Deercreek Township of Madison County, OH Resolution

At the meeting held on July 5, 2022, (officially rescheduled from 7/4/22) the Board of Trustees by resolution, authorized, and approved the following motion:

7-5-22 The Board of Trustees of Deercreek Township – Madison County, OH present this resolution to the Madison County Commissioners, that we are formally against the Solar Farm Initiative in Deercreek Township. Some of the best, most fertile farmland in Madison County will be lost by this venture. Furthermore, roads and the rural way of life will be negatively impacted. Drainage will be damaged, which will have a far-reaching effect on residential septic systems, wells, and potential pollution of long-established drainage ditches and waterways. Acreage converted for this type of energy production, even if reclaimed to the standard that is in the current requirements, cannot be "returned to its preconstruction state" and will never be as productive as it is now. Madison County has always been historically known for having a rich agriculture heritage. We, the Trustees feel there are better alternatives for this type of passive energy generation, other than using prime farmland. Roll Call: Hutson-\ Signatures Chad Peters Attest:

Erin Morris, Fiscal Officer

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