Polk County 911 Centre – Pictometry™ reference

The Pictometry™ system is used in the 911 centre in a high variety of things. One of them is to measure the heights of buildings. The 911 centre gives instruction to the local team heading to the emergency location, before they arrives on scene. The specific height is necessary to know which ladder should be pulled of the truck even before they arrive on the location. This saves times and can easily safes lives.

This morning at our operation center we took a 911 cell phone call from a man who was working on a construction site along one of the major interstates. All he could tell was that a man was having a heart attack and he was near a warehouse. We were able to use the Pictometry with this wireless caller and narrow down his location and spot the warehouse. It took us less than a minute. Ginger Rudiger, Manager 911 Center, Polk County, Florida, USA.