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To: Sunset Advisory Commission <Sunset@sunset.texas.gov>
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Agency: TEXAS ANIMAL HEALTH COMMISSION

First Name: Susan

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Title:

Organization you are affiliated with:

Email:

City: Fredericksburg

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or
Opposed: I AM IN SUPPORT OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS TO ABOLISH THIS PROGRAM.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Abolish the program.

Utilize the existing USDA legislation for animal welfare to continue to safeguard animals in Texas. The formation of this organization and additional rules clearly duplicate and confound the USDA Animal Welfare Act.

Additionally, there are not enough extra staff nor are there adequate extra funds to support the equal application of this program in the State of Texas making it unsupportable.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree