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HB 3644 is the latest example of how our arrogant and out-of-touch "homeless advocate" governor and legislators are (behind the scenes) teaming up with venture capitalists and private equity to gut Oregon's statewide land use planning program while pretending that CCOs and Blackstone-backed "non-profits" are the correct institutions for taking care of Oregon's homelessness problems.

How much have Kotek and Gamba received from development interests? By my latest count, \$20 million for Tina and \$5 million for Gamba.

Who was responsible for the devastating Almeda fire in 2020 that wiped out half the cities of Phoenix and Talent and 2500 (mostly affordable) housing units? That would be Pam Marsh. Her bullying of state and local officials to "go along" with her insane homelessness policies on the Bear Creek Greenway lead to 220 fires on the Greenway THAT YEAR.

Why are we doubling, and tripling down on such ineptitude? Oregon's democrats are delusional if they think Kotek, Marsh, Gamba, et al are leading this issue in the right direction.