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

Please do not allow Gabriel Park to become temporary shelter for our homeless population. The park is a place of respite, especially after the continual trauma of this last year. People already camp there sometimes, and leave behind trash, syringes and feces. Instead of using the park, why not use the Armory building on Multnomah Blvd? It would provide shelter, space, heat and electricity; plus, it has the potential to be part of a long-term solution to a real problem. But please... do not sacrifice our green spaces, even temporarily.

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