

## Script for Residents:

Hi, my name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I live in the Lakeshore (or Grand Lake or Crocker or Trestle Glen) neighborhood of Oakland, near Lake Merritt.

I'm calling to demand that Alameda County collaborate better with the City of Oakland and its residents and businesses to deal with both the unhoused mentally ill and the hazardous waste they create in our neighborhood (or on our streets).

- We have businesses who can't enter their shops without first having to clear feces and urine from their doorways.
- We have children who can't play in our playgrounds because of the presence of feces and urine.
- We have mentally ill people who are not only a threat to themselves and and to others, but who clearly cannot take care of themselves in a reasonable manner.

Please immediately:

- Increase the availability of social worker outreach staff to our area
- Increase the availability and funding for assessment beds in Alameda County
- Assemble a cleanup team that can be dispatched as soon as a complaint is received
- Clarify the roles of the County, the City of Oakland, residents, businesses and their representatives, and property owners

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## District Map

(It is encouraged to call both County Supervisor President, Keith Carson, and County Supervisor Wilma Chan)

