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This bill will do nothing to combat the problem of public camping already rampant in Portland. The current laws are not enforced to begin with, making this bill pointless - basically making something that's defacto illegal and a huge problem enshrined in law. This bill doesn't even have a plan to address the amount of homelessness. Tthere's so much money already doing NOTHING to fight the problem. No one wants more camps, no one wants a shanty town in their neighborhood. Turning the whole city into a homeless camp isn't the answer - and will lead to more people leaving and further reduced tax income.