From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Trisha Linebarger</u>

Subject: FW: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

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From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov [mailto:sunset@sunset.texas.gov] On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission

Sent: Thursday, August 13, 2020 6:00 PM

To: Sunset Advisory Commission <Sunset@sunset.texas.gov>

Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: TEXAS ANIMAL HEALTH COMMISSION

First Name: Gyla

Last Name: Fowler

Title: Ms

Organization you are affiliated with:

Email:

City: Austin

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: I strongly oppose the abolition of the Licensed Breeder Program.

Without this safeguard, we'll be back to the bad old days of puppy mills--resulting in animals who are injured before they're even born, owners who end up with animals who will have expensive, long-term physical issues.

I adopted a husky who came from a puppy mill and I saw first-hand the effects puppy mills.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: None

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree