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DUPAGE REPUBLICANS BACKTRACK ON TAX INCREASE

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So DuPage Republicans Joe Birkett, Bob Schillerstrom, and Jim Ryan are now AGAINST **their own** tax increase referendum (story [here](#)). A sort of "we were for it before we were *against* it" routine.

A kind of insurance policy I guess. Insurance against the possibility their fellow DuPage Republican buddies Dillard, Cronin, and Millner didn't come through with a Springfield-mandated increase themselves.

And how well it worked out for the DuPage Three. Now they can claim to be "against" tax increases while picking the citizens' pockets.

Bravo. Schillerstrom is like the Rod Blagojevich of DuPage County! What an honor for him.

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