From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Janet Wood</u>

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Agency: TEXAS%20BOARD%20PROFESSIONAL%20LAND%20SURVEYING

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

As a Registered Professional Land Surveyor practicing in the State of Texas, I firmly believe that a board made up of Professional Surveyors and public members is the best means of regulating the profession of land surveying to protect the health, safety, welfare and property of the citizens of Texas. I am also a Licensed Professional Engineer practicing in the State of Texas and firmly believe the two Boards should be independent. Both of these professions require diligent and expert regulation that a combined board can't provide.

There has not been any challenges that I am aware of with having two separate Boards in the past so why change what is working today. Please consider my opposition to the combining of the two boards into one.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I recommend that the Texas Board of Professional Land Surveying be given the opportunity to address the concerns listed in the Sunset Staff Report and remain an independent licensing agency.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree