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To:	dencc - City Council; Herndon, Christopher J. - City Council District 8
Subject:	Public Comment Request concerning CB15-0777 (panhandling)
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Dear Council President Herndon and Legislative Services,

I am writing you to please request there be a courtesy public comment period at Monday November 2nd Council Meeting regarding CB15-0777 concerning changes to the panhandling ordinance. It is critical for Council members to hear from the public about the ordinance and its effects on poor and homeless people in Denver.

This ordinance came up for changes very quickly and only now did I notice it is on the agenda for this Monday.

Can you please send any proposed changes to the ordinance so we can have time to review this before the Council meeting?

I am very anxious and hopeful that Denver may follow in the foot steps of Grand Junction's ruling and respect peoples freedom of speech and basic needs.

Thank you for hearing from the people in our considerations of the people of Denver.

Sincerely,
-Terese Howard
member Denver Homeless Out Loud