From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Brittany Calame</u>

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Agency: TEXAS BOARD PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS TBPG

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

I strongly Oppose the Sunset Staff Report's recommendation to Abolish the Texas Board of Professional Geoscientists (TBPG) and repeal the Texas Geoscience Practice Act. It is important to have professional geologist's input to decisions involving Texas assets for mineral disputes as well as geotechnical construction issues. Regards, David Allard

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Retain the Texas Board of Professional Geoscientists (TBPG) and DO NOT repeal the Texas Geoscience Practice Act.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree