From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Trisha Linebarger</u>

Subject: FW: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

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From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov < sunset@sunset.texas.gov > On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission

Sent: Tuesday, December 11, 2018 6:52 PM

To: Sunset Advisory Commission <Sunset@sunset.texas.gov>

Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD PLUMBING EXAMINERS

First Name: Katelyn

Last Name: Langley

Title:

Organization you are affiliated with:

Email:

City: Conroe

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed:

Plumbers are responsible for health and safety concerns that impact the public, therefore, I would recommend the plumbing industry have a separate board apart from the other industry.

Without the board in place, there is no training or accountability to ensure the technicians are properly working on sewer or gas lines which can be a life and death situation. Training, accountability and licensing are crucial.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Without the board of examiners, I fear there will be unlicensed and uninsured "plumbers"

performing work they are not qualified to do.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree