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Subject: Sanctioned encampments

Hello,

I understand May 3rd council will be voting on sanctioned encampments.

This is an absolute horrible way for the city to support those experiencing homelessness.

Hamilton prides itself on being a great place to raise a family. Our parks are for child and families to play together, not makeshift housing options.

This would also increase the likelihood of other cities sending people who are homeless to Hamilton. The last thing we need is an influx of people requiring supports that we don't have.

I support creative solutions to support those who are homeless but **leave our parks alone!!**

Please vote no.

Many thanks,
Brooke Beney

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