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Committee: House Committee On Housing and Homelessness

Measure: HB3501

I vehemently oppose HB 3501. We need to keep public spaces clean and safe. I personally will not support continued funding of parks if they become campsites. To allow the homeless to sue anyone for asking them to leave, is idiotic and will only attract more people who cannot or will not contribute care, respect and taxes to maintain public and open spaces. It is the wrong plan. The wrong idea.

This is absolutely a bad idea.

Do we not want law abiding citizens living here, and to have safe, clean open spaces?

Do we not want Oregon to be beautiful anymore?

How about Public Works programs if you want to throw money at the problem. That, and keep criminals off the streets, including so called petty crimes. Teach respect for oneself, others and others' property in schools. Teach living skills in school.

Require accountability to those receiving benefits.

I absolutely insist NO! We can do better.