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I am a Portland resident and I oppose the change to our Constitution. Allowing the State to take the control from the city and county is not what is affordable. This is giving the state more control and creating more jobs for life long careers in government on the expense of "We the People" and this will only harm us more. We have already become the test tube baby for measure 110 that has totally failed we the people. As we are watching our whole city and state decline as well as friends, family and our community die all around us, but this failure is what has caused public safety to no longer exist for we the people. Your mismanagement of the tax money already taken from those of us that work, own businesses or property is not the answer to taking more money from us to fix the problem that you have already failed to do with the current funds. More money will not solve the problem of your mismanagement and abuse of the funds. Try being creative by reinventing and hold each other accountable for your own failures with the monies you already have. Just like a business if we cant figure it out with what we have then we have to retry again, no one is going to just hand us money to keep failling. Our high cost of inflation is already driving us into poverty and our cost of living is declining as it is.