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Dear Faculty, TACTICS Members and Attendees:

Hurricane Harvey has been a devastating event for Houston and its surrounding areas. Many have experienced losses and the city will take a while to completely recover. I want to personally thank all those that have written to us and our THI family with their wishes for a safe recovery. It has warmed our hearts knowing we have so many concerned friends!

However, Houston is resilient and you can't keep Texas down! The Medical Center has not sustained significant damage or flooding and the designated hotels and airports are now open and ready.

We want to reassure everyone that the meeting is ON! We are ready to have an absolutely groundbreaking and fantastic Symposium and look forward to the arrival of all of you very soon.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Emerson C. Perin".

Emerson C. Perin, MD, PhD and the Executive Organizing Committee