

CITY OF PALMDALE

MEDIA ALERT

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PHOTO/INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITY

WHAT: Unveiling of new mobile app designed by Palmdale High School FAST Academy FalconTech students to educate youth on the issues of illegal dumping.

WHEN: **Wednesday, June 10 at 3 pm.**

WHERE: Antelope Valley Transit Authority (Board Room), 42210 6th Street West, Lancaster.

WHO: Advisor Leonard Moreno; FalconTech student team of Nathan Corliss, Jacqueline Cortes, Daniel Hernandez and Jordan Taylor.

BACKGROUND: Palmdale High School students in the FAST Academy of the Computer Science and Design program (FalconTech), in conjunction with the Antelope Valley Illegal Dumping Task Force, collaborated, designed and built a new mobile app to help inform youth about the issues surrounding illegal dumping. The project was funded by \$6,000 grant from the Antelope Valley Illegal Dumping Task Force awarded as a winning entry in 2014. The app will be available for free as part of the grant and will be first available on Apple devices through the iBooks Library.

INFO: For more information, please call Leonard Moreno at 661/547-3923 or email lmoreno@avhsd.org