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As a renter in Milwaukie, I am very concerned that people are being forced out of their homes because of extreme rent increases. At my apartment complex, standard increase now seems to be 7.5%, while some have been smacked with 10.5%. The attitude of owners seems to be that they deserve a raise, even if no enhancements have been done to my unit. I am not poor. But my Social Security dribbled in only a few more dollars this past year. We are in a housing crisis and tenants need to have some sense of security when they rent. Thank you.