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Sent: Friday, January 03, 2014 10:09 AM
To: 'Primo, David'
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Subject: Thank you for your prompt e-mail: Building Scholarship to Further Advance Your Commentary "Public financing no cure-all".

Dear Dave,

Apologies for my delay in responding to your prompt e-mail reply to my December 19th phone message about your important commentary "*Public financing no cure-all*", co-authored with Professor Milyo (Albany Times Union, 12/11/13). I was engrossed in letters to Governor Cuomo and legislative leaders about the unconstitutionality and fraudulence of the Judiciary and Legislative budgets for fiscal year 2014-2015 – as to which, like the so-called Commission to Investigate Public Corruption, there is an URGENT need for scholarship. Presently, there is NONE.

The Commission's public campaign finance recommendation was rigged – and our nonpartisan, nonprofit citizens' organization, Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) has a wealth of primary source evidence to furnish for scholarship. Much of that evidence is featured on our website, www.judgewatch.org, accessible *via* the hyperlink for our "People's Campaign to Hold the Commission to Investigate Public Corruption True to its Name & Announced Purpose".

Here's the direct link to the webpage with my testimony at the Commission's September 17, 2013 public hearing, containing all my prior and subsequent correspondence with the Commission, fully substantiating what I stated about the Commission at the conclusion of my oral testimony: "This is corruption. This is public corruption":
<http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/commission-to-investigate-public-corruption/people-evidence/sassower-elena.htm>.

The press has been unabashedly complicit in the Commission's flagrant, readily-verifiable corruption – and in the ignominious role played by the so-called "good-government" groups, which – like the polls the press rigs -- it uses as surrogates for "the People". The exception has been Cynthia Pooler's internet radio show, "Focus on Albany". The link to her December 5th interview of me about the Commission's materially dishonest December 2nd report – and the need for scholarship -- is featured on the menu page of our "People's Campaign": <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/commission-to-investigate-public-corruption/people-evidence/menu-commission-on-public-corruption.htm>.

By the way, here's the menu page for "Reforming the NYS Budget...", also accessible *via* our homepage, www.judgewatch.org. The concluding paragraphs of the posted December 11th and December 30th letters to the Governor and legislative leaders each discuss the Commission – and the Commission is an indicated recipient of each letter: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/judicial-compensation/menu-budget-reform.htm>.

I look forward to speaking with you and Professor Milyo about building scholarship – including by undergraduate and graduate students majoring in political science, etc. Only this can combat the "empty rhetoric" of "politicians and reform groups" that is dangerously misleading the public about public campaign financing and so much else.

Thank you.

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From: Primo, David [<mailto:david.primo@rochester.edu>]
Sent: Friday, December 20, 2013 2:41 PM
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Hi Elena,

Thank you for your voice mail. I will be out of the office for the holidays, but if you would like to email me the information you referenced, I'd be happy to take a look.

Best,
Dave

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