

Kentucky State Board on Electric Generation
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Case: Wood Duck 2024-00337

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Dear Siting Board,

I would like to state my opposition to the Wood Duck Solar project for the many ways in which it will destroy the land and will impact the scenic view of our area in our residential and agricultural community.

I know that over 400 acres of woodlands will be destroyed and that will create tremendous erosion issues in many of these areas which are already prone to flooding. I encourage the department of agriculture to evaluate each piece of land to ensure that solar panels are not being installed on land that has been deemed a 'high erosion land'.

Also, I want to request that the siting board require Wood Duck/Geenex to submit a contingency plan as to how they will restore the land in the event of a fire, vandalism, tornado, hail or just a leak/leech.

There needs to be some mechanism to hold the developer accountable, responsible and responsive to the community. I realize Wood Duck will sell this project to another developer and we need to know that there will be swift responses, thorough responses and that the upmost care will be given to our delicate ecosystem to protect Mammoth Cave and the water sources for our Amish community; as well, as ensure that every person, home and farm are protected.

Any catastrophic event can damage panels, inverters, batteries and the soil can be contaminated for leaks, leeching and breakage. How can the community be assured they will remove the panels from the area immediately, test the soil, remove the soil and replace it in a timely manner to ensure the safety of all? Please identify where the soil can be deposited; as well as the closest location to recycle the solar panels. How quickly will they respond? What do we do if they do not respond? How can we be assured of safety? How are they going to restore the land?

How will this information be relayed to the surrounding neighbors? How will they notify the community if there is glass breakage and/or lead found in the soil?

We also need to know how often they will physically observe the 2,300 acres to ensure there has been no damage to the panels or wires and that the panels are clean and unbroken.

Please make this a requirement for our community.

Sincerely,

