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The right to rest bill will not solve the crisis we're in, it will only make it worse. The citizens of Oregon are tired of the lack of rights for the housed. In the last 6 months, I have been chased and yelled at by the houseless man that lives on our block. I've tried to help get him support, he doesn't want it. He thinks the government is crooked and wants to live on the street not caring about the destruction to neighboring properties and the disease he's spreading by using our yards for his personal bathroom.

I can have to pay water/sewer and trash service and can be fined if I don't pick up after my dog, fix my sidewalk, register mt alarm, etc. however this man can poop and leave his trash without any consequences and now we want to pass a right to rest bill.

What about my rights to rest safely or walk safely in my neighborhood?

Start addressing the mental health, drug epidemic and getting people off of the street and stop the enabling behaviors and enforces the consequences of poor decision making.