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Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: It is important that the state of Texas requires licensure for radiologic technologist. This makes sure that exams are being done correctly, with the most minimum amount of radiation required. When correct technique is used this allows exams to be compared to procedures done at a different facility. Disbanding the MRT will decrease the quality of exams being done. The state MRT also makes sure that technologist are keeping current on the most recent procedures and radiation doses.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: The MRT program needs to be maintained to protect the public from nondiagnostic tests and the possibility of increased radiation doses if the MRT program becomes disbanded.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree