

MEDIA ALERT



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On Halloween (the scariest day of the year)
...And on the eve of soon-to-be mailed 2nd installment
Cook County property tax bills...

The Tax Reform Action Coalition (TRAC), a citywide coalition of more than 45 community groups working for comprehensive property tax reform, will hold a **PRESS CONFERENCE @ Chicago City Hall**

- **Wednesday, October 31**
- **Time: 9:30 a.m.**
- **Where: 2nd floor, Chicago City Hall**
(near the Council Chambers)

TRAC will deliver a message to Mayor Richard Daley... Cook County President Todd Stroger... Cook County Commissioners... and Chicago Aldermen that **PROPERTY TAXES MUST NOT BE RAISED.**

As a result of politics in Springfield, homeowners in Cook County will receive minimal and short-lived relief. The property tax increases proposed by Mayor Daley and President Stroger are frightening and could eliminate any miniscule tax break. TRAC is asking that these proposed property tax increases be taken off the table.

"TRAC has worked for close to two years to get the 7% CAP renewed. Much to our disappointment, we were short changed on the relief we need," says Barb Head, TRAC president. "All we want to do is hang on to our homes and stay in our neighborhoods. Please take the property tax increases off the table."

**For more on the Tax Reform Action Coalition
visit www.trac-il.org**