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I understand the City of Portland has a \$62 million dollar surplus to budget. I would like to weigh in on how to distribute the funds. I would like to see funds allocated to affordable housing, particularly for those having to live on the streets. Addressing houselessness should include a spectrum of services to address physical health, disability, mental health, addiction. Let's also clean up the graffiti and garbage. The parks need help. For example, the trails in Gabriel Park need to be repaved to make them safe to walk on. I support Commissioner Mapps' proposals, including those for Public Safety.

Thank you,

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