

*The State of NJ and Rutgers, The State University of NJ*

Present the

***The Governor's New Jersey School Security Summit***  
on

***“Empowering School Communities through Knowledge,  
Partnerships and Service”***

May 3, 2005

at

Rutgers University

College Avenue Student Center, MultiPurpose Room

8:00am-3:00pm

- 8:00am**      **Registration & Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00am**      *Introductions* by Leslie W. Kennedy, Dean of the Rutgers School of Criminal Justice
- Welcoming Remarks* by Richard L. McCormick, President, Rutgers, The State University of NJ
- 9:15am**      *Welcoming Remarks* by Richard J. Codey, Acting Governor, The State of New Jersey
- 9:30am**      *Keynote Address: “Emergency Preparedness for Schools: The New Reality”* delivered by Gregory Thomas, Director, The Program for School Preparedness and Planning, National Center for Disaster Preparedness, Mailman School of Public Health at Columbia University
- 10:00am**      **Coffee Break**
- 10:15am**      **Panel: *School Security in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century—Current Thinking and National Trends***  
Presenters:
- Mercer Sullivan—Associate Professor, Rutgers School of Criminal Justice. School Violence
  - Diane Zahm --Associate Professor, Urban Affairs & Planning, Virginia Tech. Environmental Design
  - Lee Clarke—Associate Professor, Rutgers Department of Sociology. All Hazards Approach

- Pamela Cantor, MD—President, Turnaround for Children, Inc. Impact on Children
- Greg Greicius—Director of School Initiatives, Turnaround for Children, Inc. School projects promoting safety and resilience

Discussants:

- Marc Holzer, Professor, Rutgers Department of Public Administration, Consequences—Intended and Unintended
- Byron Price, Assistant Professor, Rutgers Department of Public Administration, Consequences—Intended and Unintended

**11:45am Q&A for Panel**

**12:00pm Lunch**

**1:00pm *Afternoon Address: Peter C. Harvey, Attorney General, State of New Jersey***

**Panel: *School Security Partnerships***

- Sidney Caspersen—Director, NJ Office of Counter Terrorism, Threat Briefing for School Officials
- Dwight Pfennig – Deputy Commissioner, NJ Department of Education , School Best Practices
- Lori Hennon-Bell, Lieutenant Colonel, Deputy Superintendent for Homeland Security, NJ State Police, School Security Audits
- Scott Johnson—Detective, Hi-Tech Crime Unit, NJ State Police, Cyberterrorism
- Donald Sebastian- Director, Homeland Security Technology Systems Center, Model School Technology Initiative
- George Scott—Director of Student Services, South Brunswick Board of Education

**2:30pm Q&A**

**2:45pm Closing Remarks**

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