

The below was sent to Jumaane Williams on Friday, May 4, 2018, at 12:48 p.m., via his [campaign website "Contact" message feature](#). It is posted on CJA's website, www.judgewatch.org, with substantiating EVIDENTIARY links, here: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/elections/challengers/jumaane-williams.htm>.

TO: Would-Be Lieutenant Governor Jumaane Williams

SUBJECT: WINNING against Lt. Gov. Hochul is EASY and requires NO MONEY -- You only have to Use the "BULLY PULPIT" of your candidacy to "BLOW THE WHISTLE"

Thank you for your public service – and for offering yourself as a candidate challenging the *status quo*. However, if you want to be “the people’s lieutenant governor” and “highlight the issues that are not being brought to the forefront” – as is reported in yesterday’s [Albany Times Union](#) article “[Lt. gov. candidate Williams lays out fiscal plan](#)” -- you should be championing the People’s interest in the rule of law, beginning with the New York State Constitution, enacted by the People.

I am director and co-founder of a non-partisan, non-profit citizens’ organization, Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc (CJA) – and can help you WIN against Lieutenant Governor Hochul. Has she not read Article VII, Sections 1-7 of the New York State Constitution? How about Article III, Section 10? Does she not know that the New York State budget “process” – including its culminating “three-men-in-a-room”, behind-closed-doors budget deal-making and amending of bills – is “OFF THE CONSTITUTIONAL RAILS” – and that since March 2014 CJA has been suing Governor Cuomo in a citizen-taxpayer action for violating a mountain of constitutional, statutory, and legislative rule provisions with respect to the budget –and that the lawsuit record establishes that he and his co-defendants – Temporary Senate President Flanagan, his fellow Senators, Assembly Speaker Heastie, his fellow Assembly Members, Attorney General Schneiderman, and Comptroller DiNapoli – cannot be re-elected because they must ALL be indicted for their “grand larceny of the public fisc’ and other corruption”.

Have none of your “progressive” backers in the New York State Working Families Party and in the New York Progressive Action Network (NYPAN) told you about my outreach to them about this – and about the succession of corruption and ethics complaints against Cuomo, *et al.* that prosecutorial and disciplinary authorities have been “sitting on” since 2013? How about Cynthia Nixon’s campaign manager, Zephyr Teachout, with whom I have an e-mail trail going back to June 2014, when she was running against Cuomo for the Democratic nomination for governor in a race she could have easily WON had she “blown the whistle” at that time – and who, ever since, and in face of repeated further e-mails from me in 2016 and in March of this year has, by her silence, colluded in an astonishing “rip off” of the People by Cuomo and his cohorts, Democratic, Republican, and IDC. Indeed, had Professor Teachout truly wanted Ms. Nixon to defeat Cuomo for the 2018 Democratic gubernatorial nomination – and to clean up New York’s corrupt state government, rather than use it as a vehicle to steam-roll a “progressive” agenda – she had a perfect opportunity to do so in the ten-day span before the start of the April 1, 2018 fiscal year – a fact of which the press has been on notice, but NOT reported.

As your [campaign website](#) – like that of Ms. Nixon – does NOT include “public corruption” as a campaign “issue” AND has NO phone number for me to call to speak with a campaign staffer, nor e-mail address for the campaign – I cannot, in sending you this message, via the “Contact” page of your website, forward you the e-mail correspondence from which the substantiating lawsuit records and corruption and ethics

complaints are accessible from live links. However, the live links and the pdfs of my e-mails are all accessible from CJA's website, www.judgewatch.org – especially *via* the prominent center link “OUTING CORRUPT & COLLUSIVE INCUMBENTS & Ending Their Road to Re-Election & Higher Office – WITH EVIDENCE”. To further assist you, I have posted live links to the mountain of open-and-shut, *prima facie* EVIDENCE on the webpage I have created for this message to you. It is accessible from CJA's webpages entitled “Exposing & Testing the Challengers”. The direct link is here: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/elections/challengers/jumaane-williams.htm>.

One final observation is in order. Yesterday's Times Union article offers up differing opinions of your proposed tax proposals by “Fiscal policy experts” – quoting David Friedfel, director of state studies “at the nonpartisan but fiscally conservative Citizens Budget Commission”, and Ron Deutsch, director of “the left leaning Fiscal Policy Institute”. What both Messrs. Friedfel and Deutsch have in common – identically with Professor Teachout – is that they too have kept silent about the unconstitutionality and lawlessness of the New York State budget, chronicled by CJA's citizen-taxpayer actions – of which they have had notice and proof, including by the same e-mails sent to Professor Teachout. As illustrative, my March 31, 2016 e-mail entitled “Why are the ‘good government groups’ and scholars of the constitution and public fisc not educating the media about what the NYS Constitution has to say about the NYS budget?”, which you should make a PRIORITY to read. Likewise, my March 29, 2018 e-mail to the press entitled “CORRUPTION ALERT: Does Albany ‘Outsider’ Cynthia Nixon think the ‘three/four men in a room’ budget deal-making, happening now and behind-closed-doors, is constitutional? How about The New York Times?”. Also, you should make a PRIORITY to view the VIDEOS of my testimony at the Legislature's January 30, 2018 and February 5, 2018 budget hearings, at which I identified what was going on with respect to the proposed state budget for fiscal year 2018-2019, specifying hundreds of millions of dollars in larcenous appropriations -- ALL of which have been retained, intact, in the budget enacted on March 30, 2018.

I am available to assist you, to the max, in “whistle-blowing” about the foregoing corruption and budget “issues” – none “brought to the forefront” by any candidate or incumbent – so that you can WIN the Democratic primary and general election for the benefit of the “99%” of New Yorkers disserved and defrauded by a corrupt *status quo*. Meantime, I will furnish this message to Lieutenant Governor Hochul, for her response. Likewise, to the Working Families Party and NYPAN, to Zephyr Teachout, and to institutes and experts engaged in supposed “scholarship” of the state budget, beginning with the Citizens Budget Commission and the Fiscal Policy Institute – and, of course, the election-determining press. What do they deny or dispute? Or is this year's election NOT to be about EVIDENCE of the records of the incumbents, but simply a cynical manipulation of the public by self-interested pretenders, having NO respect for their civic and professional responsibilities.

Thank you.

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