

**From:** [Sunset Advisory Commission](#)  
**To:** [Trisha Linebarger](#)  
**Subject:** FW: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)  
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From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov <sunset@sunset.texas.gov> On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission  
Sent: Saturday, December 5, 2020 8:52 PM  
To: Sunset Advisory Commission <Sunset@sunset.texas.gov>  
Subject: Public Input Form for Agencies Under Review (Public/After Publication)

Agency: STATE BOARD VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINERS

First Name: Marilyn

Last Name: Litt

Title: Director

Organization you are affiliated with: Lost Dogs of Texas

Email:

City: Corpus Christi

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or  
Opposed: I think the State Board of Veterinary medical examiners is needed and should continue.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I would like to see this agency be more proactive in bringing Texas state veterinary in line with best practices. For example, SBVME could lead the way in mandating that veterinarians do microchip scans on all new dog and cat clients to educate owners on microchips, to make sure microchips are registered to the owners, and to help lost animals go home.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree