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Dear Members of the City Council,

I urge you to vote no on the referral of this referendum and vote "yes" to approve the resolution.

We are in desperate need of housing for our most vulnerable population. This proposal is solid. Any issues that are causing concerns, can be dealt with as the program moves forward, just like any new endeavor!

We know that if we continue to do nothing, then nothing will happen, aside from an expanded homeless population. Think about that! Is that something we want for our community?

Here are some points that I think are worth considering:

This is not forced on ANY landlords and they can choose to participate or not - we shouldn't be deciding for the landlords if they are willing to do this - the landlords can decide that on their own and if it truly is not enough money they will choose not to participate.

The language of "roughly" being in the resolution is important because these are 5 totally different people in 5 different rentals - you cannot assume that any of them are going to need the same level of check ins. Maybe one of them needs it once a week, maybe another needs it once a month - we shouldn't be micromanaging the caseworkers when they know best what is needed for these people they have built relationships with.

To the idea that this population damages property - this is a huge stereotype that is thrown on to those that have experienced homelessness and damage to a property can come from ANY population, rich or poor. This is not a reason to stop this program from moving forward.

Thank you for your consideration of this critical matter.

Sincerely, Kim Cable