

From: [Jen Bresnahan](#)
To: [Council Clerk – Testimony](#)
Subject: I support Wheeler's proposed unsanctioned camping ban
Date: Wednesday, October 26, 2022 1:31:14 PM

Hello,

There are so many of us in Portland who support Wheeler's plan! Please don't allow the fringe loud voices to drown us out! The homeless camping everywhere has gotten completely out of control.

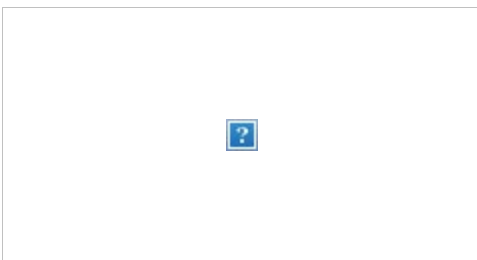
I would like to see Portland follow San Diego's lead when it comes to helping the homeless. Please consider contacting **Bob McElroy**, founder of the **Alpha Project**, to possibly partner with him or get a blueprint for how to implement a similar plan in Portland. He is also the founder of the **Lucky Duck Foundation**. His companies' amazing work has helped thousands of homeless people in countless ways. It is a compassionate approach that also holds people accountable.

Please see the links I've included below.

Thank you very much for your time and efforts on this extremely important issue.

Best Regards,
Jennifer Bresnahan

<https://www.alphaproject.org/>

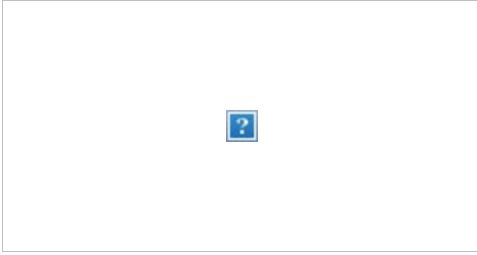


Alpha Project - serving the Homeless of San Diego

Alpha Project is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) human services organization that serves over 4,000 men, women, and children each day. Services include affordable housing, residential substance abuse treatment, supportive housing for people with special needs, basic and emergency services for

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<https://www.kpbs.org/news/local/2022/04/01/downtown-shelter-gets-new-contract-with-plans-for-a-new-shelter-in-midway-district>



Downtown San Diego shelter gets new contract, with plans for a new shelter in Midway district | KPBS Public Media

Jones said there was still a need for the 139-bed shelter, and it is in line with San Diego Mayor Todd Gloria's commitment to address homelessness.

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<https://www.luckyduckfoundation.org/>

Home - Lucky Duck Foundation

About Us. The Lucky Duck Foundation's mission since 2017 has been to alleviate the suffering of San Diego County's homeless population. LDF has directed millions of dollars to fund bridge shelters, employment programs, transportation, community care kits, meals and other critical services for the homeless.

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