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HERE ARE WAYS WE CAN HELP REDUCE DUST POLLUTION:

• Avoid using lawn mowers and leaf blowers over dusty areas
• Never use a leaf blower to blow debris out of truck beds or trailers or into the streets
• Prevent unwanted vehicle access to vacant lots and areas with landscaping, fencing, signs or berms
• Don’t drive on road shoulders except in emergencies
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DUST HURTS OUR HEALTH
Controlling dust pollution is critical to respiratory health. If inhaled, extremely small dust particles can create or aggravate health problems such as asthma, Valley Fever and cardiovascular disease. Especially vulnerable are children, the elderly and those with existing lung problems.

DUST HURTS OUR POCKETBOOK
- If dust levels are not controlled soon, the Valley faces the potential loss of billions of dollars in federal funding for streets and highway projects.
- Causing dust pollution can also result in stiff fines.

CAUSING DUST POLLUTION CAN COST YOU
- **Criminal violation and more than $500 fine:** For trespassing with an ATV or other vehicle on private property
- **$100 to $2,500 fine:** For property owners who allow parking on non-dustproofed surfaces
- **$276 fine:** For parking on non-dustproofed lots
- **$171 fine:** For cutting through alleys or driving on vacant lots
- **$211 fine:** For spills of unsecured or uncovered truck loads
- **More fines and possible jail time:** For dumping dirt or trash

WHETHER IT’S OUR HEALTH OR OUR POCKETBOOKS … DUST HURTS