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Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation 211 Sower Boulevard P. O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602

Case # 2024-00337 Wood Duck Solar

Dear Commissioners:

I address this To Whom It May Concern...and it should concern every man, woman, boy, and girl who calls Beautiful Barren County "home"!

I am writting in defence of a people who are not allowed to speak publicky for themselves, the Amish neighbors, and <u>not only</u> for them but for myself and for friends and others who will be adversely effected for ages!

The "land" is their livelihood...for their crops, their livestock, their gardens which provide them with their food supply. They hunt the deer which graze the woods and pastures. This supplies their tables with meat. They fish the rivers and streams to, also, provide themselves with food. Almighty God gives them the desire and ability to provide for themselves. These solar panels will destroy their way of life "completely". They do not have the air-conditioners most of us use to keep cool. These panels give off a toxic air that will enter their homes as they open the windows to keep cool. And not only will they be breathing those chemicals the solar panels emit, but they will have to endure the excessive heat they produce. Those panels will produce higher temperatures...maybe even 30° hotter than normal...on a 90° hot summer day WHO can tolerate that heat?? You...me?? These are people just like you and me who love this land and the life they live. They have that God given right.

What will the solar panels do for the rest of the people who are passionate to defend Barren County, KY.

And, what will they do for me?? They will DESTROY...(I cannot emphasize this word as it should be)...for they will not only destroy the beauty, but the chemicals will destroy the "good earth" (shame on us if we allow this to happen) and the rivers and streams and the "clean" air we breathe!! Their damage cannot be undone!!

There are so many issues to be addressed in regards the solar panels. The property values of our land will be greatly reduced. Who would buy a home surrounded by solar panels? The quality of the air they emit will no doubt be toxic and just what will that do to "our" health and the health of our little children who love to run and play in these "clean" grassy fields.

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You folks at Kentucky Public Service Commission have much authority and I believe you will take my letter to heart and help us here in Barren County to keep its land clean. Please help us!

Sometimes things get done and in hindsight we realize our vote was wrong. May yours be right!

Life is precious for we only pass this way one time...no second chances.

Thank you for reading my letter. I have a great love for this good land... yours and mine!

Kindest Regards,

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