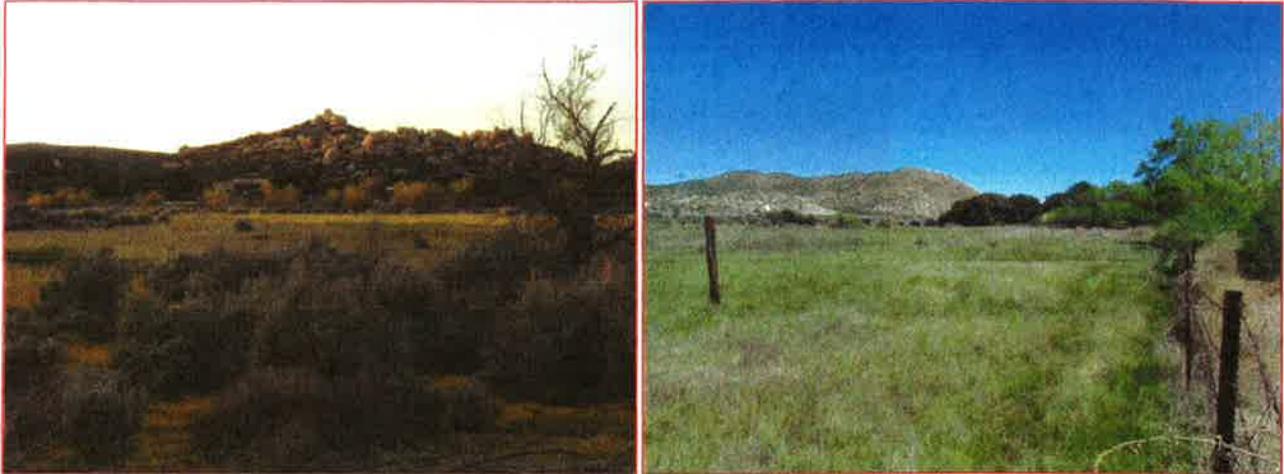


Photo on left is Soitec's ^{EAST} LanWest Solar site located in Boulevard along Historic Rt 80 (scenic) in Walker Creek floodplain that gets boggy during wet El Nino seasons. The newer solar powered home next door will be less than 300 feet from massive tracking and glaring experimental CPV modules.

Photo the right is Soitec's LanWest Solar site on property immediately to the east of LanWest in Walker Creek floodplain with seasonal wetlands where Bighorn Sheep and Golden Eagles have been seen feeding. Both properties are owned by absentee developer Greg Lansing of Lansing Companies—previously approved for several 40-acre residential lots.



Photos below show Soitec's 60 MW Tierra Del Sol project site proposed for 420 acres of private absentee owned land that abuts existing residences, oak groves, small livestock operations, and the cross-border ejido, Jardines Del Rincon.

Photo on left shows modest homes in Jardines del Rincon, south of the US/Mexico border fence, and oaks and Red Shank chaparral on the Tierra Del Solar site abutting the Homeland Security border easement road, north of the fence.

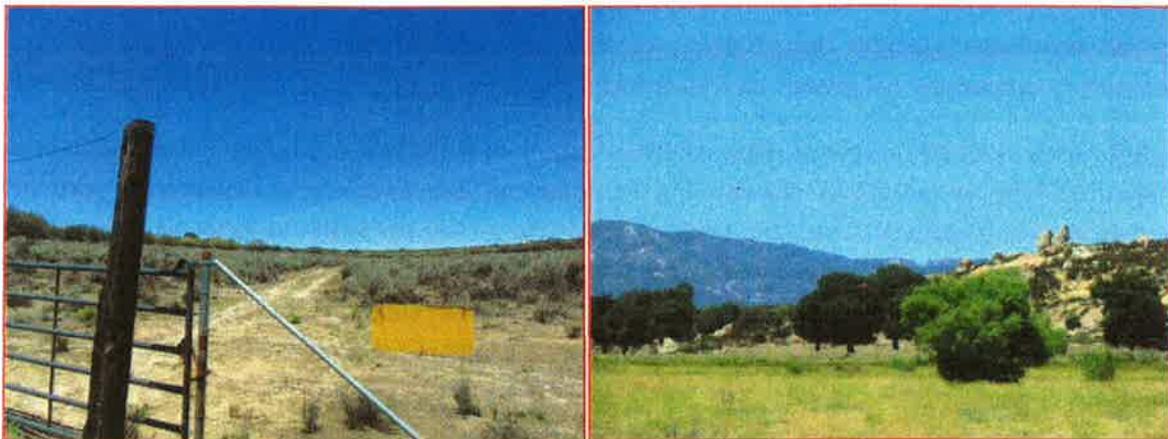
Photo on right shows SDG&E's Southwest Powerlink crossing the project site in the background. Instead of connecting on-site, several miles of a new 138 kV line and a loop-in facility will be needed to link into the new 138kV line linking SDG&E's new Boulevard Substation and new ECO Substation now under construction in the beautiful and environmentally sensitive Tierra Del Sol area and Jewel Valley area near Lake Domingo (not much of a lake – but a rare resource for wildlife).



Soitec's 4 CPV solar projects planned in Boulevard, Eastern San Diego County: Top photo of Tule Creek floodplain in McCain Valley, Boulevard, CA: Site of Soitec Solar's 80MW Rugged Solar project proposed for almost 800 acres of over 2,000 acres of absentee owned private land known as Rough Acres Ranch. SDG&E's controversial new Sunrise Powerlink is in the photo but will not be used for this project that will connect to SDG&E's new \$435M ECO Substation via new 138kV lines to new Boulevard Substation and 14 miles of new 138kV line through McCain Valley, Jewel Valley, and Jacumba.



Left photo below is another view of Soitec's 80 MW Rugged Solar site with sage brush, redshank, scrub oak, chaparral. **Right photo** is another view of the Rugged Solar site from the Tule Creek floodplain looking NW



Two photos below show massive oak (already stressed) and spring-fed pond (with Egret) that are located on State land between two sections of Rugged Solar project. Withdrawals of approximately 32.5M million gallons of groundwater to support Rugged Solar and Tule Wind projects will likely impact these rare treasures in our arid high desert area.



