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Hi –

Maybe I'm naïve, but I don't see the Kavanaugh fiasco as a partisan issue. There is still plenty of time to ram through some other equally-partisan nominee. The harder Republicans push on Kavanaugh, the more they harm their own partisan interests. They bring disgrace upon themselves personally, upon their party, upon the senate, upon the court, and upon the nation as a whole.

Sure, appointing *some* Federalist Society hack is a partisan issue. But why Kavanaugh in particular??? There are plenty of others to choose from.

What's the point? Is it just stubbornness?

Why is it that the side that says they want "evidence" is the side that doesn't want an investigation??? The White House knew of these issues two weeks ago, and should have started an investigation back then, as a matter of routine. The investigation would have been over by now.

Whenever there is a dispute over credibility, and one side is calling for an investigation, while the other side is doing all they can to block an investigation, it tells you all you need to know.

The fact that the recent accusations are narrow and careful adds to their credibility. A fabricator could have just as easily fabricated additional damning details. The Swetnick accusations are probably not, by themselves, enough to sustain criminal charges against Kavanaugh, but they are more than enough to shred the credibility of his sweeping denials of the previous accusations.

And he had serious credibility problems *before* these women came forward.

Yours truly,

*John L Denker*