Dear Friends,

I am Mary Pendergast from the Sisters of Mercy and the Poor People's Campaign. I write in favor of 5100, the SAVE Units Act. Every city and town needs to do their part for the people who are homeless without being stymied by regulations. I understand safety, but trust me safety is a relative notion. Last week during the polar vortex, when I realized one of my friends was outside, it pushed me to do what I could to house one person...I do not have the resources of a town, or I would put up a small village in my yard.

Please help us! Sincerely, Mary Pendergast 99 Fillmore St, Pawtucket, RI 02860