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There is a lot in the plan to like even though there's not much meat on the bones yet. Keep going. There will be tremendous support from a majority of residents and complaints from some that there's not enough there to endorse it, but if there was a fully fleshed-out plan presented then people would complain that they weren't able to provide input.

My only suggestion is to include entities (like ODOT) who own and manage land that is within the city's geographic boundaries, where tents and tent cities have sprung up. Because the city doesn't own those spaces, it's unclear whether they'd be covered by the Mayor's proposal as-is.

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