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Ohio Power Siting Board,

We have some concerns about this project being considered in Allen and Auglaize Counties. First this is going to be a huge eye sore for the entire counties as well as the unfortunate families

that live "next door" to this project. We were told at an information meeting that these solar panels will be installed to the property line.

If we were building a new home or even a shed you have have to be 14' off the property line. Shouldn't these panels be several yards off the property line?

What is going to happen to all the wildlife that lives on these acres? We have seen eagles, hawks, all other kinds of birds, deer, fox, raccoons, and lots of other wildlife. What will happen to them.

This project will destroy beautiful landscapes and farm land which produces our food.

There are residential homes, some surrounded by the boundary lines of this proposed project. These folks have spent years investing in their property and homes only to have it devalued and unsellable because of the proposed solar field.

Lastly, why are they insisting on a solar field here when the solar power is not even going to be used in this area or even the state of Ohio? There is nowhere closer to the destination of this power than our area?

What happens to all those panels when they are no longer making money, and they have deteriorated?

I do hope you will consider the bigger picture of this project. The families, wildlife, environment, water, property values and our food supply should be a major concern.

Please do not only look at the projected money that may be generated. Money is not the most important commodity. Also, please consider BP's industrial accident record, and the fact that so many of these fields have gone bankrupt.

Please do not approve the pilot agreement.

Bill and Ann Snider 

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