



Taxpayers United of America

TUA has helped Illinois citizens save over \$100 billion in income and property taxes at the state and local levels.

- We defeated 192 property-tax-increase referenda, while losing only 35—that's 84 percent.
- We beat back more than 100 home-rule referenda, which give unlimited taxing power to local governments.
- We crushed 17 consecutive state income tax increases proposed in Springfield from 1993 to 2010.

"No man's life, liberty, or property are safe while the legislature is in session."

-Mark Twain

On January 12, 2011, Springfield Democrats narrowly passed a significant increase in the state's individual income and corporate income taxes. The Illinois individual income tax was raised from 3% to 5%, a 67 percent increase, through a temporary income tax surcharge. The corporate income tax increased from 7.3% to 9.5%, a 30 percent increase, becoming the fourth-highest state corporate income tax in the United States.

Every member who voted for the tax increase was a Democrat. We need to throw from office 10-20 Springfield Democrats. Then the state personal income tax will drop from five percent to 3.25 percent. The time to act is now!

Please join our fight against the tax-and-spend hordes by becoming a member of TUA. Our members receive email news and action alerts, as well as our biennial Tax Survey of the Illinois General Assembly, detailing the votes of every state legislator on every significant tax bill.

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- Thomas Jefferson

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