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From: sundrupal@capitol.local [<mailto:sundrupal@capitol.local>]  
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Agency: DEPARTMENT STATE HEALTH SERVICES DSHS

First Name: Salley

Last Name: Schmid

Title: Owner, Therapist, Trainer

Organization you are affiliated with: Enrichment Training and Counseling Solutions, Inc.

City: Waco

State: Texas

Your Comments About the Staff Report, Including Recommendations Supported or Opposed: I am NOT in favor of moving regulation and licensing for Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist's from DSHS. I AM in favor of keeping our license with DSHS. I am a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist Associate and I am a Health Care provider. I do not want my license to be taxed to pay for a move to an inappropriate regulatory body. As a Licensed Marriage & Family Therapist Associate, I do not want my profession or license to be diminished due to a move to a department that works with occupational licenses which is an inappropriate classification for my profession and License.

Any Alternative or New Recommendations on This Agency: Maintain licensing for Marriage & Family Therapists under the Department of State Health Services.

My Comment Will Be Made Public: I agree