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From: Tim Cleavenger [REDACTED]
Sent: Tuesday, September 2, 2025 3:27 AM
To: Zine, Natalie
Subject: EX: Regarding the proposed solar facility

Dear members of the Kane County Board;

I live at the intersection of Randall & Highland, so I have a particular interest in the proposed solar facility but I speak more broadly as a resident of Kane County.

When I moved to Kane County 34 years ago, Randall Road wasn't the major thoroughfare it has become.

I'm not against progress. I welcome it despite knowing that it's a double-edged sword. But it's one thing to develop fertile farmland into homes and businesses that will be there for generations and quite another thing to turn it into a power plant by covering it with solar panels that are going to be thrown into a landfill in 25-30 years.

We all love the idea of environmental friendliness, but a solar farm is the opposite of that. Let's not be fooled into thinking it's something it's not. True environmentalism means leaving a patch of undeveloped land, not allowing this blot on the landscape.

I urge the Board to reject the proposed solar farm.

Respectfully,

Timothy Cleavenger