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Agency: TEXAS STATE BOARD PLUMBING EXAMINERS

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State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: The State Plumbing Board needs to remain autonomous due to the health and safety issues that are so specific in a plumbing system. An improperly trained and unlicensed individual could affect the lives of many people with incorrect installations. The State Plumbing Board was formed in 1947 due to individuals who were improperly installing water, sewer, and gas lines. The Board has been an excellent enforcer of the law.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: The board should be able to hire personnel as needed to fulfill the testing needs. More people are moving to Texas and the Board must be able to meet the demand as more young people get into the trade.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree