

TUESDAY, MARCH 15, 2016



“ Shall the Village of Westchester become a home rule unit? ”

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

- ★ Allows the Village of Westchester to raise property taxes without limit and **without voter approval**
- ★ Allows the Village of Westchester to impose new taxes on businesses, services, parking, groceries, and nearly everything else, **without voter approval**
- ★ Allows the government bureaucrats of the Village of Westchester 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 and pensions in Westchester.

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, March 15, 2016.



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TOP GOVERNMENT SALARIES FOR WESTCHESTER, IL

as of 2016

Matthys Janet M	\$123,435.60
Carpino John M	\$112,257.73
Hribal Gregory P	\$92,065.05
Rasmussen Melissa S	\$91,538.60
Wiza Walter F	\$85,276.74
Potempa Maureen B	\$84,270.83
Crowley Steven C	\$81,171.01
Smith Vincent L	\$80,784.94
Malek Jerome J	\$79,404.20
Saviano Anthony A	\$78,912.58
Marbella Fidencio V	\$78,030.08
Grippio Bryan J	\$73,897.40

*Data from www.openthebooks.com

TOP GOVERNMENT PENSIONS FOR WESTCHESTER, IL

as of 2016

Benefit Recipient Name	Annual	Age at retirement	Est. Lifetime Payout	Member Contributions as % to Lifetime Payout
Doolittle John A	\$67,854	69	\$1,445,806	4%
Fecarotta John P	\$63,378	65	\$1,427,935	8%
Bogda Dale R	\$62,380	59	\$1,866,771	4%
Kotche Robert J	\$57,957	68	\$1,487,337	3%
Weigel Mary K	\$51,492	61	\$1,468,580	3%
Muhr Robert F	\$50,299	62	\$1,250,730	5%
Sedore Donald J	\$45,891	60	\$1,413,816	2%
Sloan Donald K	\$42,494	56	\$1,329,192	5%
Conrad Roberta A	\$41,938	64	\$1,029,165	6%
Delre Michael A	\$39,558	69	\$814,572	4%
Guizzetti Bert L	\$37,666	59	\$1,148,794	5%

Before you believe the rhetoric from the bureaucrats, ask yourself how taxpayers would benefit by handing over the power to raise property taxes, impose new taxes, and protect and increase government employee salaries and pensions without voter approval!

What's in it for you?

What's in it for them?

