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Rebecca,

I recently received my property tax notice from the city of Saint Paul, which is abhorrent. The tax increase of 21% over \$3K in a single year is unacceptable. I am curious to understand how this is legally possible. If the city lacks leaders with the necessary skills and education to manage a budget effectively, especially considering the existing exorbitant taxes, the "leaders" must resign.

Citizens do not benefit from these tax hikes. Crime rates are at an all-time high, and roads are in a state of disrepair. The city is failing, and the city council and mayor are fully responsible for this situation. This is an embarrassing and shameful display of corruption and incompetence.

Have a pleasant Thanksgiving. Dan Cohen

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