



Springfield Public Schools  
Office of the School Committee  
1550 Main Street, 2 FLR  
Springfield, MA 01103-1410

## SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Monday, August 31, 2026

Mrs. Gladys Oyola-Lopez, City Clerk  
City Clerk's Office  
36 Court Street  
Springfield, MA 01103

Dear Mrs. Oyola-Lopez:

The Springfield School Committee Office has scheduled a subcommittee meeting. Please see the details provided below:

### **School Safety Subcommittee Meeting**

Wednesday, September 2, 2026 @ 5:00 PM

**Location:** Springfield Public Schools

1550 Main Street, 2 FLR, New England Boardroom, Springfield, MA

All open session meetings may be viewed live & in real-time at:

<https://www.youtube.com/@schoolcommitteeSPS/streams>

### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

- I. CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**
- II. INFORMATIONAL/DISCUSSION ITEMS:**
  - A. Discuss Washington Elementary School drop off/pick up traffic pattern.
  - B. Discuss Balliet Elementary School Pre-K drop off/pick up traffic pattern.
  - C. Discuss the Hand-to-Hand transportation protocol.
  - D. Discuss SPS student care center for transportation.
  - E. Discuss the Springfield Public Schools Draft Policy for Interacting with Law Enforcement Officers Engaged in Civil Law Enforcement (Protect Act) per the DESE guidance.
- III. OLD BUSINESS**
- IV. NEW BUSINESS**

Sincerely,

Triny Vargas  
Executive Assistant to the School Committee

*School Safety Subcommittee Members*

*Ms. Barbara Gresham, Chair*

*Ms. Rosa Valentin*

*Mr. Gumersindo Gomez, Jr.*