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Dear Ohio Power Siting Board,

I am writing to you today to tell you of the opposition to the South Branch Solar project. I live in the direct project community of Arcadia, Ohio. not 10miles away in Findlay where they are trying to get support for this project. As we look at growing our community of Arcadia, South Branch Solar will only cause us to be unable to grow to the North. Who in their right mind would want to buy houses and live beside a solar field. Think about it. Is this what you would want to see in the morning when you wake up and look outside your window. If you wouldnt want this beside your house then you should not let them put solar fields in rural areas.

The North side of town is possibly our only part of town available for growth. South Branch solar will take away our agriculture fields used to grow crops that provide much needed food and goods to our country. This facility will not move our country and state in the right direction. We still need fossil fuels. How can we be

sure that in 5 years something new wont come along and solar will be a thing of the past. If we look at how solar has gone in Europe and Texas

we can see nothing but problems.

Leeward has not been a dedicated community leader. They have not supported or sponsored anything in the Arcadia Community beyond the

South Branch project. We don't want this project in our community and don't support it. We ask that you deny the South Branch Solar project.

Sincerely Pam Grine Rural Arcadia resident

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