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Homelessness brings drugs, crime, pollution and unsafe living conditions. Let's stop enabling the homeless community to commit crimes. We need to hold people accountable and set rules. Every single night the UGM in Salem has beds available, yet homeless individuals will set up a camp 100 feet from the front doors. These camps become overrun with trash, human urine and feces and are completely unsafe for not only the homeless individuals but also the tax paying community. Oregon has seen a massive uptick in homeless individuals from other states because of policy such as this. Please don't add fuel to the fire and continue to run this state into the ground by encouraging this type of behavior.