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Sent: Thursday, September 17, 2020 7:13 AM

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Subject: Washington County Elections 2020 -- Informing Voters with EVIDENCE: public

corruption/grand jury complaint vs Washington County's 5 state legislators -- 4 running

for re-election or higher office -- which Washington D.A. Jordan is "sitting on"

Attachments: washington-6-25-20-complaint-jordan.pdf; washington-signature.pdf;

washington-7-31-20-da-foil.pdf

TO: Journal & Press

Whitehall Times
Granville Sentinel

Washington County's five state legislators – four running for re-election or higher office -- are the subjects of a **fully-documented** public corruption/grand jury complaint, filed with Washington County District Attorney Jordan, who has been "sitting on" it. The complaint involves the "force of law" commission/committee scheme that gave <u>all six of them</u> pay raises – and a legislature <u>not</u> operating at a remotely constitutional level.

The June 25, 2020 complaint, by the Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA), is above-attached – and below are the e-mails transmitting it and the above-attached July 31, 2020 FOIL request to D.A. Jordan. CJA's substantiating evidentiary webpage for the complaint is here: http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/2020-legislative/grand-juries.htm.

As stated by the complaint, Washington County voters are entitled to know that <u>their state legislators cannot be reelected because they must be indicted for larceny and other corruption on EVIDENCE so DISPOSITIVE as to assure their convictions.</u> So, too, retiring Senator Little, whose *salary-based* pension is a further larceny.

To facilitate your inquiries of the complained-against state legislators and D.A. Jordan, I am cc'ing them on this email. What, if anything, do they deny or dispute. Let them start where the complaint starts: my July 16, 2019 e-mail to the Legislature's 15 stipend-receiving leaders requesting that they forward the e-mail to the 198 other state legislators, with its attached July 15, 2019 written NOTICE and substantiating analysis establishing that the December 10, 2018 Report of the Committee on Legislative and Executive Compensation – raising their legislative salaries from \$79,500 to \$110,000 – is "'a fraud on the People of the State of New York – and a larceny of their tax dollars', violating a succession of penal laws, and that their duty was to void it, to return the pay-raise monies they had already received, and to initiate criminal prosecutions of the Committee's four members and abetting attorneys." The analysis is 46 pages, excluding exhibits. Will they furnish you with their findings of fact and conclusions of law? If not, I'm sure ordinary Washington County citizens would be able to help you with what is obvious. Just accompany your story with links to the complaint and the evidentiary webpage so that they can see for themselves the open-and-shut, prima facie EVIDENCE that D.A. Jordan has been withholding from a Washington County grand jury to maintain his own fraudulently-boosted D.A. salary, paid by Washington County taxpayers.

I am available to answer your questions and assist you, to the max -- on a story not only upending Washington County's five state legislative races, but, additionally, ALL New York's other state legislative races and its 15 D.A. races – and that's for starters.

Thank you.

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From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) < elena@judgewatch.org>

Sent: Friday, July 31, 2020 12:23 PM

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<cmorris@washingtoncountyny.gov>

Subject: Reasonable questions arising from your nonfeasance: June 25, 2020 public corruption complaint in support of grand jury inquiry, pursuant to Article I, §6 of the NYS Constitution, of Washington County state legislators...

TO: Washington County District Attorney J. Anthony Jordan

I have received no acknowledgment or other response to my above-attached June 25, 2020 public corruption/grand jury complaint against Washington County state legislators, which I sent you by the below e-mail, *via* your confidential secretary, Kathy Somich, with a direct link to the substantiating evidentiary webpage: http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/2020-legislative/grand-juries.htm. Such indirect transmittal was necessitated because Ms. Somich, with whom I spoke by phone, would not give me a direct e-mail for you. Now, as then, your D.A. website posts no e-mail addresses for you or any of your staff: https://washingtoncountyny.gov/Directory.aspx?DID=30 – and the DAASNY's roster, which lists the e-mails of nearly every other district attorney, has none for you: http://www.daasny.com/?page_id=184. Yesterday, I obtained your direct e-mail address from Washington County. A voice mail message I left for your first assistant district attorney, Christian Morris, at 11:50 am, has, to my knowledge, not been returned.

As my June 25th complaint presents evidence so prima facie and open-and-shut as to leave no doubt that a grand jury would speedily indict – and a trial jury speedily convict – the complained-against state legislators and their accomplices, your nonfeasance raises reasonable questions as to your performance with respect to *other* public corruption complaints filed by *other* members of the public. To help answer these questions, I have today filed a FOIL/information request with Washington County FOIL Officer & County Clerk Stephanie Lemery – to which you are cc'd. It is attached.

Thank you.

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Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2020 2:29 PM

To: 'ksomich@co.washington.ny.us' <ksomich@co.washington.ny.us>; 'ksomich@washingtoncountyny.gov'

Subject: CORRUPTION COMPLAINT in support of grand jury inquiry, pursuant to Article I, §6 of the NYS Constitution, of Washington County state legislators for "wilful misconduct in office", including larceny & fraud...

Dear Ms. Somich,

Our call was disconnected (518-746-2525), so I am trying again to e-mail, using the address I had from four years ago, and an e-mail that spells out county.

Thank you.

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From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) < elena@judgewatch.org>

Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2020 10:45 AM

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Subject: CORRUPTION COMPLAINT in support of grand jury inquiry, pursuant to Article I, §6 of the NYS Constitution, of Washington County state legislators for "wilful misconduct in office", including larceny & fraud...

TO: Washington County District Attorney J. Anthony Jordan

Attached is my above-entitled corruption/grand jury complaint of today's date addressed to you – with a separate scanned signature page. The link for CJA's "Grand Juries" webpage for the complaint, hyperlinking, linking, and posting all referred-to evidence, is here: http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/2020-legislative/grand-juries.htm.

Should you require an original signed complaint, please notify me – and I will send it, immediately.

Thank you.

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