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This is an unambiguous no-brainer. Act now and with urgency.

END CAMPING NOW: It's past time to end dangerous, inhumane, and illegal camping in public areas. This is a long overdue step to save lives, restore safety and to clean up our city

USE CITY FUNDS NOW: Stop wasting millions each year on the failed county-run Joint Office of Homeless Services and use these city tax dollars to start implementing this plan. Do not give County or Metro politicians a veto over city policies.

PORTLAND CANNOT WAIT: Delaying enforcement of existing no camping laws will only further delay the policy changes. Do not wait for the perfect solution.

Respectfully submitted,

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