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## Free Southern California Butterflies and Butterfly Garden Workshop

North San Diego County, CA – Anyone who is interested in learning about southern California butterflies and how to create beautiful gardens to attract these wonderful pollinators is invited to a FREE workshop on May 20, 2017 from 10 to 11:30 am. This workshop will be held at the Fallbrook Public Utility District Boardroom, 990 E. Mission Road, Fallbrook, CA 92028.

Tom Merriman, from the Butterfly Farms, will be discussing the different species of butterflies that can be found in our region. Butterfly lifecycles and requirements for both breeding and feeding habitats will also be discussed. Mr. Merriman will also present on how to landscape a residential garden to attract and sustain these amazing pollinators. Appropriate plant selection, soil preparation, plant irrigation requirements and other garden troubleshooting tips and hints will be included in the presentation.

A free raffle will be held and the lucky winners will take home great prizes! Snacks and refreshments will be provided.

To RSVP for this FREE workshop, or if you have any questions, please contact Bethany Principe at (760) 728-1332 or <a href="mailto:beth@missionrcd.org">beth@missionrcd.org</a>. We look forward to seeing you at this workshop!