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This proposed law would remove some of the few remaining tools to deal with destruction and takeovers of public property. Homeless camps are often dumping grounds for human waste, garbage, stolen items, etc. One recently started a forest fire in my town and the camp members just abandoned it after the fire got out of control and didn't report it. The proposed law would just give the homeless camps more reasons to exist at the expense of public safety.