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New York District**

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NY District Rescues Dog From Freezing Waters of NY Harbor

Boat operators from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers plucked a homeless dog from the icy waters of New York harbor this morning around 7:20 a.m. The young dog, a male, was rescued from 45 degree waters in Claremont Channel near Jersey City.



The dog was placed on the Corps vessel Gelberman and wrapped in a yellow blanket. Corps of Engineers boat crews used a hair dryer to help warm the dog who appeared to be suffering from hypothermia. The dog was transported to Jersey City Animal Shelter by the Jersey City Police Dept.'s Emergency Services Unit where it will be put up for adoption.