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Enter your Comment or Complaint:	I am very encouraged by the proposed Oak Run Solar Project. I've always cared about the environment, and this project is a big opportunity to protect the land that we're leaving to our children and grandchildren. In my understanding, solar farms "recycle" land by keeping it from being developed more intensively and permanently. Unlike commercial, industrial, and residential development, solar farms are decommissioned at the end of their life and the land can be turned back into open agricultural land. With several decades of growth of native

grasses and no-tilling, the soil will be enhanced and ready for prime agricultural production. Furthermore, agrivoltaics can combine solar energy generation with other forms of agriculture like sheep grazing, hay production, and beekeeping.

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