From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Janet Wood</u>

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Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD EXAMINERS PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: I support the formation of a Behavioral Health Commission that includes Counselors, MFTs, SWs and psychologists. However, the structure need to resemble more closely with what the Texas Counseling Association has provided in their talking points. Meaning more professional members representing each board. While public members are great, they have a great disconnect with professional standards, legal and ethical codes!

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Please follow TCA talking points as they benefit all the 4 boards combining.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree