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Agency: DEPARTMENT FAMILY AND PROTECTIVE SERVICES DFPS

First Name: Eddie L and Rosalie

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Title:

Organization you are affiliated with: Freedom Fighter's For Families

City: Houston

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: On March 2009 our daughter call DFPS thinking they would help her. Our daughter has a medical condition call bipolar disorder. We did not know about her illness at the time. They remove the child from the nursery the next day which was Tuesday Spring Break. They place her in a good foster care during that time. We were allowed to have visitation for a period of time. The case worker became angry with the foster parent and remove the child. They place her in another foster care. We had visitation for awhile until the case worker had a conflict of interest. I went to the supervisor and complain. Our granddaughter begin to talk about what was going on in foster care. That's when lie's deception corruption began. All visitation was denied. We done everything the court's ask us to do. May 1, 2013 the judge dismissed the case. DFPS had private hearing and the judge allowed the case to be reopen because they had new evidence. Once again they lied. Our daughter has done the service plan twice. After numerous court appearances permanency hearings, mediations, status hearing, they want a non relative adoption. We have been waiting over 5years for our granddaughter to come home. The judge told her as soon as she would complete the service plan she would get her child back. After 5yrs. it never happened. We are still fighting DFPS.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: There are no reason why DFPS should be allowed to destroy good families. We have experience other families having problems with DFPS. We had expected better from a agency who we thought was suppose to bring families together. We were wrong. This is a good agency that went bad. We would like to see them shut down and reorganize. We would like to see them hire experience trustworthy compassionate and family oriented people.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree