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**Historical Account Close Reading**

**Directions:**

**READING #1**

Read the historical account of Hurricane Katrina, then decide:

1. What are the **key moments** about this event that are identified in the article?
2. What do you think the central idea of this article is? Summarize it below.

**READING #2**

Carefully read the historical account again. As you read, identify the historical event, key moments, and elements of summary and description by highlighting and annotating the text.

* Highlight summary
* Underline description

1. How do summary and description work together in this article? What patterns do you see? Explain.
2. Reconsider the central idea. Write any new thinking about the central idea below.