

Council: Churches help homeless

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over 20 years," he said. "In the past year, I cannot work late without closing the doors. I don't feel comfortable and the retail customers don't feel comfortable."

Shelli Deedon said she did not feel comfortable either. "It's scary we can't open the windows without the homeless coming up and talking to us," she said. "They bang on the back door to call the police. I don't know the solution, but I don't feel safe."

However, Jake Dudell, emer-

gency services director of St. Vincent de Paul said that although he did not think the ordinance was a solution to homelessness, he did find camping in church parking lots to be helpful.

"It's a resource not hardly tapped into," said Dudell, who through St. Vincent de Paul matches the homeless and churches together. He said on average there are 23 people and 12 families sleeping at the 12 churches every night.

He also said some homeless have received financial assistance from the congregations. Some have made connections

for jobs. "The congregation stands by you, if you have a pleasing personality," Dudell said. "They can get jobs and make new lives, [the churches] have a lot more to offer than just a place to park."

Henry C. Rippel II, who has been living in the church parking lots, would like to see the ordinance continued. "I don't know where I would be sleeping and I wouldn't have a job," he said. "People are going to park and sleep even if places are not provided — and for the last four or five months it's worked pretty well."



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