

# Welcome to Sleazy Town

The Kinks

One hand on the controller  
One hand on the re-wind  
You can even watch it all in slow mo'  
'Cos you just sit at home all day  
Now you got plenty of time

If you want some real live action  
And the video's too tame  
If you wanna touch some heat  
But you don't know how to light that flame  
If you want some satisfaction  
Instead of studying the freeze frame

I used to have this spot on Main Street  
It was bounding, it was hot  
It was dark, it was dirty  
But dull it was not  
The joint was jumping every night  
But now it's just a parking lot

This city was cruel  
This city was keen  
This city was alive  
This city was mean

Till the office blocks and parking lots  
Came and closed this city down  
I could stand outside  
The kids hung round  
And the neon sign said  
Welcome to Sleazy Town  
Welcome to Sleazy Town  
Sleazy, Sleazy Town

Everybody hung loose  
It was cool and easy  
People used to meet and have a good time  
Down in Sleazy Town, Sleazy Town, Sleazy Town, Sleazy Town

Then the corporations came along  
And bought this piece of ground  
The leases all went up  
And so the buildings all came down  
They built the motorways and shopping malls  
And they killed off Sleazy Town

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This city was keen  
This city was alive  
This city was till the office blocks and parking lots  
Came and closed this city down  
I could stand outside, the kids hung round  
And the neon sign said  
Welcome to Sleazy Town  
Welcome to Sleazy Town, Sleazy, Sleazy Town  
City Hall killed off that scene  
Now Sleazy Town is just a dream