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I am writing in support of Resolution 25-0682 – Housing Access for All. There are so many barriers for folks who are experiencing homelessness and this resolution would reduce some of those barriers. I work with Pathways and this would fit in line with our mission and goals.

I would also like to express my opposition of Resolution 25-0723 – \$115,000 for Park Security. There have already been multiple ordinances passed that criminalize homelessness. This is another step down that path. Park security is unnecessary and the money would be better spent providing services for people who are struggling.

A lack of affordable housing is the root cause of homelessness. We need to recognize that this is a systemic problem and the folks that are suffering the most are not the ones to blame. We need to work towards long-term goals to increase affordable housing and not work from a place of fear. Resolution 25-0682 is a step in the right direction and Resolution 25-0723 is a few steps in the wrong direction.

Thank you for your time.

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