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

As a longtime East Portland resident, My family and I are strongly against any code change related to the S2HC code. One of the few remaining respites in our city are the wonderful parks and I believe an extension of the existing HED is better suited for addressing the immediate homeless needs versus a permanent or even temporary change to our city code! I would further like to express my frustration that our city has a responsibility to address the homelessness so many are experiencing but we as citizens and tax payers have provided you with hundreds of millions of dollars in the past few years only to see the problem and filth become exponentially worse. With the amount of money and resources at the city's disposal I'm disappointed that this code change seems to be the best it can do.

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