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It would be wonderful to take my grand children to the park without fear they will not step on condoms or human feces' or be subjected to the rants of someone that is high or in need of money. The last time we were there, a young man overdosed and had to be brought back to life, parks are no longer for children to play. No one feels safe in many parts of the city, city walk ways or going to the store at night for fear your car will be broken into or car parts removed. Many parts of the community look like a third world county with trash piled and junk thrown around like it was a dump. I would like to see a solution where homeless people get the help they need, with the whatever is causing them to be homeless and not enabling this continuing degrading situation.