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Agency: TEXAS ANIMAL HEALTH COMMISSION

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I very much oppose the recommendation to abolish the Texas Licensed Breeders Program. I myself adopted a female Chihuahua from a rescue group that was used as a breeder. And have been adopting Chihuahuas since 2001, as this breed is a big puppy mill breed, and I'm so tired of seeing them mistreated.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Keep the Texas Lincensed Breeders Program open and make sure enough people are hired to enforce proper treatment of all dogs involved.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree