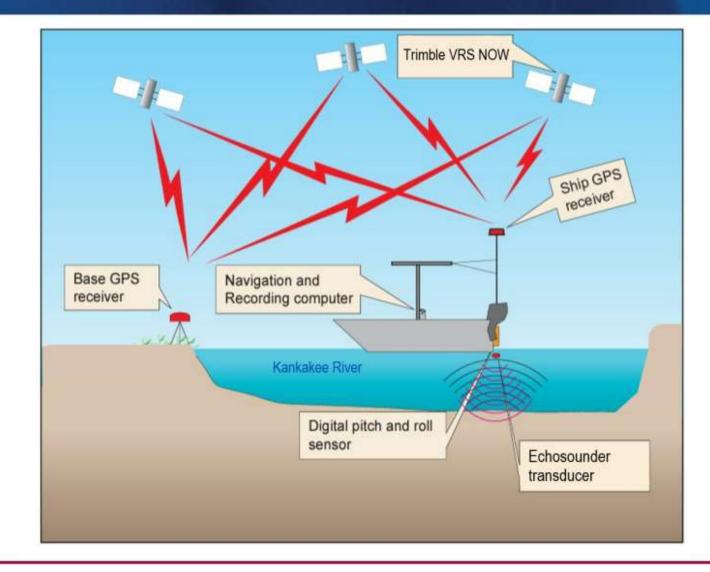




## THE PLAN



## FUNDAMENTALS OF BATHYMETRY COLLECTION



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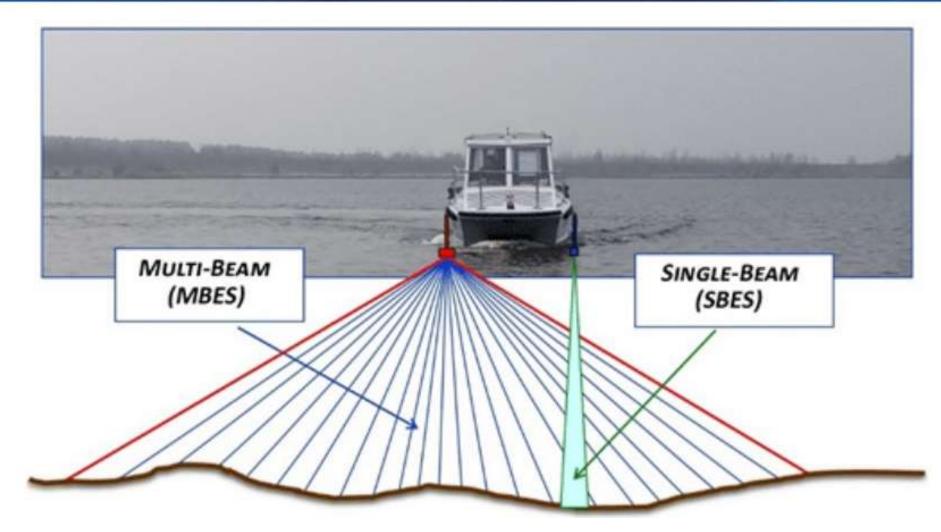
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## Multibeam or Single Beam Survey for Your Project?

BIO





## What we normally use is this 28' enclosed cabin vessel

Prairie Engineers

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What we found available was this 12' jon boat...

rented a small rental truck, bought a gas generator & lawn mower battery and went to work







