

House Finance

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HB26-1015 CO Homeless Contribution Tax Credit Extension

Typed Text of Testimony Submitted

Name, Position, Representing	Typed Text of Testimony
Jeany Rush Against themselves	<p>TO: HOUSE FINANCE COMMITTEE</p> <p>RE: HB26-1015 COLORADO HOMELESS CONTRIBUTION TAX CREDIT EXTENSION</p> <p>SPONSORS: MCCORMICK, TAGGART, JENET, SIMPSON</p> <p>FROM: JEANY RUSH, COLORADO CONSTITUENT 2-12-26</p> <p>VOTE: NO</p> <p>“Under current law, the Colorado homeless contribution tax credit (credit) may only be claimed through state income tax year 2026. The bill amends the credit to allow taxpayers to claim the credit through state income tax year 2030.”</p> <p>This bill continues to put money into the pockets of Non-Profit Organizations, Dept. of Local Affairs, and bureaucrats will have oversight, management and donor verifications. It is interference into the homeless™ issue, without really providing any real gauge of success. We are operating in a budget deficit, yet we are increasing spending once again. Moreover, who is guarding the guardians? We have not really dented the homeless issue with this monetary effort.</p> <p>What we are doing, is continuing these groups to take more tax payer money without really showing how efficient these efforts truly are in the real issue of homelessness.</p> <p>It is time for us to stop funding non-voting, non-profits to enable more and more people to occupy the streets, and this of course, would include “illegal invaders.” Our societies cannot sustain these efforts to subvert real laws, and stop the loss of our safe™ communities, allowing too many lawless efforts to rule the day. This is not working! It is only creating another avenue for making money, without solutions!</p>

