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Mink Car Cover

*A project to benefit the
FDNY Foundation*

At midnight on September 11, 2001, They Might Be Giants officially released their album *Mink Car* and launched the celebration with a party at a Manhattan Tower Records.

We all know what happened the next morning.

To mark the ten-year anniversary of the World Trade Center attacks, and to raise money to support and train New York's essential emergency personnel, a group of 19 musicians released a full cover of the *Mink Car* album. *Mink Car Cover* raised over \$1,300 in pre-orders prior to the album's release on August 23, 2011.

Among the artists who recorded tracks for the album are rapper MC Frontalot of the documentary "Nerdcore Rising," Hank Green of Vlogbrothers and DFTBA Records, and Alaskan singer-songwriter Marian Call. The album's cover art was created by Ryan North of Dinosaur Comics.

All proceeds from *Mink Car Cover* will go to the FDNY Foundation, the official not-for-profit foundation of the Fire Department of New York, established to provide resources for the professional development, education, and training of members of the FDNY.

The musicians recording tracks for the album are [Hank Green](#), [Driftless Pony Club](#), [Shael Riley and the Double Ice Backfire](#), [Devo Spice](#), [MC Frontalot](#), [Tom Milsom](#), [Marian Call](#), [Beefy](#) and [Mustin](#), [Molly Lewis](#), [brentalfloss](#), [Mike Lombardo](#), [Nuclear Bubble Wrap](#), [Aivi Tran](#), [The Doubleclicks](#), [Jonathan Mann](#), [R Garcia](#), and [Hello, the Future!](#) with album art by [Ryan North](#).

For more information, or to order the album, please visit www.minkcarcover.com.

Please send any questions about the project, including requests for music samples or artist interviews, to Nicole Dieker at blue@hello-the-future.net.

Project Team

Mink Car Cover was led by Mustin, of The OneUps Band and Mustin Productions, and Blue, of Hello, The Future!

Mustin produced the official *Child's Play CD 2008* charity project, is the owner of OneUp Studios record label, and is *Mink Car Cover's* producer.

Blue (a.k.a. Nicole Dieker) is a singer-songwriter at Hello, The Future! and is *Mink Car Cover's* project and communications manager.