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Subject: GOOD NEWS: You have an open-&-shut public corruption issue that will WIN you election -- and demonstrate your fitness for public service
Attachments: 6-9-20-complaint-queens-da-katz.pdf; queens-signature.pdf; queens-7-29-20-da-foil.pdf

TO: NON-INCUMBENT QUEENS CANDIDATES FOR STATE SENATE & ASSEMBLY SEATS

SD-11: Elisa Nahoum (R, C, "Save Our City")
SD-13: Jesus Gonzalez (R, C, "Save Our City")
SD-15: Thomas Sullivan (R, C, "Save Our City")

AD-23: Peter Hatzipetros, ESQ. (R,C, "Save Our City")
AD-26: John-Alexander Sakelos (R,C, "Save Our City")
AD-28: *Danniel Maio ("COVID-19 Stories")
AD-31: Khaleel Anderson (D, WF); *Joseph Cullina (R)
AD-34: Jessica Gonzalez-Rojas (D, WF); William Marquez (R, C)
AD-35: *Hans-Kohn To (R, C, "Save Our City")
AD-36: Zohran Kwame Mamdani (D—unopposed)
AD-38: Jennifer Rajkumar, ESQ. (D); Giovanni Perna (R, C, "Save Our City")
AD-40: Steven Lee ("Justice Peace Honesty")

This is to alert you to GOOD NEWS. If you want to win election, you can do so easily and without money. All it requires is using the "bully-pulpit" of your candidacy to whistle-blow about the above-attached FULLY-DOCUMENTED public corruption/grand jury complaint against Queens' 25 state legislators – 21 of whom are running for re-election – which Queens District Attorney Melinda Katz has been "sitting on".

The New York Times and other press – which presumably have been, or will be, interviewing you, including for purposes of candidate endorsements -- have had knowledge of the complaint for some time – including by the below September 21st e-mail, to which the 21 re-election-seeking legislative incumbents and D.A. Katz were cc'd so that they could be ready for press inquiries.

What is your assessment of the complaint – and its substantiating evidentiary webpage? Do you not agree that the 21 re-election-seeking incumbents cannot be re-elected because they must be indicted on EVIDENCE is so *prima facie* and open-and-shut as to assure convictions. Won't you stand up for honest, accountable government and -- on behalf of the voters – make the complaint an election issue. Will you demand that all 25 of the complained-against Queens state legislators respond to it – and that D.A. Katz explain why she has not presented it to a Queens grand jury. And will you demand that the press do its part to investigate and report?

I am available to answer your questions about the complaint – including as to my knowledge of, and interactions with, the specific complained-against legislators against whom you are running. Of course, the complaint is just as germane to those not running against incumbents – and to non-incumbent primary winners who are unopposed in the general

election. Voters are entitled to know what salary you expect to be paid, if elected to the Legislature – and that you will commit to ensuring: (1) public findings of fact and conclusions of law with respect to the complaint; (2) prosecution of all culpable public officers and their conspirators; and (3) “claw-backs” to recover the approximately half-a-billion dollars in fraudulent salary increases, already paid out.

Please advise.

Finally, I ask your help in forwarding this e-mail to the above-listed candidates whose names are preceded by an asterisk (*), as I was unable to find e-mail addresses for them. Apparently, they have neither campaign websites or facebook pages.

Thank you.

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