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

Please...do not put homeless shelters in parks. We now have a homeless shelter up the street where the Rite Aid used to be. We have trash all over the neighborhood from homeless. Porta potties now located randomly in residential areas -- yes, for the homeless. We have homeless already camping in any green open space up here in North Portland. An uptick in crime the past few years is due to all the homeless. I have been the victim of a number of thefts and the two are related. Graffiti is insane -- no, probably not the homeless, but honestly, the city in general all over looks like a movie set for a zombie movie. Use Wapato for the homeless. Use other vacant spaces that are not in neighborhoods. It is all just too much especially in light of the cost of property taxes. Do something else please. I think your first priority should be to people who are actually paying for services with property taxes. All this crap is really brining the city down...

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