

ON TUESDAY NOVEMBER 6, 2012



“ Shall the Village of Westmont cease to be a home rule unit? Yes / No ”

What does continuation of Home Rule mean for Westmont?

It means you give away your vote on future tax increases. It gives government bureaucrats a blank check with your signature!

Home Rule does the following:

- ★ Allows the Village of Westmont to raise property taxes without limit and **without voter approval!**
- ★ Allows the Village of Westmont to impose new taxes on businesses, services, groceries, parking, and products like gasoline **without voter approval!**
- ★ Allows the Village of Westmont to raise the existing Home Rule sales tax **without voter approval!**
- ★ Allows the Village of Westmont to protect their own salaries and pensions and even increase their own benefits **without voter approval!**

Home Rule *always means higher taxes.*

Polls open from 6 a.m. to 7 p.m.



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?*

WESTMONT GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES TOP PENSIONS

Name	Age at Retirement	Annual Pension	Employee Contrib.	Pension Paid To Date	Est. Lifetime Pension Payout	Employee Contrib. % of Lifetime Payout
Botch Raymond P	61	\$102,512	\$106,336	\$791,046	\$2,656,182	4.0%
Thomas Donald H	54	\$90,393	\$68,751	\$541,376	\$3,592,782	1.9%
Zeiger Robert W	58	\$85,649	\$97,941	\$155,384	\$3,188,830	3.1%
Leithem William G	56	\$73,297	\$86,540	\$527,328	\$2,693,824	3.2%
Konczak Jerome E	56	\$71,881	\$74,520	\$254,068	\$2,868,568	2.6%
Owens Bonnie L	57	\$71,216	\$73,619	\$391,266	\$2,506,317	2.9%
Dziatlik Jeffrey A	51	\$61,605	\$54,110	\$389,062	\$2,902,172	1.9%
Nielsen Robert D	63	\$59,565	\$40,266	\$327,258	\$1,482,751	2.7%
Drinkwater Tim S	53	\$57,035	\$55,663	\$313,358	\$2,447,880	2.3%
Trout Frank C	67	\$51,848	\$96,681	\$8,641	\$1,140,657	8.5%
Irmick Diane M	64	\$50,805	\$49,891	\$279,126	\$1,177,455	4.2%

80% of local taxes are used to pay salaries and pensions of government employees!

Home Rule *always means higher taxes*. Why else would village bureaucrats want the power to raise taxes without voter approval? **VOTE YES to end Home Rule!**

