

Just wanted to take a moment and ask you to please think about how exactly this bill will affect all people. I know there are probably people that take advantage of others...but there are people like my mom who set the rent far beneath the value. She wanted good tenants that would stay. She knew doing that, people would be happy and she could keep her property supported.

My mom passed away this year. I planned on keeping the rent low as well...but had to raise the rent two hundred dollars more a month. This was due to the passing of the school district bond that upped the property tax almost 600.00 a year. Also due to the fact I make far less than she did. The rent is still about 500.00 less a month than I have been told I could get. If this passes and there's nothing in place to prevent property taxes from increasing substantially that's not right.

Minimum wage goes up...property taxes go up...groceries, gas and utilities all go up. My salary does not. I work for the school district as an Instructional Assistant in a kindergarten classroom. I have done this 13 years and have capped out. I need to know if things keep going up I can increase my property to offset the burden of taxes.

Thank you.

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Sent from my iPhone