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Objection to the Padbury Brook Solar Farm. This area has intrinsic natural beauty and is a wonderful place to go and escape from the urban areas of Bicester and Buckingham. Access to the countryside has a real and proven benefit to mental health, wellbeing and fitness. The noise, loss of amenity, significant and serious harm to wildlife as expressed by the BBOWT and the impact it has being very close to local residents, businesses and horse stud, confirm this site is highly unsuitable for such a large and out of character, isolated development. The community is strongly opposed to this development and government guidance stipulates that renewable energy development should only take place where adverse impacts can be addressed and where the development has community support. This application clearly is in breach of this policy, the NPPF, Cherwell saved policy as detailed by the CPRE, BBOWT and other public objections. I have detailed these concerns to the developer however they are only accepting in favour responses. I would like the case officer to note the number of generic copy and paste 'in favour' responses which originate from facebook and the JBM website, no objection option is shown to submit. I would urge the council and case officer to visit this site and experience the peacefulness, ancient woodlands, undisturbed and productive farmland and far reaching views. Please save the area from industrialisation and development creep and for future generations to enjoy before the countryside is lost forever. The amenity and recreational land available including footpaths has already been significantly reduced due to East West rail and HS2, these developments have also displaced wildlife so this area should be protected even more as a result.