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- **1.** NA
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- 3. (o) Richmond Highlands
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- Hello, How can a homeless shelter be considered in a place less than a mile from a school? And surrounded by residential houses who have kids ranging from infants to toddlers? During this season of covid we are already seeing Drug exchange and lots of suspicious activity around Richmond highland park. Instead of addressing this is the city planning to exaggerate it by allowing homeless shelter in the vicinity? Could you let us know what security measures were planned for this proposal? We moved from Seattle to Shoreline to avoid this exact problem. We could hear howlers at night, syringes all over the place, weed smell etc. Is Shoreline planning to be another Seattle?

How can providing a homeless shelter address the issue? Wouldn't it entice others on the verge to Opt to become homeless? This seems to be a proposal more out of compassion and nothing else. If you are really serious about the issue, address it by providing jobs to the homeless and help them make a living. Not by creating a shelter For free and encouraging them to continue all the activities and endangering the residents around.

We live in Richmond Highlands and pay the same tax as that of Innis Arden. Why not consider Innis Arden? Has that thought even come across. Quite a few restaurants have shut down around that place leading to Innis Arden. Can that be considered? As I said, the proposal itself is void and something more worthwhile to be considered to make their life better.

We moved here for a better life. Please do not do this. We expect our children to grow up in a safe neighbor hood and not in one where we need to constantly worry about safety.

Thank you.

8. (o) Oppose

Thank you,

City of Shoreline

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