

What about the rights of the rest of us who would like to use a public space like a park to take our children to and not be forced to dodge all the tents encroaching onto the walkways, or not be forced to watch open-air drug-use with our children. The trash, used drug needles and broken glass are a biohazard you are forcing us to live with, can we sue the city and state when we are harassed or attacked in public spaces? Enough is enough, you are taking Oregon down a very dark path and encouraging other cities and states to export their homeless issues to Oregon to take advantage of our ever-increasing social services (<https://www.ktvq.com/news/local-news/bus-therapy-homeless-man-claims-in-video-he-was-given-bus-fair-from-billings-to-portland>). And to pay for this, you continue piling on new taxes, measures and bonds that are sucking people dry and forcing tax paying citizens to move out of state, case and point: <https://www.opb.org/article/2023/01/05/think-out-loud-oregon-population-decline-is-cause-for-concern-economists-say/>. I'm begging you to use common sense and not support this bill.