

TUESDAY APRIL 7, 2015



“ Shall the Village of New Baden, Illinois become a home rule unit pursuant to Article VII, Section 6 of the Illinois Constitution? ”

What does Home Rule mean for New Baden? It means you give away your right to vote on future tax increases or new taxes. It means you give government bureaucrats a **blank check with your signature!**

- ★ Allows the Village of New Baden to raise property taxes without limit and **without voter approval**
- ★ Allows the Village of New Baden to impose new taxes on businesses, services, parking, groceries, and nearly everything else **without voter approval**
- ★ Allows the government bureaucrats of the Village of New Baden to protect, and even increase, their own salaries and pensions **without voter approval**

80% of local spending is for salaries and benefits of government employees!

See the other side of this flyer for the top taxpayer-funded salaries in New Baden.

Home Rule always means higher taxes. Why would village government bureaucrats seek to strip you of your right to vote on tax increases?

Polls open 6am to 7pm Tuesday, April 7, 2015.



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TOP GOVERNMENT SALARIES FOR NEW BADEN, IL

as of Dec. 2014

NAME

Salary

RILEY, WILLIAM	\$77,307.12
RENTH, RONALD V.	\$68,058.48
MEINHARDT, SCOTT	\$64,282.60
MAVROGEORGE, JEFFREY	\$59,340.37
BROECKLING, LONNY	\$59,112.51
WAGNER, ANGELA	\$53,313.53
RAPIEN, BRUCE	\$53,302.75
GILBERT, ALLEN	\$52,166.92
WILKEN, BARBARA	\$48,317.77
DEIEN, TIMOTHY	\$47,568.19
GRAUL, MARTIN	\$46,484.23
KOERBER, JACOB	\$45,041.75
CRANE, TERI	\$42,006.27
THALER, MARK	\$40,756.38

Before you believe their rhetoric, ask yourself how taxpayers would benefit by handing this power over to government bureaucrats!

What's in it for you?

What's in it for them?