## **POLE SOUNDING**









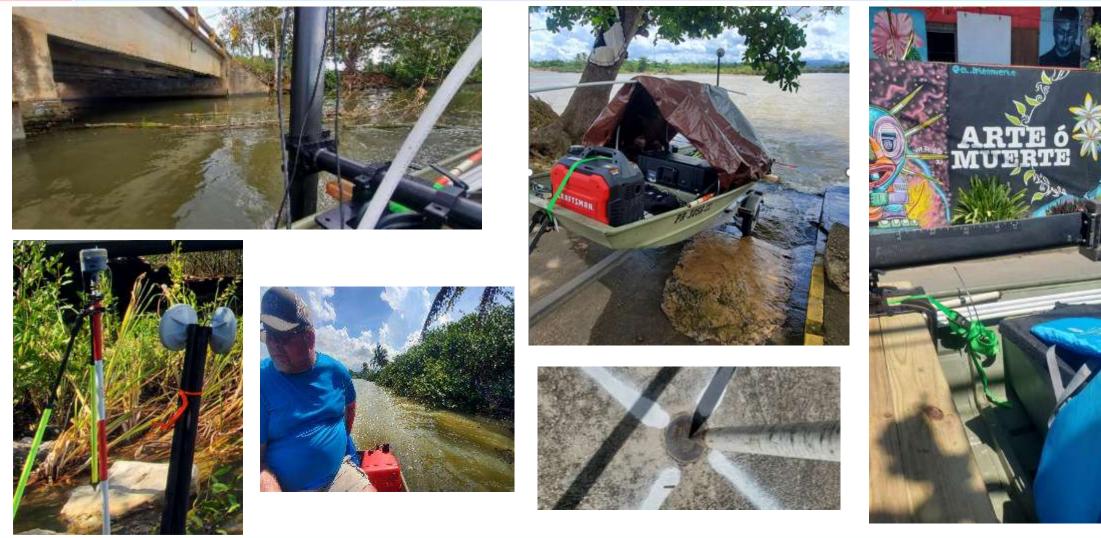
Strong Current with swell at the bridge in Arecibo Fiona

# The boat ramp was damaged but useable



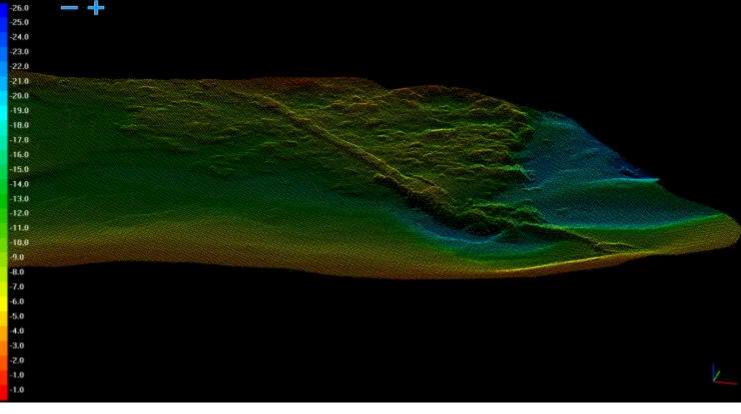


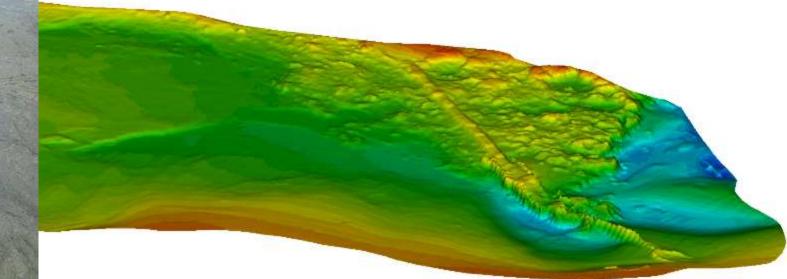
## 1<sup>ST</sup> DEPLOYMENT OF THE BOAT













