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I am a resident of Jacumba and I strongly oppose the JVR Energy Park as described in the October 2020 Draft Environmental Impact Report. This project would place thousands of solar panels on 643 acres in Jacumba Valley adjacent to our village.

This project is wrong for rural Jacumba. It will lower our property values, destroy scarce wildlife habitat, destroy our rural community character, block scenic vistas, introduce fire danger risk into our neighborhood, and squander the remaining land that could be used for Jacumba's future growth. The JVR Park is NOT in keeping with land use descriptions in the Mountain Empire Sub-Regional Plan adopted in 2011. If built, this project's closeness to a rural village would set a bad precedence that would similarly affect other backcountry communities. **For those reasons, the Planning Commission and County Board of Supervisors must reject this project by choosing a no project alternative!**

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