



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

A Memo from the New Jersey Department of Education

Date: June 7, 2019
To: Chief School Administrators, Charter School and Renaissance School Project Leads
Route To: School Staff, Parents, Students, and other School Community Stakeholders
From: Kevin Dehmer, Assistant Commissioner
Division of Finance
Deadline: June 18, 2019

Seeking Input on School Security Projects (Securing Our Children's Future Bond Act)

"Alyssa's Law" ([A764](#)) was recently signed by Governor Murphy and requires all New Jersey public schools to install silent panic alarms that will alert law enforcement during emergencies such as an active shooter.

The New Jersey Schools Development Authority has been tasked with funding and managing the installation of these silent panic alarms in partnership with the New Jersey Department of Education. The purpose of the public survey is to elicit general feedback, comments and concerns from the public on school security and the school security bond.

Key steps/actions

School districts, charter schools and renaissance school projects:

1. Please forward this broadcast to relevant stakeholders as noted in the "Route To" field above.

Stakeholders:

1. Review the [Securing Our Children's Future Bond Act Fact Sheet](#).
2. Complete the brief [Stakeholder Outreach Survey](#). Please complete by June 18, 2019.

Contact information

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