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MEDIA ADVISORY

Secretary of State Alex Padilla to Visit Canoga Park High School

LOS ANGELES - Secretary of State Alex Padilla will visit <u>Canoga Park High School</u> Wednesday, September 28, as part of <u>High School Voter Education Weeks</u> (September 19-30).

Secretary of State Padilla will discuss the importance of voter registration and the role young people can play in shaping the future through civic participation. In the 2014 General Election, only 52% of eligible California youth were registered to vote, which was more than 20 points below any other age group, and only 8% of eligible youth aged 18-24 voted.

Click here for resources and more information about High School Voter Education Weeks

- WHO: Secretary of State Padilla
- WHEN: Wednesday, September 28, 2016 10:30 a.m.
- WHERE: Canoga Park High School 6850 Topanga Canyon Blvd Canoga Park, CA 91303
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