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Clearwire 4G Technology Advancing Non-Profits Communication for Disaster Planning & Response

HOUSTON, Texas – Information Technology Disaster Resource Center (ITDRC), a non-profit provider of IT disaster support services has partnered with [Clearwire Corporation](#) (NASDAQ: CLWR), a leading provider of wireless broadband services and operator of the largest 4G network in the country, to bring CLEAR® 4G broadband service to IT Disaster Planning.

Residents along the Gulf Coast know the importance of preparing for both natural and manmade disasters. The ability to communicate and protect key information is a necessity. ITDRC and CLEAR have partnered to help communities manage both.

ITDRC assists small businesses with continuity planning, execution, and recovery of voice and data systems. The volunteer team of technology professionals work directly with business owners to stress the importance of preparedness and assist in the development of sound backup and recovery strategies. The ITDRC provides no cost IT recovery assistance following a disaster to facilitate business continuity and minimize financial impact to the region.

"Our partnership with CLEAR significantly improves our disaster response capabilities in major metropolitan regions across the country. We are confident small businesses will also benefit from CLEAR's Voice and Internet portability, enabling them to continue operations during an evacuation." said Joe Hillis, ITDRC Operations Director. "Their networks are designed to be extremely resilient, which allows for continuous connectivity in the event of a disaster."

ITDRC will be using CLEAR's super fast mobile internet® service to provide 4G access during disaster outreach. The CLEAR experience is similar to Wi-Fi without the short range limitations of a traditional Internet hotspot.

"We believe ITDRC is a great opportunity for CLEAR to step up and support a not-for-profit organization that focuses on helping communities recover from natural disasters," said John Smith, CLEAR General Manager, Houston. "ITDRC is providing victims of disasters with Internet connectivity and communications, while CLEAR provides the actual service for internet and VOIP phone service on a mobile platform."

As communities along the Gulf Coast continue to prepare for an expected "busy" hurricane season, ITDRC & CLEAR stand ready to offer IT and Communication support services.

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