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**From:** Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) <elena@judgewatch.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 13, 2016 12:13 PM  
**To:** 'Mallory Diefenbach'  
**Subject:** Follow-up -- NEWS LEAD: Shaking up the 2016 elections for D.A. -- Joseph Cardone & beyond...  
**Attachments:** 10-13-16-disciplinary-complaint-vs-das-final.pdf

Dear Mallory,

Attached is the finished complaint -- & the webpage posting it is here: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/budget-2016-17/10-13-16-complaint-vs-soares-etc.htm>.

As I am tied up at the moment with other things, I will be sending it out tomorrow, possibly redated with tomorrow's date.

Call if you need my assistance in developing this story.

Thanks.

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**From:** Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) [mailto:elena@judgewatch.org]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 10, 2016 3:58 PM  
**To:** 'Mallory Diefenbach' <MDiefenbach@BataviaNews.com>  
**Subject:** As discussed -- NEWS LEAD: Shaking up the 2016 elections for D.A. -- Joseph Cardone & beyond...

Dear Mallory,

Thanks for the generous amount of time you gave me to furnish you with an overview.

Here's what I intend to file against the DAs of Orleans, Wyoming, and Genesee counties.

I am available, 24/7, to assist you in taking the LEAD!

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**From:** Mallory Diefenbach [mailto:MDiefenbach@BataviaNews.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 10, 2016 11:12 AM  
**To:** Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) <elena@judgewatch.org>  
**Subject:** Re: NEWS LEAD: Shaking up the 2016 elections for D.A. -- Joseph Cardone & beyond...

Dear Ms. Sassower,

Is the lead on the state making the counties pay for the district attorneys? I was reading through your letters in the link you provided, but do you think you can explain more of the situation to me, notably why it is illegal and how it is

different from the other unfunded mandates the state has? Also how does it tie into not only Orleans county, but Wyoming and Genesee counties as well, as those three counties are our coverage area.

Thank you for reaching out to me, and I hope to hear back from you soon.

Sincerely,

Mallory Diefenbach  
The Batavia Daily News  
(585)343-8000 ext. 2135

On 10/10/2016 9:53 AM, Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) wrote:

Dear Mallory,

Following up on your article: <http://www.thedailynewsonline.com/bdn01/orleans-county-petitions-filed-20160721>.

Would you be interested in the lead for a story about the 2016 elections for district attorney to be furnished to the press later this week? Here's webpage that is being built for it: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/budget-2016-17/10-12-16-complaint-vs-soares-etc.htm>

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