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RE: Fountain Point Solar Project

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As a Bokescreek township trustee I support the project because solar energy will help with the energy puzzle our future faces. It's something that won't deplete the oil and gas energy we have now, it'll just add to it. We will need to accept that solar energy is part of our energy future. It is a huge plus for our country and helps us be energy independent. These panels have already improved their efficiency and will continue to do so, making the technology better. As time goes by, there will be more electric vehicles and people will accept this as another part of our lives.

There are local benefits too. Some benefits are shared with landowners, and they have a right to do what they want with their land. This project will bring so many jobs, not just with the solar panels, but all the other construction that will need to be done. Back when Honda was getting started here, we had so many people saying that they didn't want it here, and it has turned into a godsend by providing so many jobs and additional investment. I think this project will provide the same boost to the community.

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