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As a life long Portland resident, I can think of no time where I have been so discouraged and appalled by the state of our City.

The camping on the streets has turned this once beautiful place into a thriving cesspool, one that is unsafe for the campers, housed residents, and our children.

Seven years ago Ted Wheeler had a "plan". Seven years hence the situation has only gotten worse.

Allowing anyone to camp outside a sanctioned camp ground doesn't work for anyone. Least of all taxpaying citizens who foot the bill for ineffective solutions and continued political discourse that fails to bring results.

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