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Testimony to **Portland City Council** on the **Shelter to Housing Continuum Project, Recommended Draft**

My wife and I have been coming to Portland for 15 years and owned in the Pearl for over 5 years. It becomes harder to accept the large increases in taxes with little in return. This past year has seen the worse PDX has to offer. Uncontrolled protests, damage to businesses, trash littering the streets/highways and graffiti lining buildings and underpasses. We believe this next step is unacceptable and other alternatives should be reviewed. If the city ever wants to get tourists back, get hotels & restaurants in full swing, and get home values in the city back along with office real estate filled they will work to cleaning up the city versus adding more disarray.

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