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Response to natural disasters like Harvey could be helped with game theory

Following the devastation caused by Hurricane Harvey in the Houston area, Anna Nagurney, INFORMS member and professor at the University of Massachusetts Amherst, discusses how game theory could help improve natural disaster response, in particular, better ensuring the right supplies are getting to those in need.

- *Chicago Tribune*, Aug. 29



Can game theory help improve natural disaster response? Image © Tomas Griger | 123rf.com

FirstNet for emergency communications: six questions answered

Anna Nagurney, Ph.D., INFORMS member, professor at the University of Massachusetts Amherst, discusses current plans to expand the use of First Responder Network Authority, or FirstNet, which was created in the wake of 9/11 to help first responders communicate at emergency scenes.

- *The Conversation*, Aug. 16

Explaining infrastructure spending

Anna Nagurney, Ph.D., INFORMS member, professor at the University of Massachusetts Amherst and Director of the Virtual Center of Supernetworks, explains the transportation and communications network needs of the U.S., from the Internet, to road systems and our cell phones.

- *BYU Radio*, July 26