#### Rio Nigua Fiona required a combination of sonar & manual pole sounding



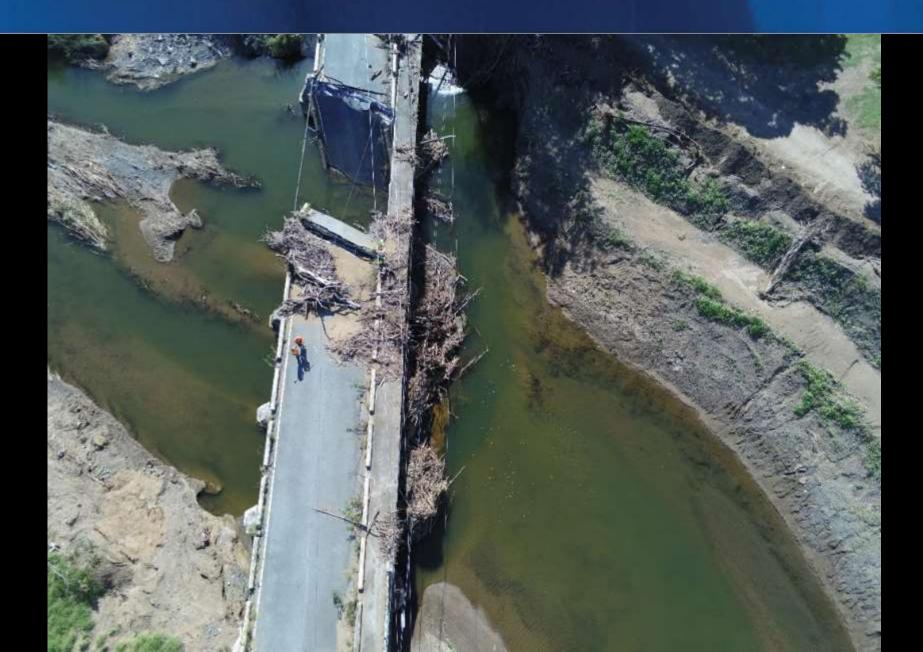
## Rio Nigua Fiona required manual pole sounding







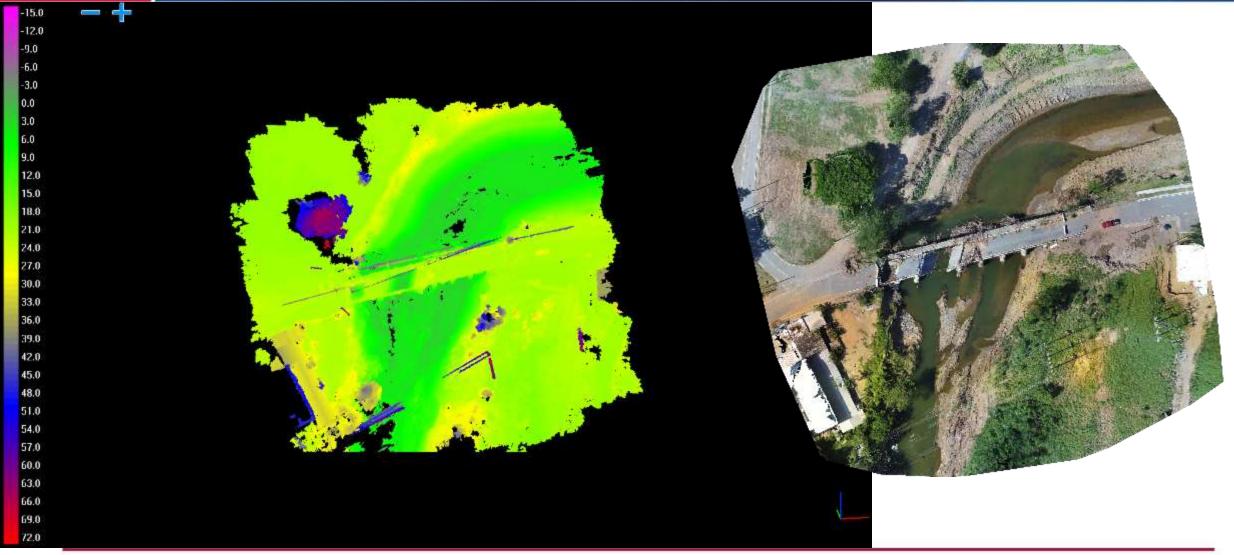






Sometimes it's the unexpected things; like seeing a ghost of a surveyor in your ortho



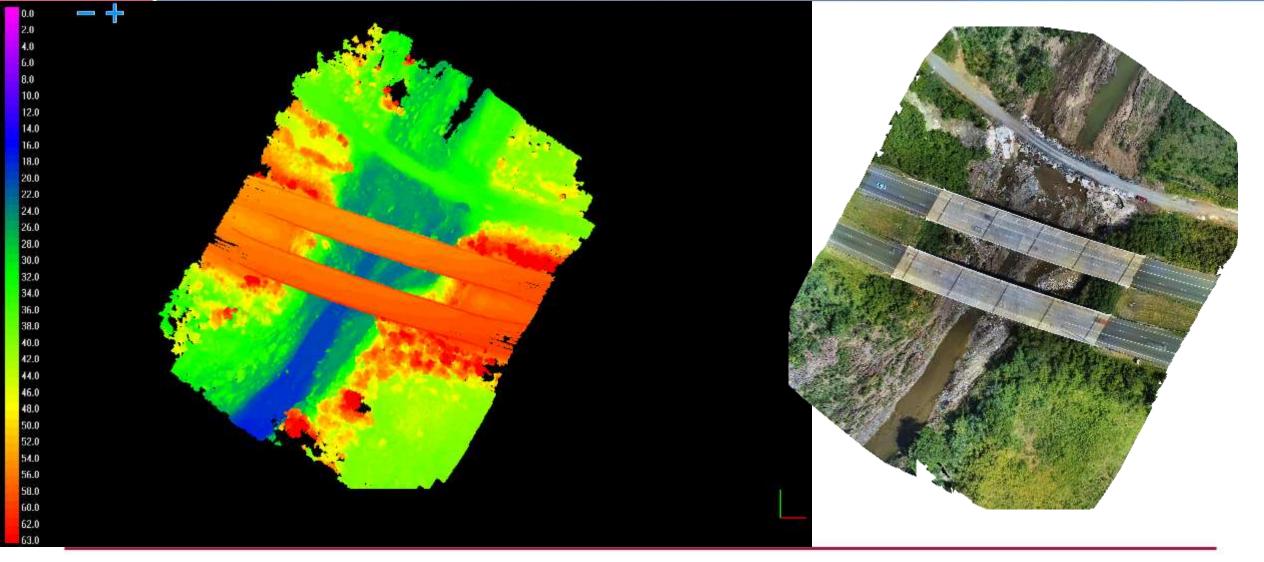




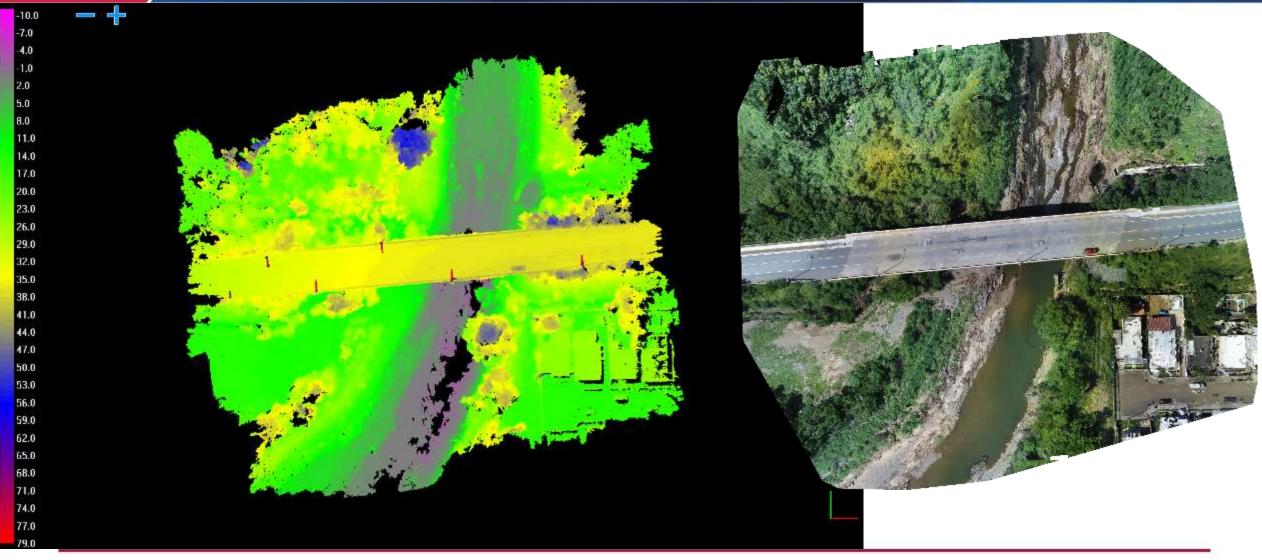
#### Can't deploy boat or collect sonar here either













