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From: Jan Dolan <jmdolan9670@icloud.com>
Sent: Saturday, July 29, 2023 5:29 PM
To: Mayor Staff; Grp. City Council and City Web Site
Subject: Homelessness...so much more than housing

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From: Jan Dolan <jmdolan9670@icloud.com>
Sent: Saturday, July 29, 2023 5:27 PM
To: Grp. City Council and City Web Site
Subject: NYTimes: Fighting for Anthony: The Struggle to Save Portland, Oregon

Sound familiar?

<https://www.nytimes.com/2023/07/29/us/portland-oregon-fentanyl-homeless.html?smid=nytcore-ios-share&referringSource=articleShare>
Fighting for Anthony: The Struggle to Save Portland, Oregon

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From: Jack Ridley <jridleybs@gmail.com>
Sent: Saturday, July 29, 2023 12:47 PM
To: Grp. City Council and City Web Site

This is in regard to the homeless shelter on Johnson Street. As a homeowner in the area I truly believe that you are doing me and my neighbors a very big disservice. You tell us our property is worth more and you tax us more and then put a homeless shelter in our neighborhood which truly lowers our property value. We have to deal with the people, trash, drugs and alcohol and drug paraphernalia, needles, theft and begging. Alleys and public areas with human waste and garbage.

With all this you raise my taxes and force me to help pay for it. You wonder why there keeps being more people to take care of. Have you ever heard "build it and they will come"? It's true!!!!

I believe that you all should start thinking about and doing something for the hard working people, the property owners and the elderly who have built and supported this city and not so much on the people who live off the system and expect all of us to pay for it.

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From: thomas fullerton <stanfullerton@msn.com>
Sent: Saturday, July 29, 2023 9:01 AM
To: Grp. City Council and City Web Site
Subject: Johnson shelter year-round NO!!

Council,

Whole point of the shelter in winter was to keep people inside, have a meal & place to clean-up---that's it. A place to be out of elements. I've often wondered what kind of thinking is involved on part of a street person to even hang around Montana in the winter? Not like cold weather unheard of every year.

Now you want to make this shelter year round?? No way---all you are doing is further enabling people to not motivate themselves; plus moving crime, assaults, drug use, ect to the established residential people in that area.

I can see the surrounding neighborhood in this vicinity over the years has started to blossom, new apartments, small houses for young families. Guess what this move will cause---more neighborhood decay reversing positive gains.

From what I can tell---you folks are bound & determined to turn this place into another Portland, Oregon. Better start reading the tea leaves of what the majority of Missoula people think about this constant pandering to this mostly out of state crowd of drifters.

Stan Fullerton---Msla