From: <u>Sunset Advisory Commission</u>

To: <u>Brittany Calame</u>

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From: sunset@sunset.texas.gov < sunset@sunset.texas.gov > On Behalf Of Texas Sunset Commission

Sent: Tuesday, August 14, 2018 9:36 AM

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Agency: TEXAS BOARD PROFESSIONAL GEOSCIENTISTS TBPG

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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or

Opposed: I appreciate the work the sunset committee has done. As a person, who supported the founding and has been a license Geoscientist since the beginning. I disagree with your findings. Soil Science is young science. I work with the public and find the understanding of basic soil principles is greatly lacking. This makes the public open to fraudulent enterprise.

Therefore, the certification helps the public trust the integrity of the soil scientist profession. Thanks for allowing me to share.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I would like to see the license continued and expanded.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree