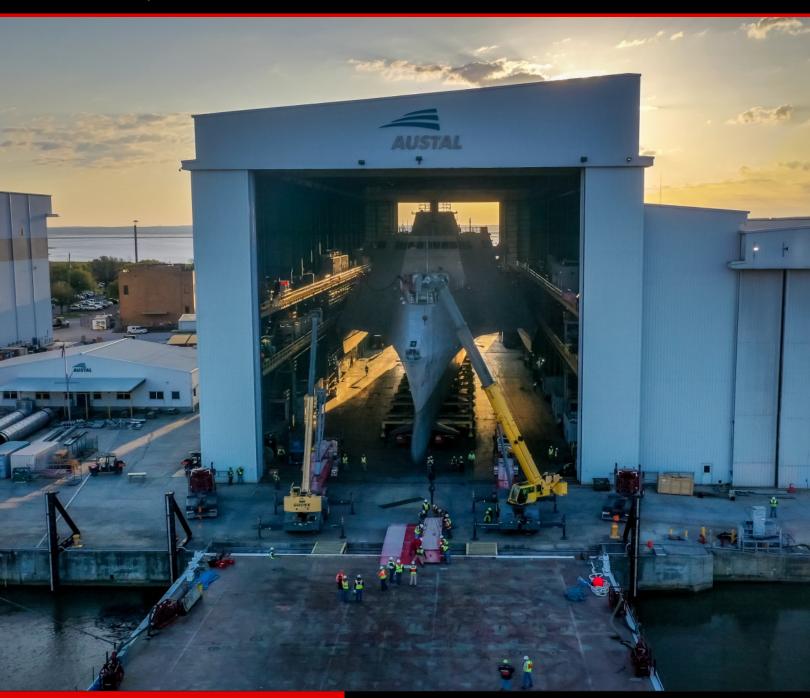


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The Monthly Newsletter from the Berard Team



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**Job Specs** 

Weight: 2,800 Tons
Dimensions: 418'W x 107'L
Equipment Used: 112 axle
lines of SPMTs, 6 power
packs, 2 deck spacers,
loading ramps, 18 high
volume water pumps, 425'
x 126' x 25' deck barge, 65
ton winches and tugs

The Berard Team was proud to load out the Navy's newest addition to its fleet, USS Canberra—a 418'L x 107'W Littoral Combat Ship (LCS). This marks the 19th LCS that Berard has launched for the client. Berard accomplished the load out & transfer using 112 axle lines of SPMTs. The team rolled the 2,800 ton LCS from the final assembly bay to a waiting deck barge on time and keeping the project on schedule. The LCS was then barged down river for trans-loading from deck barge to dry dock. The entire process was accomplished safely and in only one day. Congrats go out to our team members and everyone involved for another safely completed project!









**Job Specs** 

Weight: Vessel: 111,200 lbs.

**Dimensions:** 35'- 3" L x 20'6" W x 15'- 2" H

## **Equipment Used:**

9 axle steerable hydraulic trailer, prime mover & escort trucks

Berard transported this electrical building near New Orleans, Louisiana to Houston, Texas on a 9 axle steerable hydraulic trailer. The choice to utilize this specific trailer helped to make the journey a smooth and safe one due to its ability to make even the most difficult turns much more manageable. The team traversed many state highways and surface streets to get the 111,200 lb load to it's final destination on time, and safely. Kudos to our over the road transport team for another successful transport!





Kevin Bouton joined the Berard team in March of 2018 and serves as one of our many talented riggers. He also assists the team at our New Iberia facility and is always ready to help get the job done whenever needed.

"I admire the determination from this team and hope to make this my retirement job. I've always liked running equipment and I do a lot of that here at Berard" he said.

Kevin is married to Terri and they have a son and a daughter as well as 3 grand kids. In his off time, he enjoys fishing, hunting, and being outdoors.



> Birthdays @ Berard

## Happy Birthday!

**Happy Birthday to These Dedicated Team Members!** 

Dylan Albert Alec Freyou Michael Gallagher