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I do not agree with decriminalizing camping in public places to aid in people experiencing homelessness continuing to reside on sidewalks and in parks. Public places such as these are meant to be just that: for public use. When someone takes up a permanent residence it no longer is available for use. There are reasonable rules for all parks in our area that all people have to follow, and I don't see why this reasonable rule should not also be enforced.

Thank you. Kelsey Vasnik