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Re: Motion to Intervene Fountain Point Solar
Case Number 21-1231-EL-BGN

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to formally request intervenor status regarding the Proposed Fountain Point Solar Facility Case Number 21-1231-EL-BGN . The reasons for requesting intervenor status are as follows:

1) I have concerns about the setback of the solar panels and/or the fencing surrounding the arrays. As proposed, setbacks are approximately 100 feet from our property line on the North and East sides of our two acre property, and in my opinion that is not far enough away from our home. . I am very concerned that I will wind up with a large industrial solar field surround by a chain link fence topped with razor wire mere feet from my house.

2) As proposed, I will have approximately 40 acres of solar arrays very close to my home. One leased solar acre will be to the North and the other leased solar array of 40 acres is directly east of me. Both run directly along my property line, in my backyard. This will take away our privacy while we enjoy swimming, playing with our children and future grandchildren in our backyard.

3) I am very concerned about the EMFs that will be emitted from each array surrounding my home. I was diagnosed in 2011 with Multiple Sclerosis. This is a neurological disease that is especially reactive to EMF and I already suffer with electromagnetic hypersensitivity. If there is 40 acres of solar arrays behind our property, my health will dramatically deteriorate, increasing MS Relapses. In order to remain stable, I have to limit these EMFs and with it so close to my home, that is not possible.

4) Creating large fenced in areas where wildlife once roamed will cause their migrating habits to change. Specifically causing coyote to move closer to my home in the search of food, resulting in the death of my pets. There is a large coyote population in the woods directly adjoining this 40 acres behind my property.

5) There are several studies regarding home values rapidly declining as much as 20-30%. I have absolutely no doubt that my property value will be negatively impacted. Why should I lose thousands, while the leased farmers gain millions and suffer no loss?

6) Logan County is very windy. Who is responsible when a large windstorm comes damaging panels or cause injury? The property beside ours is affected by the same field of arrays and little children live there. What happens if they decide to climb a fence and get hurt?

7) The State Route intersections near my home is historically known for automobile accidents and death. These arrays will run along the edge of the State Route where the visibility is already an

issue. I can only imagine accidents will increase when distracted drivers see the solar arrays/glare from them.

8) The Fountain Point Solar Project is devastatingly different from any of the previous projects that have been approved by the Ohio Power Siting Board. The 3,860 acres winds in and around 140 properties and homes like a jigsaw puzzle. This farmland is not a solid section of land separated from people's homes but invading them.

9) I do not understand how a large scale industrial solar facility can move into a where the community will not receive any of the power generated by it, reduced electric cost or profit.

10) Furthermore, zoning laws regarding these large industrial solar farms need to be changed. They shouldn't be zoned 'utility' because they can drop right into the middle of a residential area, and current regulations make it nearly impossible to restrict or stop them. Invenenergy has shown no regard or thoughtfulness to this community for the location of the proposed Fountain Solar Project. There are places where solar fields can work, but this large residential area they have chosen is beyond any sort of compromise, and therefore should be DENIED.

Please take my concerns into consideration when determining intervenor status.

Sincerely,

Jeny Hammer

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