## Case No. 2024-00337

Thank you for your comments on the application of Wood Duck Solar LLC. Your comments in the above-referenced matter have been received and will be placed into the case file for the Commission's consideration. Please cite the case number in this matter, 2024-00337, in any further correspondence. The documents in this case are available at <u>View Case Filings for: 2024-00337</u> (ky.gov).

Thank you for your interest in this matter.

From: Jared Blankenship Sent: Wednesday, June 25, 2025 6:41 PM To: PSC Public Comment <PSC.Comment@ky.gov> Subject: 2024-00337



I'm a landowner down here on the west side of Barren County, where Wood Duck Solar is trying to develop several properties. I'm not a next door neighbor but live within 10 minutes.

I would like to voice my conditional support of this project. I feel like most of the objections to the project are valid. This is a rural farming community and we're losing farmland at an alarming rate. Degraded land, runoff issues, vegetation controlled by herbicides and gravel roads across farmland is a hard no for me.

I truly believe that this project would be easier to swallow for the community if there was a REQUIREMENT for dual purpose use. Honestly, I have sheep and would be interested in grazing some of the land. But I can't take care of it all.

Panels can be raised high enough to put cattle underneath. There are examples of vegetable production underneath these panels. You could reach out to the American Solar Grazing Association for more information. <u>https://solargrazing.org/</u>

Thank you for your time if you've made it this far.

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