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My name is Brenda Hartkopf. My husband Al & I reside @23 Albermarle Beach Rd., Roper, NC located in Washington County.

We are concerned about a solar farm being constructed in our neighborhood. There are approximately 70-80 homes in this immediate area. Al and I and our neighbors are opposed to this solar farm in our neighborhood and fear it will be an eyesore driving to our homes.

Please consider the request to locate the solar farm in a non residential area.

I have been informed that the Creswell, NC solar farm has not been landscaped as promised.

Please refer to an article written by Dr. Herbert Eckerlin that recently appeared in the Raleigh News & Observer . Dr. Eckerlin is a professor of Mechanical & Aerospace engineering @ NC State. He founded the NC Solar Center. The article was headed " Taxpayers suffering unintended consequences of solar farms." Obviously, Dr. Eckerlin opinion is based on real facts and those facts are of a concern to those of us who live in the proposed solar farm area.

Your attention to our concern will be greatly appreciated.

Regards,

Mr. & Mrs. Al Hartkopf