

Houston: Your Home Port Video Review

Name: _____

Fill in the blank:

1. TEU stands for _____.
2. Before Houston _____ the Buffalo Bayou, cargo was carried by _____ up and down the Buffalo Bayou to the Gulf of Mexico.

Word Bank: Dredged Twenty-Foot Equivalent Unit Barges

True or False:

- (T or F) The Houston Ship Channel is longer than the Panama Canal
(T or F) The primary cargo on the Houston Ship Channel is container goods.
(T or F) Houston Ship Channel is unique because the manufacturers are on the port.

Match the term to the correct description:

- RORO
- GDP
- Terminal
- Breakbulk
- Thomas Ball
- Jesse Jones
- Petrochemical
- Galveston Hurricane of 1900
- Texas Chicken/Two-Step
- Project 11
- A congressman who advocated for Houston to pay half of the cost to dredge a port.
- The next phase to make Houston Ship Channel wider.
- A substance used to make plastics, asphalt, electronics, and more.
- A banker who secured the funds to build the port.
- A section of the port for specific ships.
- Roll on-Roll Off carrier, which is used to transport cars, trucks, etc.
- A ship designed to transport cargo that is stored in boxes, bales, or pallets, such as iron or steel.
- Another reason why Houston was able to build the port.
- A maneuver commonly done in the Houston Ship Channel.
- A measure of market value of all goods and services produced and sold.

Short Answer:

- Explain Thomas Ball's reasons why Houston should have a port:

- Explain one of the four sections of the port and what ship goes to each section:
