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I am starting a social media campaign to make sure other business do not make the huge mistake like I did by moving their entire business from another city to Tacoma, especially now with the new business license increase what a F@&^%$ joke and slap in the face. My new 2023 fees to do business in this joke of a city will be $1500.00 and $2000.00 in 2024
My city of Seattle license is only $132.00 for 2023.Can someone please tell me what the hell are the businesses in the city of Tacoma going to be getting with these higher license fees???????

Best Regards
Mike Madden
Owner/Sales Manager
MP Industrial
A girl parked in her car outside the shop here just now and nodded off on opiates for like an hour and a half, with her foot on the brakes the whole time. After some time I noticed on the cameras, her car going in reverse towards our concrete building at a high rate of speed, and wouldn’t you know it, she crashed her car into the building HARD. Like the car is likely totaled hard! If there had been someone out there, they would’ve been killed! Victoria Bullshit! It’s up for you to take some initiative here, and step the fuck up and fix this shit. Innocent tax-paying people are going to get hurt! We did not choose this lifestyle!
Text this number: 253-260-2380 it’s the homeless outreach guy, he’s been responding to me about having some more attention here on S proctor, to drive out the remaining RVs in our no camping zone. I can’t remember his name lol

Matt

Also, did you hear that Seattle police department DEFUNDED AN ADDITIONAL 80 POLICE OFFICERS???

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Can I ask the City of Tacoma people attached how many times a camper has to be called in prior to movement happening?

This is 1 block from the 69th Street little homes on 69th and Adams. There are other cars parked close by as well. This camper has cameras installed around his perimeter as well.

It’s been called in to 311 for well over a year probably 200 times.

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The businesses paying the bulk of your taxes and bills are getting 500% increases on their annual business license, while it costs the City of Tacoma no more for that license than others?

Does the City hate the businesses that do business here? It appears the Council is trying to push businesses out of town. It’s hard not to consider moving our corporate operations to a more business friendly town. Is this the council’s goal?

According to your chart a business that does $5,000,001.00 in business will pay $1,500 in Business license fees. Is the $515,000.00 Tacoma receive in Sales Tax from those sales not enough to feed your thirst to spend money? You need an extra $1500 to be whole?

Do the Math, these companies are the ones paying your bills, nickel and dime taxes add up to a fortune year over year and you can’t just continue to increase fees everywhere.

Tacoma City Light and Tacoma water have roughly hit us with a 15% increase to cover costs. I’d suggest if you’d like to increase fees, you look at that type of an increase.

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James

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If my boss would allow, I would have already gone over there myself. Supposedly, an officer is being dispatched to my location. I’m waiting to see what happens.

James

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If you would like assistance in retrieving your stolen items, as it has become more than obvious over the previous 2 years the City Council does not care about our plight, I’m sure we could arrange a group of volunteers to help you in that endeavor.

We will also need to have some sort of emergency meeting regarding the dangerous, open-air drug encampment that has overwhelmed the medians on the Union Street Flyover from South Tacoma Way just past 38th street. There have been young children reported roaming around unsupervised in that encampment, a multitude of stolen cars, obvious and unabated drug trafficking, and now they had their first shooting there this week. It will not be the last, and eventually an innocent person driving or walking by or someone from the neighboring businesses is going to get seriously injured or killed.

The City Council may think this is perfectly acceptable. I for one do not.
Ya know, I always try to keep a positive outlook. My business has been broken into many times and tens of thousands of dollars’ worth of items have been vandalized and/or stolen. Today was especially annoying because when I reported last night’s break in and was told an officer would be dispatched to my location, I waited for many hours before calling back to be told to keep waiting. After calling back many times hour after hour, and waiting for 12 hours still not fixing the damaged property waiting for the police, I’m now told to secure my building and call back tomorrow.

Some details: I have the thief on multiple security cameras breaking in, damaging property, and stealing items. Oh ya maybe I should include walking from the homeless encampment on the street in front of my building and walking back to his trash pile with my items. The stolen property is still in plain sight.
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The status quo! We get to fund our own demise. Isn’t that exciting! But the pension fund, which rivals the general fund in scope and size, is all funded! Whew! What a relief! And don’t worry, the City economics guy assured us their spending will continue to increase even though their revenues continue to decrease. That’s their continual model! Just like we run our businesses, am I right?

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Why is a blind eye being turned ???? because all you city officials only care about is your VOTE
I am starting a social media campaign to make sure other business do not make the huge mistake like I did by moving their entire business from another city to Tacoma, especially now with the new business license increase what a F1@&*$%$ joke and slap in the face. My new 2023 fees to do business in this joke of a city will be $1500.00 and $2000.00 in 2024
My city of Seattle license is only $132.00 for 2023.Can someone please tell me what the hell are the businesses in the city of Tacoma going to be getting with these higher license fees???????
killed! Victoria Bullshit! It's up for you to take some initiative here, and step the fuck up and fix this shit. Innocent tax-paying people are going to get hurt! We did not choose this lifestyle!

Matt

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Sent: Thursday, December 1, 2022 10:23 AM
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Text this number: 253-260-2380 it's the homeless outreach guy, he's been responding to me about having some more attention here on S proctor, to drive out the remaining RVs in our no camping zone. I can't remember his name lol

Matt

Also, did you hear that Seattle police department DEFUNDED AN ADDITIONAL 80 POLICE OFFICERS???

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Can I ask the City of Tacoma people attached how many times a camper has to be called in prior to movement happening?

This is 1 block from the 69th Street little homes on 69th and Adams.

There are other cars parked close by as well. This camper has cameras installed around his perimeter as well.

It's been called in to 311 for well over a year probably 200 times.
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Sent: Monday, October 31, 2022 2:25 PM  
To: Michael Johnson <Michael@polybagllc.com>; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council <info@tacomabusinesscouncil.com>  
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Subject: Business License

Council,

Is this chart for real? How many of the council members have owned businesses?

The businesses paying the bulk of your taxes and bills are getting 500% increases on their annual business license, while it costs the City of Tacoma no more for that license than others?

Does the City hate the businesses that do business here? It appears the Council is trying to push businesses out of town. It’s hard not to consider moving our corporate operations to a more business friendly town. Is this the councils goal?

According to your chart a business that does $5,000,001.00 in business will pay $1,500 in Business license fees. Is the $515,000.00 Tacoma receive in Sales Tax from those sales not enough to feed your thirst to spend money? You need an extra $1500 to be whole?

Do the Math, these companies are the ones paying your bills, nickel and dime taxes add up to a fortune year over year and you can’t just continue to increase fees everywhere.

Tacoma City Light and Tacoma water have roughly hit us with a 15% increase to cover costs. I’d suggest if you’d like to increase fees, you look at that type of an increase.

Tacoma has a spending problem that can’t be subsidized by the businesses that pay the bills. Figure out your budget with funds that exist or cut unneeded salaries and expenses. This is just one more slap in the face to the businesses in this town.
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This level of vitriol and defamation is completely uncalled for. These activist groups do not care about the people living in squalor and blight while battling the demons of addiction and mental illness. Many of whom are continuously victimized by the criminal elements running the drug encampments. We know for a fact that everything from human trafficking to chop shops to drug manufacturing and distribution is the norm in these camps. And they are driving the rampant crime and violence plaguing our communities and costing our Small Business sector hundreds of thousands of dollars in losses. Not to mention the environmental damage these camps are causing which has been well documented. This has nothing to do with homelessness. This does not criminalize homelessness. This addresses a long overdue need to protect the people in the encampments and get them the help and services they need but may be unwilling or unable to accept. These activist groups know this. But these people are just fodder to them. A means to an end.

The council members who supported and passed this ban should be commended for their courage to do so. Those who rejected it and are beholden to the activists corruptly using this issue to push a hard left socialist agenda without thought or care for the collateral damage afflicted on the encampment residents and our Community as a whole should be ashamed of themselves.

And if I was Angela Connelly, I would sue them into oblivion for this vicious and uncalled for and completely unfounded personal attack.
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Subject: RE: Illegal Camping

If my boss would allow, I would have already gone over there myself. Supposedly, an officer is being dispatched to my location. I’m waiting to see what happens.

James

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Sent: Friday, December 9, 2022 8:06 AM
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The City Council may think this is perfectly acceptable. I for one do not.

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From: Matlock, James <James.Matlock@PLATT.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 8, 2022 6:48 PM
To: Michael Johnson <Michael@polybagllc.com>; Mike Madden <mike@mpindustrial.com>; Matt Theinert <m.theinert@deltatooling.com>; Mark Andrews <mark@addisonsupply.com>; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council <info@tacomabusinesscouncil.com>
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Ya know, I always try to keep a positive outlook. My business has been broken into many times and tens of thousands of dollars’ worth of items have been vandalized and/or stolen. Today was especially annoying because when I reported last nights break in and was told an officer would be dispatched to my location, I waited for many hours before calling back to be told to keep waiting. After calling back many times hour after hour, and waiting for 12 hours still not fixing the damaged property waiting for the police, I’m now told to secure my building and call back tomorrow.

Some details: I have the thief on multiple security cameras breaking in, damaging property, and steeling items. Oh ya maybe I should include walking from the homeless encampment on the street in front of my building and walking back to his trash pile with my items. The stolen property is still in plain sight.

James Matlock
1SG, USA (Ret)
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The status quo! We get to fund our own demise. Isn’t that exciting! But the pension fund, which rivals the general fund in scope and size, is all funded! Whew! What a relief! And don’t worry, the City economics guy assured us their spending will continue to increase even though their revenues continue to decrease. That’s their continuous model! Just like we run our businesses, am I right?

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Why is a blind eye being turned ???? because all you city officials only care about is your VOTE
I am starting a social media campaign to make sure other business do not make the huge mistake like I did by moving their entire business from another city to Tacoma, especially now with the new business license increase what a F!@&^%$ joke and slap in the face. My new 2023 fees to do business in this joke of a city will be $1500.00 and $2000.00 in 2024
My city of Seattle license is only $132.00 for 2023.Can someone please tell me what the hell are the businesses in the city of Tacoma going to be getting with these higher license fees??????

Best Regards
Mike Madden
Owner/Sales Manager
MP Industrial
Aerospace and Manufacturing Solutions
From: Matt Theinert <m.theinert@deltatooling.com>
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A girl parked in her car outside the shop here just now and nodded off on opiates for like an hour and a half, with her foot on the brakes the whole time. After some time I noticed on the cameras, her car going in reverse towards our concrete building at a high rate of speed, and wouldn’t you know it, she crashed her car into the building HARD. Like the car is likely totaled hard! If there had been someone out there, they would’ve been killed! Victoria Bullshit! It’s up for you to take some initiative here, and step the fuck up and fix this shit. Innocent tax-paying people are going to get hurt! We did not choose this lifestyle!

Matt

Sent from Mail for Windows

From: Matt Theinert
Sent: Thursday, December 1, 2022 2:23 AM
To: Mark Andrews; Michael Johnson; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council
Cc: CReal@cityoftacoma.org; victoria.woodards@cityoftacoma.org; keith.blocker@cityoftacoma.org; john.hines@cityoftacoma.org; hcampbell2@cityoftacoma.org; dean@simmonsauto.com; fish; Rbrown@lifeforceservicesinc.com; John Hines; city manager; Allyson Griffith; Heidi S.; catherine; Claire Goodwin; info@2ravensstudio.com; dustin; Mike Givens; Sophia McKee; John F. Pugh; Joelle Siebert; Grace Yarber; armormark3@sbcglobal.net; Dennis Nyland; allison b; Maureen Fife; Adam Gehrke; ed; T and T Tire Point S Auto Service Ed Tuck III; jones@kiro7.com; mike@mpindustrial.com; Justin Williams; David@g13fox.com; Chrissy Mady; info@tacomabusinesscouncil.com; Chris Hamilton; james.matlock@platt.com; matt@drcveneering.com; Rock, Brittany; william.g.rupert@usps.gov; Karen Rich (krich0093@gmail.com); BRIAN ARNOLD INS AGENCY-Brian; Asia Pacific Cultural Center/LUA; BRISTOW'S AUTO REPAIR-Pete; Josh Harris
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Text this number: 253-260-2380  it’s the homeless outreach guy, he’s been responding to me about having some more attention here on S proctor, to drive out the remaining RVs in our no camping zone. I can’t remember his name lol

Matt

Also, did you hear that Seattle police department DEFUNDED AN ADDITIONAL 80 POLICE OFFICERS???

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**Sent:** Wednesday, November 30, 2022 3:21 PM  
**To:** Michael Johnson; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council  
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Can I ask the City of Tacoma people attached how many times a camper has to be called in prior to movement happening?

This is 1 block from the 69th Street little homes on 69th and Adams.

There are other cars parked close by as well. This camper has cameras installed around his perimeter as well.

It's been called in to 311 for well over a year probably 200 times.

Sincerely,  
Addison Construction Supply, Inc.  
Serving the NW since 1977
Council,

Is this chart for real?  How many of the council members have owned businesses?

The businesses paying the bulk of your taxes and bills are getting 500% increases on their annual business license, while it costs the City of Tacoma no more for that license than others?

Does the City hate the businesses that do business here?  It appears the Council is trying to push businesses out of town.  It’s hard not to consider moving our corporate operations to a more business friendly town.  Is this the councils goal?

According to your chart a business that does $5,000,001.00 in business will pay $1,500 in Business license fees.  Is the $515,000.00 Tacoma receive in Sales Tax from those sales not enough to feed your thirst to spend money?  You need an extra $1500 to be whole?

Do the Math, these companies are the ones paying your bills, nickel and dime taxes add up to a fortune year over year and you can’t just continue to increase fees everywhere.

Tacoma City Light and Tacoma water have roughly hit us with a 15% increase to cover costs.  I’d suggest if you’d like to increase fees, you look at that type of an increase.

Tacoma has a spending problem that can’t be subsidized by the businesses that pay the bills.  Figure out your budget with funds that exist or cut unneeded salaries and expenses.  This is just one more slap in the face to the businesses in this town.

Sincerely,

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This level of vitriol and defamation is completely uncalled for. These activist groups do not care about the people living in squalor and blight while battling the demons of addiction and mental illness. Many of whom are continuously victimized by the criminal elements running the drug encampments. We know for a fact that everything from human trafficking to chop shops to drug manufacturing and distribution is the norm in these camps. And they are driving the rampant crime and violence plaguing our communities and costing our Small Business sector hundreds of thousands of dollars in losses. Not to mention the environmental damage these camps are causing which has been well documented. This has nothing to do with homelessness. This does not criminalize homelessness. This addresses a long overdue need to protect the people in the encampments and get them the help and services they need but may be unwilling or unable to accept. These activist groups know this. But these people are just fodder to them. A means to an end.

The council members who supported and passed this ban should be commended for their courage to do so. Those who rejected it and are beholden to the activists corruptly using this issue to push a hard left socialist agenda without thought or care for the collateral damage afflicted on the encampment residents and our Community as a whole should be ashamed of themselves.

And if I was Angela Connelly, I would sue them into oblivion for this vicious and uncalled for and completely unfounded personal attack.

Michael J Johnson
South Tacoma Business District
Board of Directors
Funny how that works. Storm runoff? Bad! Raw sewage and residual, caustic chemicals and fluids from drug manufacturing and chopping stolen cars? Good!

That makes perfect sense. In Tacoma.

That shouldn’t affect our drinking water quality and cancer rates for any more than several decades. Nothing to see here. Move along people.

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Subject: RE: Illegal Camping

I had to put in a $600k water collection pond so the wastewater from the building and parking lot didn’t go directly into the water system not but 1-5 blocks from the sewage dumping RV’s that canvas our business district.

Maybe they should have to put in their own collection ponds?

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Please remember, the City Council approved narrative is that the crime and addiction fueled mayhem actively destroying our communities is in no way tied or associated with the drug and human trafficking encampments and derelict RV’s found all over the city. And never mind the irreversible environmental damage these same encampments and RV’s are causing. Reality and facts are not allowed in this conversation. Thank you and carry on.

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Amazing.
Most likely great off the shelf of a Home Depot. Stolen of course.

Mark Andrews
Addison Construction Supply
1-800-474-0711

On Dec 13, 2022, at 4:04 PM, Matt Theinert <m.theinert@deltatooling.com> wrote:

On South Proctor someone attempted to sabotage our parking situation down here. 3 of us from Delta Tooling spent approx. 45 minutes picking up THOUSANDS of nails, that have been scattered over every open place where we park our vehicles on the street and on our property. The attached photo shows a handful of our guy picked up in about 5 minutes time. They were everywhere! There were large piles of nails between all the ecology blocks, and then the entire street was lined with them. Our assumption here is this is a response from one of the rv’s who was forced to move on out of the no camping zone. I have never seen so many nails on the roadway. My honest estimation is we removed about 5000 nails today, from the road and every surface where a vehicle could potentially be parked. Not sure if other open air-drug-market-camps use this tactic too, be on the lookout. About half of them were steel, and half were aluminum, all about 1 to 1.5 inch long.
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The City Council may think this is perfectly acceptable. I for one do not.

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We will be closing at 1:00 pm on Thursday, December 22nd
We will be closed on Friday, December 23rd,
Monday, December 26th, Friday, December 29th,
& Monday, January 2nd 2023.
Have a Safe & Happy Holiday Season!

From: Matlock, James <James.Matlock@PLATT.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 8, 2022 6:48 PM
To: Michael Johnson <Michael@polybagllc.com>; Mike Madden <mike@mpindustrial.com>; Matt Theinert <m.theinert@deltatooling.com>; Mark Andrews <mark@addisonsupply.com>; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org;
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Ya know, I always try to keep a positive outlook. My business has been broken into many times and tens of thousands of dollars’ worth of items have been vandalized and/or stolen. Today was especially annoying because when I reported last nights break in and was told an officer would be dispatched to my location, I waited for many hours before calling back to be told to keep waiting. After calling back many times hour after hour, and waiting for 12 hours still not fixing the damaged property waiting for the police, I’m now told to secure my building and call back tomorrow.

Some details: I have the thief on multiple security cameras breaking in, damaging property, and stealing items. Oh ya maybe I should include walking from the homeless encampment on the street in front of my building and walking back to his trash pile with my items. The stolen property is still in plain sight.

James Matlock
1SG, USA (Ret)
From: Mike Madden <mike@mpindustrial.com>
Sent: Friday, December 2, 2022 7:48 AM
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Subject: RE: Illegal Camping

Why is a blind eye being turned ???? because all you city officials only care about is your VOTE
I am starting a social media campaign to make sure other business do not make the huge mistake like I did by moving their entire business from another city to Tacoma, especially now with the new business license increase what a F!*@&%^$ joke and slap in the face. My new 2023 fees to do business in this joke of a city will be $1500.00 and $2000.00 in 2024
My city of Seattle license is only $132.00 for 2023.Can someone please tell me what the hell are the businesses in the city of Tacoma going to be getting with these higher license fees???????

Best Regards
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From: Matt Theinert <m.theinert@deltatooling.com>
Sent: Thursday, December 1, 2022 4:57 PM
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Matt
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Michael J Johnson
South Tacoma Business District
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Good Morning all-

I am sending this email, because I am concerned with the growth of the encampment located at the McKinley Hill Friends Church (259 E 72nd street) and surrounding private parcels. I have reach out to the HEAL team several times via Tacoma 311 and they have not done anything, claiming that they are on the City right of Way and no shelter beds are available (which I do not believe). Well as always the encampment has expanded beyond the City Right of Way (it was always beyond the city right of way, it’s so small). They are on private church property and property owned by my neighbors. They have been asked to move by property owners but TPD does not come out to aid in trespassing enforcement, so they remain.

There are cars coming and going at all times of the day and night, and property theft has gone up in our neighborhood (I tracked my Amazon package to the encampment because the package with my name and address was on the ground in the encampment with the contents removed). We hear gun shots all night, which is very scary. As you can see in the attached photo’s my daughter’s swing set is less than 20 feet from the encampment, I cannot let her play outside in her own backyard without me being outside and monitoring what she sees or hears.

It’s getting cold outside so they have started setting fires, as you can see in the pictures there is so much debris and trees, an ember could set the entire neighborhood on fire. The trash has started to build up along with shopping carts and other rubble. We have to watch people urinate and defecate, violently argue and fist fight, have mental breakdowns, and shoot up drugs while in our back yard. Why does my 7 year old have to be subjected to this, when her best friend who lives by Point Defiance Zoo doesn’t? THAT IS NOT EQUITABLE.

This is unacceptable, please come clean up this drug encampment. This location should fall within the “buffer zone” or the 10-block distance; as there are several TEMS on Hosmer and Pacific Ave. In addition, they need to be in warming shelters, not behind a residential neighborhood around a campfire. The ordinance’s aim is to prevent people from storing personal belongings and setting up an unsanctioned shelter within 10 blocks of a temporary homeless shelter, and this is exactly what is being done.

Let’s not pick and choose which neighborhoods benefit from the camping ban ordinance. Yes, I live in an underserved community, but I work hard and pay my property taxes like those in North Tacoma. Let’s start showing progress on that equity index, because this is not it. As CM Hines said, “unsanctioned encampments have a negative impact on neighborhoods and can decrease a neighborhood’s willingness to host a shelter.” Secondly, “encampments that are too close to temporary shelters threaten the City’s ability to support shelters effectively.” This is a prime example, and we all know that the Tacoma City Council loves to put shelters on the Eastside. CM Bushnell supported the ordinance, so I’m not sure why he is allowing this encampment to grow and go “unchecked”.

Please come clean up this area and have these individuals move along to some place warm. Also, there are homes being built in that area (construction zone), which have been vandalized. The encampment residents are at risk of being hit by the trees being cut back, it’s not safe at all. I have emailed and texted my Council person Joe Bushnell about this a few times with no response. This area is also a wetland and will start to flood in certain areas as we get more rain another safety issue.

The Drug Encampment covers the following areas:
Please take action on this ASAP, it’s getting out of control and unsafe for the neighborhood. I am really tired of getting the same response from NCS_AMichaelSmith and the HEAL team (attached), it’s time to do something.

Thank you,

Daisha N. Gomillion, MBA (she/her)
This email is not related to any WA state agency/department, etc., this is being sent by a Tacoma taxpaying resident with public safety concerns.
NCS_AMichaelSmith wrote:

The City and the Homeless Engagement and Alternative Liaison Team are aware of this location, and we will continue to offer individuals outreach services and provide cleanup. Under a 9th Circuit Court of Appeals decision, the City must provide adequate shelter space before performing an encampment removal from public property. Currently, The City of Tacoma’s shelter space is significantly constrained. We anticipate bringing on several additional shelter locations soon, which will provide additional capacity to address encampment locations throughout the City. Please continue to use 311 (and 911 when the circumstances are immediate or criminal) to report issues and concerns as we do evaluate that data as we evaluate locations for removal.
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For the record I did not vote for these people! Seattle shitty council can eat a bag of dicks, same for Tacoma Shitty Council. Consider me un-woke!! I do not buy into this bullshit, and will remain strongly opposed, and will talk shit incessantly. These assholes are ruining this area. We are watching our community being stripped apart in order to favor the homeless thieves. There are approx. 4500 homeless IN TACOMA! Shitoria doesn't even respond, you are no leader insufferable bitch! Nor are you a role model, or a person who has earned any sort of respect from me. Perhaps more of these people need pieces of feces thrown on their house and car like is happening to Kshama Sawant in Seattle!

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A girl parked in her car outside the shop here just now and nodded off on opiates for like an hour and a half, with her foot on the brakes the whole time. After some time I noticed on the cameras, her car going in reverse towards our concrete building at a high rate of speed, and wouldn’t you know it, she crashed her car into...
the building HARD. Like the car is likely totaled hard! If there had been someone out there, they would’ve been killed! Victoria Bullshit! It’s up for you to take some initiative here, and step the fuck up and fix this shit. Innocent tax-paying people are going to get hurt! We did not choose this lifestyle!

Matt

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Also, did you hear that Seattle police department DEFUNDED AN ADDITIONAL 80 POLICE OFFICERS???

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Can I ask the City of Tacoma people attached how many times a camper has to be called in prior to movement happening?

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It’s been called in to 311 for well over a year probably 200 times.

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And if I was Angela Connelly, I would sue them into oblivion for this vicious and uncalled for and completely unfounded personal attack.

Michael J Johnson
South Tacoma Business District
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Get a group of 6 or more guys together and go retrieve your stolen items from the camp! We had to do the same thing over here and it worked really well.

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Subject: RE: Illegal Camping

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Why is a blind eye being turned ???? because all you city officials only care about is your VOTE  
I am starting a social media campaign to make sure other business do not make the huge mistake like I did by moving their entire business from another city to Tacoma, especially now with the new business license increase what a F!@&^%$ joke and slap in the face. My new 2023 fees to do business in this joke of a city will be $1500.00 and $2000.00 in 2024  
My city of Seattle license is only $132.00 for 2023.Can someone please tell me what the hell are the businesses in the city of Tacoma going to be getting with these higher license fees??????

Best Regards  
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To: Mark Andrews <mark@addisonsupply.com>; Michael Johnson <Michael@polybagllc.com>; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org;
A girl parked in her car outside the shop here just now and nodded off on opiates for like an hour and a half, with her foot on the brakes the whole time. After some time I noticed on the cameras, her car going in reverse towards our concrete building at a high rate of speed, and wouldn’t you know it, she crashed her car into the building HARD. Like the car is likely totaled hard! If there had been someone out there, they would’ve been killed! Victoria Bullshit! It’s up for you to take some initiative here, and step the fuck up and fix this shit. Innocent tax-paying people are going to get hurt! We did not choose this lifestyle!

Matt

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Sent: Thursday, December 1, 2022 10:23 AM
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Text this number: 253-260-2380 it’s the homeless outreach guy, he’s been responding to me about having some more attention here on S proctor, to drive out the remaining RVs in our no camping zone. I can’t remember his name lol

Matt

Also, did you hear that Seattle police department DEFUNDED AN ADDITIONAL 80 POLICE OFFICERS???

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Can I ask the City of Tacoma people attached how many times a camper has to be called in prior to movement happening?

This is 1 block from the 69th Street little homes on 69th and Adams.

There are other cars parked close by as well. This camper has cameras installed around his perimeter as well.

It’s been called in to 311 for well over a year probably 200 times.

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Ya know, I always try to keep a positive outlook. My business has been broken into many times and tens of thousands of dollars’ worth of items have been vandalized and/or stolen. Today was especially annoying because when I reported last nights break in and was told an officer would be dispatched to my location, I waited for many hours before calling back to be told to keep waiting. After calling back many times hour after hour, and waiting for 12 hours still not fixing the damaged property waiting for the police, I’m now told to secure my building and call back tomorrow.  
Some details: I have the thief on multiple security cameras breaking in, damaging property, and stealing items. Oh ya maybe I should include walking from the homeless encampment on the street in front of my building and walking back to his trash pile with my items. The stolen property is still in plain sight.

James Matlock  
1SG, USA (Ret)
From: Michael Johnson <Michael@polybagllc.com>
Sent: Friday, December 2, 2022 9:05 AM
To: Mike Madden <mike@mpindustrial.com>; Matt Theinert <m.theinert@deltatooling.com>; Mark Andrews <mark@addisonsupply.com>; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council <info@tacomabusinesscouncil.com>
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The status quo! We get to fund our own demise. Isn’t that exciting! But the pension fund, which rivals the general fund in scope and size, is all funded! Whew! What a relief! And don’t worry, the City economics guy assured us their spending will continue to increase even though their revenues continue to decrease. That’s their continuous model! Just like we run our businesses, am I right?

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From: Mike Madden <mike@mpindustrial.com>
Sent: Friday, December 2, 2022 7:48 AM
To: Matt Theinert <m.theinert@deltatooling.com>; Mark Andrews <mark@addisonsupply.com>; Michael Johnson <Michael@polybagllc.com>; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council <info@tacomabusinesscouncil.com>
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Why is a blind eye being turned???? because all you city officials only care about is your VOTE
I am starting a social media campaign to make sure other business do not make the huge mistake like I did by moving their entire business from another city to Tacoma, especially now with the new business license increase what a F!@&^%$ joke and slap in the face. My new 2023 fees to do business in this joke of a city will be $1500.00 and $2000.00 in 2024
My city of Seattle license is only $132.00 for 2023. Can someone please tell me what the hell are the businesses in the city of Tacoma going to be getting with these higher license fees???????

Best Regards
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A girl parked in her car outside the shop here just now and nodded off on opiates for like an hour and a half, with her foot on the brakes the whole time. After some time I noticed on the cameras, her car going in reverse towards our concrete building at a high rate of speed, and wouldn’t you know it, she crashed her car into the building HARD. Like the car is likely totaled hard! If there had been someone out there, they would’ve been killed! Victoria Bullshit! It’s up for you to take some initiative here, and step the fuck up and fix this shit. Innocent tax-paying people are going to get hurt! We did not choose this lifestyle!

Matt
Text this number: 253-260-2380 it’s the homeless outreach guy, he’s been responding to me about having some more attention here on S proctor, to drive out the remaining RVs in our no camping zone. I can’t remember his name lol

Matt

Also, did you hear that Seattle police department DEFUNDED AN ADDITIONAL 80 POLICE OFFICERS???

Sent from Mail for Windows

From: Matt Theinert
Sent: Thursday, December 1, 2022 10:23 AM
To: Mark Andrews; Michael Johnson; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council
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Subject: RE: Illegal Camping

Can I ask the City of Tacoma people attached how many times a camper has to be called in prior to movement happening?

This is 1 block from the 69th Street little homes on 69th and Adams.

There are other cars parked close by as well. This camper has cameras installed around his perimeter as well.

It’s been called in to 311 for well over a year probably 200 times.

Sincerely,
From: Mark Andrews  
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2022 2:25 PM  
To: Michael Johnson <Michael@polybagllc.com>; cityclerk@cityoftacoma.org; Tacoma Business Council <info@tacomabusinesscouncil.com>  
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Subject: Business License  

Council,

Is this chart for real?  How many of the council members have owned businesses?

The businesses paying the bulk of your taxes and bills are getting 500% increases on their annual business license, while it costs the City of Tacoma no more for that license than others?

Does the City hate the businesses that do business here?  It appears the Council is trying to push businesses out of town.  It’s hard not to consider moving our corporate operations to a more business friendly town.  Is this the council’s goal?

According to your chart a business that does $5,000,001.00 in business will pay $1,500 in Business license fees.  Is the $515,000.00 Tacoma receive in Sales Tax from those sales not enough to feed your thirst to spend money?  You need an extra $1500 to be whole?

Do the Math, these companies are the ones paying your bills, nickel and dime taxes add up to a fortune year over year and you can’t just continue to increase fees everywhere.

Tacoma City Light and Tacoma water have roughly hit us with a 15% increase to cover costs.  I’d suggest if you’d like to increase fees, you look at that type of an increase.

Tacoma has a spending problem that can’t be subsidized by the businesses that pay the bills.  Figure out your budget with funds that exist or cut unneeded salaries and expenses.  This is just one more slap in the face to the businesses in this town.
This level of vitriol and defamation is completely uncalled for. These activist groups do not care about the people living in squalor and blight while battling the demons of addiction and mental illness. Many of whom are continuously victimized by the criminal elements running the drug encampments. We know for a fact that everything from human trafficking to chop shops to drug manufacturing and distribution is the norm in these camps. And they are driving the rampant crime and violence plaguing our communities and costing our Small Business sector hundreds of thousands of dollars in losses. Not to mention the environmental damage these camps are causing which has been well documented. This has nothing to do with homelessness. This does not criminalize homelessness. This addresses a long overdue need to protect the people in the encampments and get them the help and services they need but may be unwilling or unable to accept. These activist groups know this. But these people are just fodder to them. A means to an end.

The council members who supported and passed this ban should be commended for their courage to do so. Those who rejected it and are beholden to the activists corruptly using this issue to push a hard left socialist agenda without thought or care for the collateral damage afflicting on the encampment residents and our Community as a whole should be ashamed of themselves.

And if I was Angela Connelly, I would sue them into oblivion for this vicious and uncalled for and completely unfounded personal attack.
Michael J Johnson
South Tacoma Business District
Board of Directors
Good Morning all- 

I just want to inform you that despite what I was told by Council Member Rumbaugh the encampment behind my home has continued to grow. With the clearing of the "I" street encampment, more encampment residents have migrated to the McKinley Hill Friends church and surrounding private parcels in the area. This is a huge safety issue as this neighborhood is full of school aged children that walk to school and walk to the bus stop. The disparate treatment between resident on the Eastside of Tacoma is disgusting! The residents of this neighborhood have put in numerous 311 request only to be dismissed. Their are shelters on Hosmer and Pacific Ave, the camping ban ordinance is being selectively applied and that is unfair to other neighborhoods.

As CM Hines said, “unsanctioned encampments have a negative impact on neighborhoods and can decrease a neighborhood’s willingness to host a shelter.” Secondly, “encampments that are too close to temporary shelters threaten the City’s ability to support shelters effectively.” This is a prime example, and we all know that the Tacoma City Council loves to put shelters on the Eastside. CM Bushnell supported the ordinance, so I’m not sure why he is allowing this encampment to grow and go “unchecked”.

I haven't even received a response from my Council person Joe Bushnell, if this was in the Cambodian community he would have had it cleared immediately. Bushnell supported this ordinance why isn’t he helping to it enforce it in his district? The underserved communities are being hit hard during this homeless crisis. We are hard-working class families that are being targeted by theft and vandalism, and everything else that comes with encampments. The trash and debris is disgusting and they are no longer on the City right of way as the HEAL team claims.

Please prioritize this encampment because it has been there long enough. I have included recent photo's so you can see all the garbage filled shopping carts and the "Brett Johnson" signs that have been pilfered and used for shelter.

Daisha N. Gomillion, MBA (she/her)

On Mon, Nov 28, 2022 at 11:06 AM Gomillion, Daisha (DSHS/ESA/CSD) <daisha.gomillion@dshs.wa.gov> wrote:

Good Morning all-

I am sending this email, because I am concerned with the growth of the encampment located at the McKinley Hill Friends Church (259 E 72nd street) and surrounding private parcels. I have reach out to the HEAL team several times via Tacoma 311 and they have not done anything, claiming that they are on the City right of Way and no shelter beds are available (which I do not believe). Well as always the encampment has expanded beyond the City Right of Way (it was always beyond the city right of way, it’s so small). They are on private church property and property owned by my neighbors. They have been asked to move by property owners but TPD does not come out to aid in trespassing enforcement, so they remain.

There are cars coming and going at all times of the day and night, and property theft has gone up in our neighborhood (I tracked my Amazon package to the encampment because the package with my name and address was on the ground in the encampment with the contents removed). We hear gun shots all night, which is very scary. As you can see in the attached photo’s my daughter’s swing set is less than 20 feet from the encampment, I cannot let her play outside in her own backyard without me being outside and monitoring what she sees or hears.

It’s getting cold outside so they have started setting fires, as you can see in the pictures there is so much debris and trees, an
ember could set the entire neighborhood on fire. The trash has started to build up along with shopping carts and other rubble. We have to watch people urinate and defecate, violently argue and fist fight, have mental breakdowns, and shoot up drugs while in our back yard. Why does my 7 year old have to be subjected to this, when her best friend who lives by Point Defiance Zoo doesn’t? THAT IS NOT EQUITABLE.

This is unacceptable, please come clean up this drug encampment. This location should fall within the “buffer zone” or the 10-block distance; as there are several TEMS on Hosmer and Pacific Ave. In addition, they need to be in warming shelters, not behind a residential neighborhood around a campfire. The ordinance’s aim is to prevent people from storing personal belongings and setting up an unsanctioned shelter within 10 blocks of a temporary homeless shelter, and this is exactly what is being done.

Let’s not pick and choose which neighborhoods benefit from the camping ban ordinance. Yes, I live in an underserved community, but I work hard and pay my property taxes like those in North Tacoma. Let’s start showing progress on that equity index, because this is not it. As CM Hines said, “unsanctioned encampments have a negative impact on neighborhoods and can decrease a neighborhood’s willingness to host a shelter.” Secondly, “encampments that are too close to temporary shelters threaten the City’s ability to support shelters effectively.” This is a prime example, and we all know that the Tacoma City Council loves to put shelters on the Eastside. CM Bushnell supported the ordinance, so I’m not sure why he is allowing this encampment to grow and go “unchecked”.

Please come clean up this area and have these individuals move along to some place warm. Also, there are homes being built in that area (construction zone), which have been vandalized. The encampment residents are at risk of being hit by the trees being cut back, it’s not safe at all. I have emailed and texted my Council person Joe Bushnell about this a few times with no response. This area is also a wetland and will start to flood in certain areas as we get more rain another safety issue.

The Drug Encampment covers the following areas:

1. McKinley Hill Friends Church- 259 East 72nd street, 98404
2. Curtiss Delp private property -7009 East D street, 98404
3. Curtiss Delp private property- 405 East 71st street, 98404
4. Pro Sound Framing private property- 7012 East D street, 98404

Please take action on this ASAP, it’s getting out of control and unsafe for the neighborhood. I am really tired of getting the same response from NCS_AMichaelSmith and the HEAL team (attached), it’s time to do something.

Thank you,

Daisha N. Gomillion, MBA (she/her)
This email is not related to any WA state agency/department, etc., this is being sent by a Tacoma taxpaying resident with public safety concerns.

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