

# Is This Township Official Living on Easy Street?

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Thornton Township Supervisor Frank Zuccarelli draws dual public salaries, enjoys generous benefits and stands to collect two pensions.

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# Home Agency Gave Interest-Free Loans to Director

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Part II of an investigation with the Chicago Sun-Times looks at two interest-free home-improvement loans given to Kenneth Pannaralla, a director at a government-run home-equity assurance program.

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# Taxpayer Money Set Aside to Curb White Flight Helped Some Flee Chicago

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Part I of an investigation with the Chicago Sun-Times looks at a 1988 law passed to keep people in their homes in Chicago that has often ended up paying for them



to move.

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# **Utilities Brighten Up IL Legislators' Campaign Funds**

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ComEd, Ameren donate more than \$1.3 million in months leading to 'Smart Grid'

bill approval.

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# **U-Turn? CPD Rethinks Tahoe as Patrol Car**

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The Chevrolet Tahoe was supposed to replace the Ford Crown Victoria as the

Chicago Police Department's primary patrol car, but the city now is rethinking that costly decision.

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# **Top City Colleges of Chicago Official Resigns After Sham Move To City**

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A top City Colleges of Chicago administrator recently resigned under pressure, leaving a \$120,000-a-year job but taking away a valuable life lesson: Don't play games with the city's residency requirement.

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**Yearly Tab for Ald. Burke's**

# Bodyguards Nearly \$600,000

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The tab to Chicago taxpayers for providing a police bodyguard detail to Ald. Burke? Almost \$600,000 per year, according to newly released figures from the Emanuel administration covering 2009.

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# Check, Please?

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Oak Brook village president approves liquor license for Gibsons, then accepts \$10,000 campaign donation from restaurant—but it's not the only conflict-of-interest question being raised.

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## A Familiar Name on Metra Payroll

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Her father chairs Illinois House Mass Transit Committee