From: Sunset Advisory Commission

To: <u>Dawn Roberson</u>

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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local]

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Agency: DEPARTMENT AGING AND DISABILITY SERVICES DADS

First Name: Lynda

Last Name: Schneck

Title: Parent of disabled son at RSSLC

Organization you are affiliated with: Friends and Family of RSSLC

City: League City

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

am opposed to closing any of them. The clients at all these facilities need

the care they are receiving. The care is so specialized and 99% of this care can not be duplicated in the community. Dr. Stephen Croft who has cared for clients both in the SSLC and in the community says the same thing. It would be criminal to close any SSLC.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I do not feel the Sunset Committee are serving the needs of this special disabled population by

recommending any state supported living center be closed. Please in your recommendations take the future fragile lives of these individuals in consideration. As the mother of a client who has resided at RSSLC for 37 years please do not put his life at risk by closing his home where he thrives both medically, physically and socially. Thank you

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree