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NO NO NO NO NO ... Is Oregon trying to become a beacon for every other state to send their homeless? Business are leaving the downtown areas en-masse and downtown Portland has changed so much in the last 5 years. There is an increase in drug related crimes, property crimes, and there is no end in sight if we let the homeless set up camp in any public space. Where's the rehabilitation, rehousing, and attempts to get these folks into self-sustaining jobs. Our state cannot handle being the welfare state of the country. We're turning into the west coast haven and I'm sick of my taxes subsidizing out of state folks being sent here.