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Attached photos show the force of Hurricane Irene in 2011 driving water from the Albemarle Sound across Albemarle Beach Rd over the over shown on the map attached to the application to construct a 80-MW Solar Facility in Washington Co., NC. Photos of the same type of flooding from Hurricane Isabel in 2003 can also be submitted if required. Because this area also floods during heavy rain with standing water in certain parts of the area shown on the map, I do believe that this area would not be a safe area to install high voltage lines underground from solar panels.

Also during dry periods and a southwest wind, whenever the present farm is plowed, dust storms are created. If the land is cleared of vegetation and crops in order to install buried cables, the soil erosion will be extreme. There have been times that the dust is thick enough to blot out the view of the Sound from my house (75 ft. from the water's edge).

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