

NOTICE FOR NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION

**NOTICE OF PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX INCREASE FOR
OAK PARK SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 97, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

- I. A public hearing to approve a proposed property tax levy for Oak Park School District No. 97, Cook County, Illinois for 2013 will be held on December 17, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. at the Board of Education Meeting Room, 970 Madison Street, Oak Park, Illinois 60302.

Any person desiring to appear at the public hearing and present testimony to the taxing district may contact Ms. Therese M. O'Neill, Assistant Superintendent for Finance and Operations, 970 Madison Street, Oak Park, Illinois at (708) 524-7623.

- II. The corporate and special purpose property taxes extended or abated for the year 2012 were \$50,873,656.

The proposed corporate and special purpose property taxes to be levied for 2013 are \$51,738,508. This represents a 1.70% increase over the previous year's extension.

- III. The property taxes extended for debt service for 2012 were \$8,154,091.

The estimated property taxes to be levied for debt service for 2013 are \$7,823,612.

- IV. The total property taxes extended or abated for 2012 were \$59,027,747.

The estimated total property taxes to be levied for 2013 are \$59,562,120
This represents a .905% increase over the previous year's total levy.

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