

# OnTheMove

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# Gulf South Moves Crane Transport



## Job Specs

**Weight:**  
636 Tons

**Dimensions:**  
110'L x 30' W

**Equipment Used:**  
46 axle lines of SPMTs, 2  
power packs and crane  
mats

Our team once again showcased our heavy-transport expertise by moving a massive 636-ton crane with precision and control. Using 46 axle lines of SPMTs, our team lifted the crane clear of its foundations and carefully navigated it between two buildings—a tight, highly coordinated maneuver that demanded expert planning and communication. Once through the fabrication area, the team continued to the dockside, positioning the crane exactly where it needed to be for the final lift onto an awaiting vessel. From initial pick to dockside delivery, Berard executed the operation safely, efficiently, and with the professionalism clients count on for critical heavy-lift projects.





# Moving History WWII TBM Avenger “Bayou Bomber”



## Job Specs

**Weight:**  
7,000 lbs.

**Equipment Used:**  
2 forklifts and escort vehicles

Berard Transportation recently had the opportunity to assist the National WWII Museum in New Orleans with the relocation of the historic TBM Avenger “Bayou Bomber” from its museum display area to a nearby warehouse for refurbishment. With the wings removed and the aircraft weighing a mere 7,000 pounds, this move was certainly smaller and lighter than Berard's typical heavy-haul projects. However, the age, fragile nature, and historical significance of the WWII-era aircraft required special attention and careful coordination from our team. Utilizing continuous radio communication, New Orleans Police escorts, and forklifts positioned at the forward and aft ends of the aircraft, the Berard crew of Lemark Carvin and Ashton Duplantis, led by Jacob Rogers, carefully navigated the Bayou Bomber through city streets. The delicate aircraft arrived at the warehouse without incident, where it will undergo refurbishment before continuing its role in preserving an important piece of American aviation history.





# Showtime! Berard @ Breakbulk Americas



It's show time once again! The Berard sales and marketing team will be exhibiting at Breakbulk Americas on September 22nd & 23rd held at the George R. Brown Convention Center, downtown Houston, Texas. We will be in booth Q01 near the front entrance. Stop in and say hello and learn all about our great company and our awesome team! See you there!



## > Birthdays @ Berard

# Happy Birthday!

### Happy Birthday To These Dedicated Team Members!

Johnny Berard  
Tyler Biggs  
Lemark Carvin

Corey Daniel  
Jeremy Guidry  
Danny Sparrow Jr.