

Public Safety & Health Committee - Board of Representatives

Jeffrey Stella, Chair

Eric Morson, Vice Chair

## **Committee Report**

Date: Thursday, January 25, 2018
Time: 6:00 p.m.
Place: Republican Caucus Room, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Government Center, 888 Washington Boulevard, Stamford CT

The Public Safety & Health Committee will meet as indicated above. In attendance were Chair Stella, Vice Chair Morson and Committee Member Reps. Giordano, Lutz, Matherne, McMullen, Pratt and Sherwood. Absent or excused was Rep. Kolenberg. Also present were Rep. Nabel and Ted Jankowski, Director of Public Safety, Health & Welfare.

Chair Stella commenced the meeting at 6:07 p.m.

Item No.	Description	Committee Action
1. <u>PS30.003</u>	REVIEW; Overview of Public Safety Department with Director Ted Jankowski. 12/27/17 – Submitted by President Quinones	Report Made

Mr. Jankowski reviewed the <u>attached handout</u> with the Committee. He discussed the following with the Committee:

- Coordination among the volunteer and career firefighters and the training they receive
- The chain of command when both volunteer and career firefighters respond
- Environmental surveys for asthma in particular areas
- The size of the police force and hiring to stay ahead of retirements
- The use of more foot patrols
- Lighting at major intersections
- The use of speed cameras in school districts, which requires State approval

Chair Stella adjourned the meeting at 7:45 pm.

Respectfully submitted, Jeffrey Stella, Chair

This meeting is on video.