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From: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) <elena@judgewatch.org>
Sent: Wednesday, August 10, 2016 10:53 AM
To: 'Terry Clark'
Cc: 'joanmcnichol@lewiscounty.ny.gov'; 'leannemoser@lewiscounty.ny.gov'
Subject: Thank you for your kind confirmation -- RE: Notice to Lewis Co. Government: Your duty to repudiate & challenge the state-imposed D.A. salary increases based on your own D.A. Moser's findings of facts and conclusions of law

Dear Terry,

Thank you for your kind confirmation.

I have found the video and agenda for the Lewis County Board of Legislators' August 2nd meeting on the Lewis County website – and have posted links on CJA's website, on a webpage I have created to showcase the counties. It is currently accessible *via* CJA's webpage for the July 8, 2016 letter: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/budget-2016-17/7-8-16-ltr-to-counties.htm>. If you scroll down on the webpage, you will find a listing of New York's 62 counties. Next to Lewis County is the link, which, in addition to posting our correspondence, posts the August 3rd Watertown Daily Times article: "[Lewis County legislators oppose mandated DA raise, citing no state funding](#)" and the segment that appeared on Channel 7 News/Fox 28: "[Feedback: Lewis County Lawmakers Reject DA Moser's Pay Hike](#)".

Again, thank you.

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From: Terry Clark [mailto:terryclark@lewiscounty.ny.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, August 9, 2016 8:44 AM
To: Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. (CJA) elena@judgewatch.org

Subject: RE: Thank you! -- RE: Notice to Lewis Co. Government: Your duty to repudiate & challenge the state-imposed D.A. salary increases based on your own D.A. Moser's findings of facts and conclusions of law

Elena:
As requested, I have forwarded your correspondence to each Legislator and other officials

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

Sent: Monday, August 08, 2016 4:30 PM

To: Terry Clark

Cc: Joan McNichol; moser@lewiscountyny.org

Subject: Thank you! -- RE: Notice to Lewis Co. Government: Your duty to repudiate & challenge the state-imposed D.A. salary increases based on your own D.A. Moser's findings of facts and conclusions of law

TO: Lewis County Legislative Clerk Terry Clark

Following up our phone conversation, bravo to Lewis County legislators for rejecting the district attorney salary increase at their August 2nd meeting, reported in the Watertown Daily Times the following day. It appears, however, that the legislators were unaware of the Center for Judicial Accountability's July 8th letter to them – which I had e-mailed to Lewis County Attorney McNichol, with a request that she furnish it to “all Lewis County legislators, executive officers & the treasurer/comptroller”.

Below is a copy of my July 12th transmitting e-mail to County Attorney McNichol, a copy of which I simultaneously sent to Lewis County District Attorney Moser.

Here's the link to the menu webpage which posts the July 8th letter: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/budget-2016-17/how-many-das-menu.htm>. It also posts CJA's July 14th FOIL request pertaining to district attorney salaries & non-salary benefits, etc., which I also sent to County Attorney McNichol. As yet, I have received no acknowledgment from her or anyone else from Lewis County to the FOIL request.

I am rushing to send this to you before you leave at 4:30. I am available to answer questions, including under oath and *via skype* at the legislators next meeting in September.

Again, thank you.

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

Sent: Tuesday, July 12, 2016 8:43 AM

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TO: Lewis County Attorney Joan McNichol –

Kindly supersede the July 8, 2016 letter I previously sent you with the attached revised letter – and furnish to all Lewis County legislators, executive officers & the treasurer/comptroller. Unless I hear from you to the contrary, I will assume you have done so.

To assist Lewis County in taking protective steps, I am directly sending this e-mail to Lewis County District Attorney Moser so as to further reinforce her duty to promptly furnish you and Lewis County's other public officers with her findings of fact and conclusions of law with respect to the citizen-taxpayer action, *Center for Judicial Accountability, Inc. v. Cuomo, et al.* (Albany Co. #1788-2014). Does she deny or dispute its rock-solid evidentiary showing that the judicial salary increases, on which her own district attorney salary increases rest, are statutorily-violative, fraudulent -- & unconstitutional? How about our June 21, 2016 corruption complaint filed with Albany County District Attorney Soares? Does she deny or dispute its sufficiency for founding criminal indictments for violations of the penal law – and convictions?

For the convenience of all, the direct link to CJA's webpage for the attached July 8, 2016 letter, from which all referred-to correspondence and substantiating evidence are accessible, is here: <http://www.judgewatch.org/web-pages/searching-nys/budget/budget-2016-17/7-8-16-ltr-to-counties.htm> .

Feel free to call with any questions.

Thank you.

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