Hi, I'm NASA Kennedy's Amanda Griffin and I'm taking you Inside KSC!

The last of the major components of a United Launch Alliance Delta IV Heavy rocket were delivered last week aboard the company ship, Mariner.

The rocket's second stage, along with the third and final first-stage booster core, arrived together at Port Canaveral.

Each piece was carefully offloaded, then transported to processing facilities at Launch Complex 37 at Cape Canaveral Air Force Station.

The Delta IV Heavy is slated to launch NASA's Parker Solar Probe next year.

Kennedy is taking precautions ahead of the possible arrival of Hurricane Irma during the next few days.

The powerful storm is currently predicted to affect Florida as a possible Category 4 or 5 major hurricane.
In October 2016 the spaceport was affected by Hurricane Matthew, which passed just offshore as a Category 3 storm.

Kennedy's Damage Assessment and Recovery Team, or DART, identified all the needed repairs - such as damaged roofs, water intrusion and power outages.

Kennedy returned to normal operations a few days later.

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