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

I recommend the structure of BHEC as proposed during the last Sunset Review to include one professional and one public member appointed by each board, with the presiding officer appointed by the Governor. Significant problems and challenges remain that cannot be resolved within the current structure. The continued administrative attachment of the marriage and family therapy, professional counseling and social work boards to a large agency is still not working. The dysfunction created by such a model places the livelihoods of licensees in jeopardy and puts the public at risk. Please consider making the proposed changes.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: No.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree