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I support SB 722 and am urging you to vote yes on it as well. Housing in our city is unaffordable for many people. Studies on systemic causes of houselessness observe that the cities with the least affordable housing have the highest rates of houselessness. Reducing rent spikes is one way to reduce the number of people we have on the streets. Even if it doesn't get people off the streets, it helps to keep people that are currently housed from ending up houseless. There is no magic solution to reduce houselessness. There are lots of little things that can be done to help with the problem. SB 722 is one of those things that helps.

Once again I urge you to support SB 722