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Customer Spotlight on Universal Truckload Services



Lead Project Manager, Mary Cavataio traveled to Beaumont from Michigan to coordinate a recent military cargo move

Universal Truckload Services offers a vast and diverse portfolio of services. Recognized as one of the leading asset-light providers of customized transportation and logistics, Universal offers service to support international troop deployments, regimental and BRAC moves, critical responses and domestic disaster assistance.



Universal's operating headquarters, including corporate and administrative functions, are located in Warren, Michigan. In 2011, Universal launched a new Government & Emergency Services Division. The Government Division has a proven track record in large scale project management; simultaneously sourcing, contracting and managing internal operation subsidiaries and subcontractors.

In September, Universal coordinated a 32-piece door-to-door military cargo move for Farrell Ship Lines at the Port of Beaumont. Mary Cavataio, Lead Project Manager, travelled from Michigan to Beaumont to coordinate the move.

"Upon arrival I began viewing and identifying the pieces to ensure dims and transportation control numbers," said Cavataio. "Working with port operations personnel, we were able to move all 32 pieces within a three day period."

Cavataio has been with Universal for over 13 years. Previous transportation experience in contractor settlements, operations, DOT inspections and trailer management combined with excellent management and professional skills allowed Cavataio to complete the move with ease.

"All the employees at the Port of Beaumont, from the operations office to the loaders on the yard, were friendly and offered a refreshing experience," added Cavataio. "I welcome the opportunity to work at the Port of Beaumont again."

In addition to cargo moves for the ship lines, Universal is frequently used to contract moves for the U.S. Army 842nd Transportation Battalion housed inside the Port of Beaumont.

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