

From: [Elizabeth Jones](#)
To: [Trisha Linebarger](#)
Subject: FW: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)
Date: Friday, June 12, 2020 6:42:31 AM

From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission
Sent: Thursday, June 11, 2020 10:15:58 PM (UTC-06:00) Central Time (US & Canada)
To: Sunset Advisory Commission
Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS DEPARTMENT LICENSING AND REGULATION

First Name: Ronda

Last Name: Dozier

Title: Program Coordinator

Organization you are affiliated with: Texarkana College

Email: rondadozier@texarkanacollege.edu

City: Texarkana

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I am in favor of combining Barbering and Cosmetology; however, it is very alarming to lose the instructor license for future educators. I have been teaching for 25 years and served as Dean of Workforce Education programs for five years and can say with certainty the cosmetology instructors are much more confident in teaching than Some of the other instructors with industry experience alone. As Dean, I asked the cosmetology instructors to provide professional development / educator training for the division instructors over two days and it was well received. Please do not eliminate this program.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: An alternative to eliminating the license is to reduce the number of hours required based on recent experience (past five years) and with verifiable working experience possibly reducing it to a 300 hour program with 500 hours as the maximum.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree