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Subject: Planning Application - 22/03873/F

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Hi Rebekah,

I would like to submit a comment on the proposed solar development, I was told you are still open to receiving these.

Phoebe Cadle - 2 church cottages, Stratton audley.

We moved to the village little over a year ago to enjoy a rural life. The land in question for this development is home to an array of wildlife that has already been disrupted by hs2 and east west rail construction work. This is an extremely sad to see local wildlife be disrupted by these

opportunistic ventures. Notwithstanding the traffic that us as residents have dealt with due to these developments.

I don't see any local gain to this development, we would not benefit from a local source of energy, we would just suffer more disruption and watch the rural landscape around us be destroyed for investment reasons rather than an actual regard for the climate and local environment.

My biggest concern is to allow this development to take place, would set a precedent that could see the countryside and nature around us completely dismantled. Due to developments in Bicester, HS2 and east west rail, I feel the countryside is becoming squeezed out in favour of these large developments, with a complete disregard for local communities and local wildlife. I would implore the council to reject this proposal and protect the well-being of rural citizens and wildlife.

Thank you for your time

Phoebe