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## **Caring for San Bernardino County**

On Sunday February 8, 2015 at Fire Station 41 in Yucca Valley (57201 29 Palms Hwy., Yucca Valley, CA 92284), firefighters were on scene to take delivery of hundreds of stuffed animals that will help bring smiles to children throughout San Bernardino County.

San Bernardino County Fire was once again the recipient of stuffed animals that will be carried on all Fire/EMS apparatus throughout the County. The stuffed animals are donated from We Care Bears Projects which provide instant comfort to kids in unbearable situations. We were first contacted in March 2013 when 12 year old Jessica Carscadden, founder of the We Care Bears Project donated over 700 stuffed animals that were placed on every first responder apparatus within San Bernardino County Fire jurisdiction.

The We Care Bears Project was started in 2011 by Jessica who was 10 at the time, to provide comfort to children during a traumatic time in their lives. She wanted first responders to have stuffed animals so that they could help comfort and ease the fears of kids throughout Southern California. Since 2011 Jessica has been throughout the State as well as appearing on national television to share her story and reason why she is so passionate about The We Care Bears Project.

To support Jessica in her goal of “putting a stuffed animal into every police, fire, and ambulance vehicle in Southern California” we encourage you to email her at: [wecarebears@gmail.com](mailto:wecarebears@gmail.com) or visit her website at: [www.wecarebears.webs.com](http://www.wecarebears.webs.com) or visit her Facebook site at: [facebook.com/WeCareBearsProject](https://www.facebook.com/WeCareBearsProject).

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