



Guess What's Back Again?

Remember that municipal broadband referendum the citizens of Batavia, Geneva and St. Charles overwhelmingly rejected in 2003? Well, it's back again.

In 2003, the people of Batavia, Geneva and St. Charles voted against a referendum that could have resulted in a government-owned telecommunications system supported by taxpayers.

You were right not to want your tax dollars going to build a vast telecommunications network.

Plenty of other municipalities that have tried it have failed, leaving taxpayers on the hook.

The referendum wording may have changed a little bit but the basic plan is the same – a government-run telecommunications network that relies on local residents for support.

Make no mistake – if this plan fails, taxpayers will be left to clean up the mess.

This is not the time to add more risk to local taxpayers.

Vote NO on the Municipal Broadband Referendum on November 2nd.