

I am writing because I am gravely concerned about the eviction moratorium ending on 12/31. As you know the crisis of the pandemic has not ended, if only thing it will worsen in the coming months. Our city and state was already in a state of crisis regarding homelessness prior to the pandemic and it will only worsen following it if we don't take the necessary steps now. Extending the eviction moratorium is one such step. By extending it, we will be standing up for our neighbors, grandparents, and children.

As someone who has worked for years in housing and homelessness services, I have seen firsthand the impacts evictions have on families and communities. It is destabilizing and debilitating. It impacts children's ability to learn and develop. Stable housing is foundational and extending the eviction moratorium will help to keep a solid foundation for so many in our community.

Sincerely,

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