

Cheryl Graves Portland resident

I am here today to talk about YES! My Life Matters, The Homeless Cure and how I plan to socially and financially support this 400-acre lifestyle farm.

But before I begin, I would like to call attention to the importance of this plan. This plan has the capability to house and rehabilitate over 7000 homeless and underachievers in the first 5 years. The only worthy plan out there is the Harbor of Hope and they can hold up to 100 per night and up to 300 over 1 year, that 1500 compared to this plan 7000. There are over 38,000 homeless, no matter how many millions is spent to add more structures it will not keep up with the increase in homeless let alone the existing 38,000. The Harbor of Hope and you the city should adopt this plan so that we can be assured to end homelessness and not just provide another shelter, but rehabilitation as well.

As I have mentioned before, I am looking for just the right groups or individuals to lead and support, to put an end to Portland's Homeless Crisis.

We plan to fund this project through:

- Business Partners
- Non-profits
- Individuals, like Portland residents
- Philanthropist, foundations

and

- Portland's Homeless Challenge, The Homeless Cure, fund raising efforts
1. The business partners can open satellite stores within the village, offering on-the-job-training in personal and trade skills. These newly gained trade skills will become a part of the villager's employment resume.
  2. The non-profits will move their location to the YES! Campus continuing their efforts directly to the villagers. Our group, YES! Will join the existing non-profits, thus gaining strength in numbers as well as passion.
  3. Individuals can join our mission by way of financial contribution, volunteer and employment positions.
  4. Philanthropist, foundations, and people who are passionate about helping people in need. Fund raise and donations.

And last

5. Portland's Homeless Challenge. The Challenge Groups consist of everyone who works, lives or plays in the downtown. These groups will be asked to contact and gather their brothers and sisters to join the walk against homelessness.

Presently we are partnering with marijuana dispensaries and are waging a war AGAINST opioid addiction.

Now, how can the government help?

I ask that you suspend your present efforts from homeless, saving millions, and shift these dollars to mental health and addiction.

By separating the mentally ill and addicted from the general population of homeless, we can address the homeless issues by way of the YES! My Life Matters Village and Farm Rehabilitation Campus.

Also, I ask you, the government help us find the 400 acres it will take to see this fail-proof plan come to life.

Please take this message and my 6 other presentations into consideration while planning your 2020-21 projects, contacts and budgets.

Thank you,

Cheryl Graves

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Good Morning Karla,

Hope you had a wonderful holiday, and just around the corner is Christmas, yikes! I'm going to pretend I did not just say that.

Back to business, I am hoping there is a space available for me on your February Wednesday AM for my monthly presentation, thanks.

Have a great day and I will see you on December 11<sup>th</sup> at 9:30.

Cheryl Graves  
YES! My Life Matters

Meeting Feb 2020          sent Dec 1

I am here today to talk about the YES! My Life Matters 400-acre lifestyle farm and how I plan to socially and financially support the projects.

As I have mentioned before, I am looking for just the right group or individual to fully commit and invest in this plan- leaving myself as the assistant project manager.

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2. Non-profits
3. Individuals, like Portland residents
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4. Philanthropist, foundations, and people who are passionate about helping people in need. Fund raise, fund raise and more fundraise.

and

5. Portland's Homeless Challenge. We are sending invitations to challenge the following groups. These groups will be asked to contact and gather their brothers and sisters to join the walk against homelessness. Each group will receive a plaque of participation and be listed as their specific group's partnership, the top three groups will receive a special honors art piece with plaque within the village property.

The Challenge Groups consist of:

Portland Businesses

Portland Coffee Shops

Portland Restaurants and hotels

Portland Athletics

Portland Medical Facilities

Portland Addiction Facilities

Portland non-profits

Portland Churches and congregations

Art Galleries and bookstores

Portland retail outlets

Portland Marijuana dispensaries. Presently we are partnering with marijuana dispensaries and are waging a war AGAINST opioid addiction.

The goal is to raise 3 million dollars in the year 2020.

Now, how can the government help.

I ask that you suspend your efforts and money from the homeless and shift over to Mental health and addiction.

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I ask the government to provide the 400 acres to see this fail-proof plan exist.

Please take this message and my 6 other presentations into consideration while planning your 2020 projects and budgets.

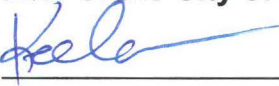
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Request of Cheryl Graves to address Council regarding YES! My Life Matters  
400 acre lifestyle farm (Communication)

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