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Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness DRAFT Statement on Tacoma Safe

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The Tacoma Pierce County Coalition to End Homelessness re-affirms out commitment to the safety and dignity of people experiencing homelessness.

We call on all members of the Tacoma community to support a dramatic increase in funding, as well as the creation of policies that make possible permanent housing appropriate and affordable to people living unsheltered, in shelters, or in unstable and unsuitable housing situations.

Until such housing is available within the Tacoma city limits for all who want to reside here, we recognize the need for a homelessness response system that prevents as much homelessness as possible, provides a range of immediate safe shelter options including those that are self-managed, and a range of timely services requested by people experiencing homelessness.

We invite all Tacoma residents committed to ending homelessness to join us in our work. You can find us every Friday morning at 9:00 a.m. meeting on Zoom. To join us, go to www.pchomeless.org.

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