## GUANAJIBO BOAT RAMP





#### Too Shallow for Multibeam Sonar. Good Enough for Pole Sounding.



### To Use Topographic Technique at Rio Nigua Fiona





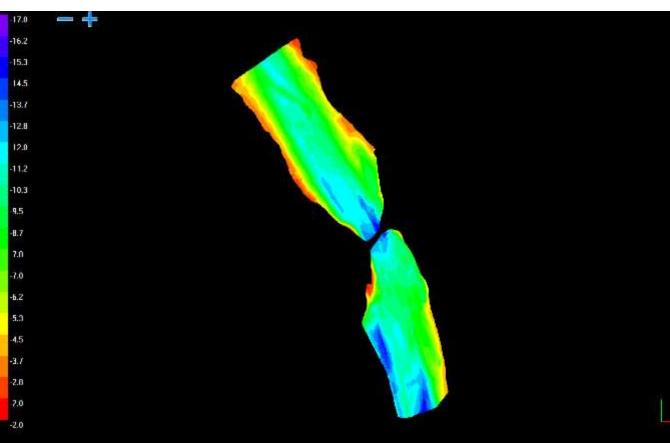
#### Bridge Clearance at Guanajibo Fiona

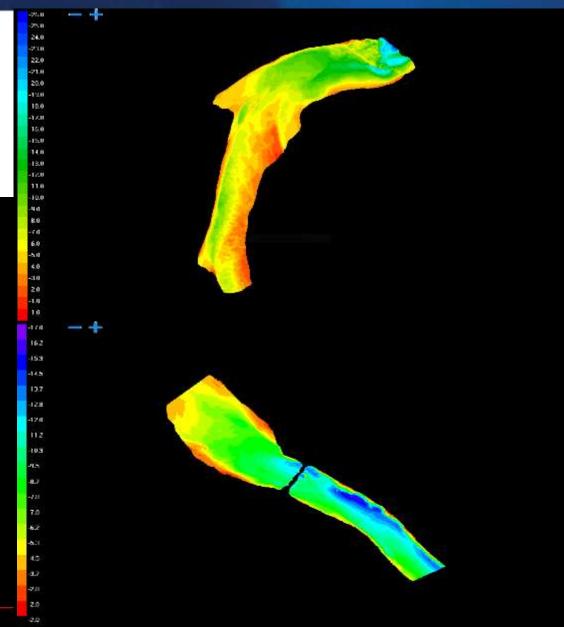




## THE END RESULT:









## A FEW PREVIOUS DISASTER RESPONSE PROJECTS

#### 1999 KC, MO



#### 2008 Mark Twain Dam



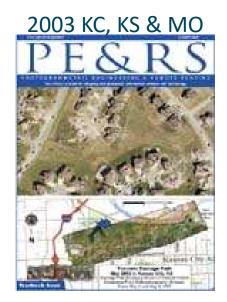


2008 Cairo, IL



#### 2008 Rock River, Quad Cities



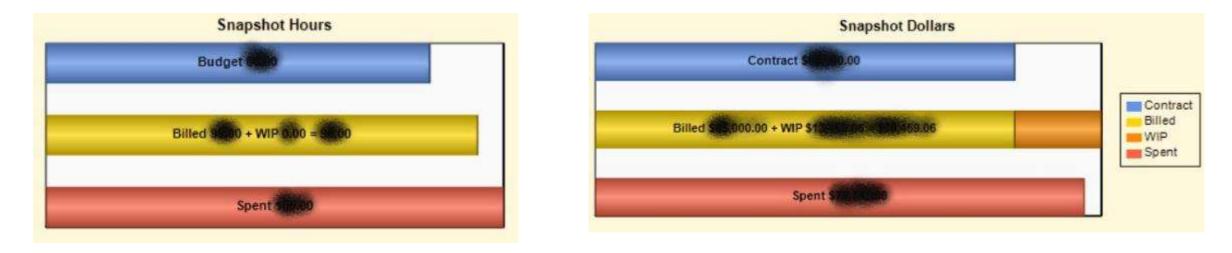


2010 Delhi, IA





What do all those projects have in common ?1. It feels good every time we do it2. We get told we are good at doing it.3. It is difficult to make money on these projects







# PRAIRIE ENGINEERS THANK YOU!

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Split Kitty Drawing

- PDHs available from the Omaha Post Website
  - https://www.same.org/omaha/resources/