

Submitter: NW Coastal Range

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Housing and Homelessness

Measure: HB2001

HB 2001 HOUSE COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND HOMELESSNESS

In part HB 2001: "...no later than September 15, 2024."

Wow amazing not one legislator realizes that Oregon has had this Study Housing legislation every year for several years. KEEP KICKING THE CAN DOWN THE ROAD, APPARENTLY, no legislative ability to stick your neck out eh? STOP acting coy. Keeping people in their homes or rentals IS IMPORTANT. With the legislature spinning its wheels in Oregon's spring mud will not accomplish a damn thing with another study on housing.

Wholeheartedly disagree that homeless DESERVE (not my words but the word of homeless) free rent, free food/sundries, or propped up with cash assistance.

Portland and Oregon in general expect taxpayers to go along with propping up of the homeless community indefinitely? Seems that that is the direction politicians, state-county-city are going. When money was short our family worked even harder to keep a roof over our heads and food on the table.

In the great depression era there was no government assistance, homeless and jobless lived in camps outside the city proper and tried to improve their lives by moving about America to find some kind of work, even if it was labor traded for room and board.

The WOKE agenda is all about coddling adults instead of letting them be to figure it out on their own terms. To accept any free-handout from government is allowing the government into any and all facets of your life. It is not the nation or the state's business, but it does not stop government from delving into citizens finances, health, skills, Apparently citizens are willing to give up their privacy, autonomy, and sovereignty for FREE stuff where they do not have to take responsibility for themselves.

THE WOKE AGENDA IN OREGON MUST END. Think with your best logic legislators, if the state, county, or city said: "Show up this Saturday for a free \$100 fiat note."

Public servants would be overwhelmed with people showing up to collect, hardly ever experienced any person turning down 'free', go figure.