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

Please do not move forward with the idea of using our public parks for shelter purposes. This will make Portland an unlivable city for a lot of us with options. I can guarantee that I would move out of Portland for good should you move forward with this. Property values will drop, as will your tax base. There are other options that should be pursued in order to keep the vast majority of us citizens who work hard, pay our taxes and want to enjoy this great city. I have voted to approve so many new initiatives to fund various projects and I am beginning to wonder if we have anyone in city government who really knows what they are doing.

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