# FORTWORTH LITTER PREVENTION & ABATEMENT

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#### PREVENTION & ABATEMENT







### PREVENTION: Proper Setout

- Residential
  - Bag Garbage
  - Cart Placement on driveway or yard versus gutter
  - No overfilled carts
- Commercial
  - Overfilled Dumpsters









#### PREVENTION: Sometimes Doesn't Work







# PREVENTION: Receptacles

• Right container for usage and situation















#### PREVENTION: Education











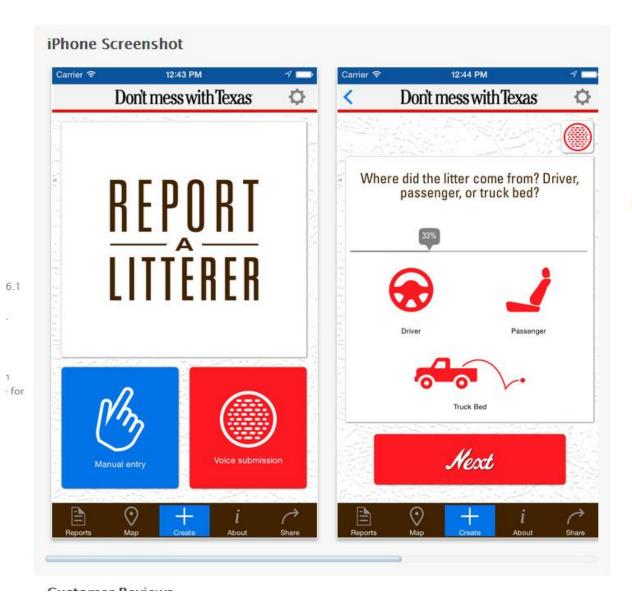


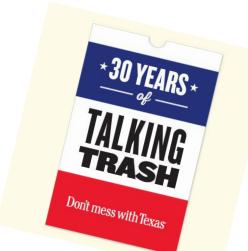




**TxDOT Litter Force** 

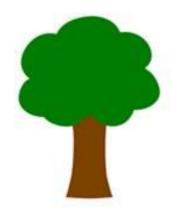


















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# PREVENTION & ABATEMENT:

Litter Summit

- TxDOT
- Downtown Business District (PID 1)
- NTTA
- Tarrant County Sherriff's Office
- TRWD
- Sierra Club
- Fort Worth ISD
- BNSF
- TRA
- Transit Authority
- Waste Management
- City Staff







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PID & TIF Litter/Trash BMP's







# PREVENTION & ABATEMENT: Litter Cleanups

- Cowtown Great American Cleanup 32 years (spring)
- Neighborhood Litter Stomp 6 years (fall)
- Trash Bags and Gloves to any volunteer group/adopt-a-street cleanup

















To thank the Cowtown Cleanup volunteers and to celebrate Earth Month take this coupon to any of the sponsoring restaurants below between April 2, 2016 and Earth Day on April 22, 2016 and receive 20% off your meal.

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## Adopt-A-Street









#### LITTER ABATEMENT







#### LITTER COST STUDY







#### Conclusion

- Address both PREVENTION & ABATEMENT
- Education & Enforcement important
- Celebrate your litter champions
- Make not littering fun!
- Target youth
- Abate litter quickly
- Engage community partners





#### Questions

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