Tell Senators Thom Tillis and Tedd Bud to restrict property taxes by requiring a 2/3 vote or abide by a15% petition against any further proposed increases and limit property valuation increases to 3% per year.

- City and county property taxes have been rising at accelerated rates for the last 5 years across the state adversely affecting city and county residential property owners. This has prevented homeowners from realizing the growth in equity that reflects that of their districts.

- As home market values have risen by at least 30%, the combined assessed valuations and property tax rate have yielded a 20% increase in property taxes just in the past year.

- City councils and county boards have not been transparent about what portion of our tax payments are going to subsidized housing and social services.

- These out of control expenditures *cause* an increased demand for subsidized housing and social services and will limit homeowner equity to a substantial and unacceptable extent.

Printed Name	Signature	Address	Owner	Renter	Date