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While I am sympathetic to those citizens who do not have a permanent place to reside, I can see that this measure will cause more problems than it will fix. What will be done to ensure that adequate sanitation will be provided? Who will pick up the garbage? This measure will make our parks an unsafe place for our children to play. It will encourage the criminal element among this group to take advantage of the system. We need a solution to this problem, but it would be better to concentrate our efforts on providing permanent housing for those truly in need.