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

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To: Sunset Advisory Commission

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Agency: DEPARTMENT AGING AND DISABILITY SERVICES DADS

First Name: Theresa

Last Name: Jorgensen

Title: parent of a 6 year old with Down syndrome

Organization you are affiliated with:

City: Arlington

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I strongly support the Sunset Commission's recommendation to close 6 of the 13 State Supported Living Centers.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency:

My hope for all people with disabilities is that they have supportive opportunities to live in their communities, either with their families or in small group living situations.

The TX waiting lists for supportive services for those with disabilities are ridiculously long. Shift the money spent on the poorly run State Supported Living Centers and use it provide community living support to those with disabilities, so that they can live, work, worship, and enjoy life in their local communities.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree