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How many more neighborhood businesses have to fail or move because of Portland's city government inaction and delays? How many neighborhoods have to continue to lose property value and long-established residents? Portland has been in catastrophic free-fall for years now as our representatives have wrung their hands and done little or nothing. Our patience is exhausted and we need action now, not in 18 months. Please spend Portland's money on Portland's problems. Please do your jobs and act, now. Thank you.

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