

King William B.O.S Delivers a Lump of Coal for Taxpayers

After Bob Ehrhart and Dave Hansen were voted out of office in 2019. The King William T.E.A Party warned citizens the transparency that would be lost with these two men now gone. It didn't take long and sure enough in August 2021, the current Board voted to increase your property taxes by some 7.5%. Did you hear much public discussion of this latest tax increase? I know I didn't. Was the public made aware they intended to " dip further into your pocket"?

The 5 members of this Board all voted for this, certainly we could have expected both Dave Hansen & Bob Ehrhart would have said NO to this tax increase. It isn't that it is just another couple of bucks in higher taxes on your car or truck, it is the relentless appetite these 5 members have for continuing the spending spree that began in 2019 and will continue unabated until citizens get off of their duffs and say.....enough.

Look at the expansion of both the Sheriff's department and the EMS services, 6 new deputies and 13 new F/T Fire & Rescue personnel. When the Grant money (that magic fairy dust money) runs out the BILL comes due.

They will get by this coming year because they still have around \$6,000,000.00 in the unassigned reserve fund. Bet your bippy they will squander this budget year what is left.....and then in 2023 the "band will demand payment".

With the estimates that the new real estate tax assessments expected to climb some 50-60% and the certainty they will not lower the real estate tax rate accordingly this latest grab for your wallet is just the beginning. Next time you go to the polls to vote remember what you are voting for.

The ludicrous promise by Supv. Ed Moren to lower taxes is hardly what you got. Supv. Moren never intended to lower anyone's taxes, unless of course you understand the Land Use Tax Exemption program and how it actually works. More on that issue in the coming months.

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