

Taskforce Work Amplified Locally by Community Voices

- Dignity in Schools Campaign New York
- Student Safety Coalition
- Bronx School Justice Workgroup (PAC)



 More than 50% of arrests/summonses by School Safety Agents in 11-12 were in Bronx.

 Parent Action Committee (PAC) convened a People's Hearing.

 The NYPD School Safety Division and NYC Department of Education attended and committed to ongoing meetings.

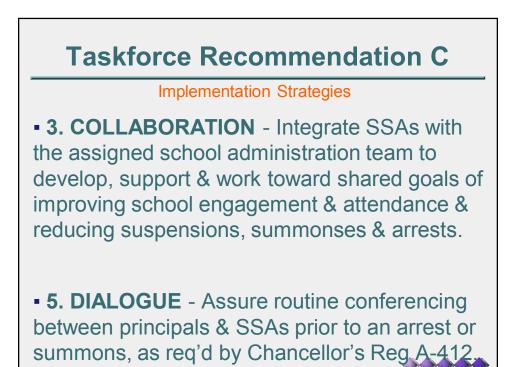


Taskforce Recommendation C

Implementation Strategies

 1. CLARITY - Focus the role of school safety agents on school safety and not as firstresponders for everyday school misbehavior

 2. EMPOWERMENT - Track school arrests and summonses by school, including breakdowns by age, sex, race, ethnicity and disability status.



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 4. PREPARATION - Identify skills needed and provide training for SSAs based on youth development principles to promote culturally competent skills and positive interaction with students.