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I am in FULL SUPPORT of this ban. Due to our lack of enforcement, we have become the destination spot for drug addicts and dangerous, lawless activity. Much like people who go to Hawaii for the beaches or Las Vegas for big shows and casinos, people looking for cheap drugs and no enforcement of any behavior come here.

It has made our city unsafe; destroyed neighborhoods; annihilated small businesses; exposed the children of this city to things no kids should see and wrecked our reputation of the once beautiful city Portland was.

PLEASE BAN STREET CAMPING PERMANENTLY. Help those who want it - the ones that do not.... ?. I do believe Portland can do this humanely and get this city back on track as one of the best cities to live in.

sincerely,
sherri kaven

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