Farmingville, NY – On Thursday, April 21 Supervisor Ed Romaine, Councilwoman Jane Bonner and Councilman Michael Loguercio attended the Longwood Central School District’s "Operation Safe Stop Day" event at Longwood Middle School. Each year the school transportation industry collaborates with State and local law enforcement agencies to sponsor a day on which they all focus on the dangers of illegally passing stopped school buses by motorists. Illegal passing is dangerous and a widespread traffic safety problem that could result in injuries and fatalities among school children. It is estimated by the Governor’s traffic safety committee that a motorist illegally passes a stopped more than 50,000 times a day across the entire state.

Pictured in the second row, left to right with Longwood Middle School students are County Legislators Rob Calarco, Kate Browning and Sarah Anker, Supervisor Romaine, Councilwoman Bonner, Councilman Loguercio, Longwood Central School District Transportation Director Gail Winsper and Superintendent Michael R. Lonergan with members of the Suffolk County Police Department and the Suffolk County Sheriff’s Department.