

# OPERATION SUPPLY DROP

**SUPPORTING THOSE THAT  
ARE PROTECTING US!**

Addressing the emerging needs of Texans was never so apparent than during the late Summer of 2011. With severe drought came raging wildfires around central Texas and throughout the state. In an effort to make a difference, Texas 4-H mobilized members across our state to collect water, sports drinks, snack, lip balm, and other necessities. The response was overwhelming, not just from the 4-H members but from businesses and industries across Texas wanting to partner with Texas 4-H.

The results of the two week Operation Supply Drop benefitting fire and rescue personnel and families resulted in the collection of the following:

<b>Cases of Water</b>	<b>9,281</b>
<b>Cases of Sports Drinks</b>	<b>5,259</b>
<b>Packets of Food</b>	<b>20,336</b>
<b>Individual Lip Balm</b>	<b>7,427</b>
<b>Other Items*</b>	<b>11,789</b>
<b>Money Collected</b>	<b>\$16,324.23</b>

The retail value of all items collected was over **\$160,000.00.**



*\* other items included clothes, personal hygiene products, pet food, rubber gloves, cleaning supplies, bedding/linens, furniture, etc*

