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

Please do NOT allow homeless camping in public parks for up to 180 days! All of Portland uses these parks for peace of mind and sanity during covid, and during customary times also. The homeless need to be moved into empty buildings- surely there are plenty after people went out of business due to covid and protests. The law does not permit uses of the parks to shelter the homeless. It would make these areas unusable and unsafe for the rest of Portland.

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