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Agency: DEPARTMENT AGING AND DISABILITY SERVICES DADS

First Name: Barbara

Last Name: Sikes

Title: Parent/Guardian

Organization you are affiliated with: Denton State, School Denton TX

City: Dallas

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed:

After personal experience of having my daughter Diane Keating (who is currently in Denton State School and is Happier and more Content than I have ever seen Her)in a "group home" was heart breaking. She was very aggressive at the home ,destroyed furniture and and other destructive behavior of other parts of house. She was VERY Unhappy there and this desturbed me greatly.

Having said this I STRONGLY Oppose putting State School people in Group Homes. They may be good for some mentally challenged people. But for the Most part people like my daughter and thousand like Her The State School Has Great facilities so they can treat and care for her (them) more effectively.

Thank You.

Barbara Sikes Parent/Guardian

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: I have no alternative or new recommendations at this time.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree