From: Renny Gleeson

To: <u>Council Clerk – Testimony</u>

Subject: Testimony for Proposed Resolution 899-903 **Date:** Wednesday, October 26, 2022 4:25:47 PM

To whom it may concern:

Please end camping now: end the ongoing illegal camping in public areas. The walkways and green spaces in my neighborhood are awash in trash, human waste, and a variety of hazards. The elderly are forced to navigate into the streets to get past tents, and our children are afraid to go out because they are screamed at and threatened. An illegal encampent less than 80 feet from my front door went up in flames after a knife fight, destroying private property and requiring fire department, police response and gas company teams to protect damaged gas lines. Please please please support the proposed resolutions (899-903) to save lives, restore safety and clean up our city. This is long overdue. Thank you.

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