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Charity Receives an Early Christmas Gift!

Springfield, MO- Thomas Morrissey of The Morrissey Law Firm, P.C. has partnered with The Beanie Brigade to help send a beanie out to kids undergoing surgery, chemotherapy or radiation. Morrissey is issuing a challenge to the community. He will match dollar for dollar any donations made to The Beanie Brigade (up to \$1,000) from now until the end of the year.

The organization was founded when a 13 year-old boy had undergone surgery in December 2014 to remove a brain tumor. He sat in his hospital bed with his head partially shaved and incision in full view. He felt self-conscious and wanted to cover his head when his friends came to visit. His friends and family rushed out to try to find a hat that fit his swollen head and also made him feel better. That hat was a beanie. Two weeks later the family learned of another little boy who had

undergone surgery. The family mailed him three beanies to hopefully make him feel better if only for a minute. The Beanie Brigade was born!

“When Stephanie shared with me the story that inspired the Beanie Brigade I knew I wanted to help. Childhood should be about smiles and laughter. Not feeling self-conscious,” said Morrissey.

The Beanie Brigade has delivered over 950 beanies to doctor’s offices, hospitals, child life groups, and individuals since January 2015 all over the US. For more information regarding the organization please visit our facebook page ([facebook.com/thebeaniebrigade@gmail.com](https://www.facebook.com/thebeaniebrigade@gmail.com)) and to donate click “Shop Now” at the top of the page.