

STANDING COMMITTEE: **GOVERNANCE AND EMPLOYEE ISSUES**

DATE OF MEETING: Tuesday, August 15, 2017

ITEM: Miss Biancheria/Mr. O'Connell/Mr. Monfredo/Ms. Colorio/Miss McCullough
(February 8, 2017)

Request that the Administration present a summary of the changes resulting from the principals' meeting regarding safety.

PRIOR ACTION:

2-16-17 - Referred to the Standing Committee on Governance and Employee Issues.

BACKUP:

Changes in school safety are in response to the new ALICE Training and related protocols:

1. Over 3,500 employees will take e-learning training on ALICE.
2. In addition to lockdown and medical drills there will also be ALICE drills.
3. Teachers will have their phones in their possession and on vibrate when school is in session to receive system safety notifications when necessary.
4. School Resource Officers (SRO) and school administrators will receive training on school law.
5. The WPS continues to work to enhance security systems in the schools.