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CC: Supervisor Diane Jacobs  
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Dear Susan Harris,

This is in regards to the 38 year JVR Solar Project in Jacumba California. I purchased a home in Jacumba California in October 2016. I chose Jacumba because of the beautiful hiking trails, the natural hot spring, and the wonderful people that occupy this town. Most people that visit come out here to enjoy our hot springs and the peace and quiet. The JVR project would change all that and possibly put our health at risk.

This project is too close to our homes. 75 feet is not enough space between your enormous solar panels with its battery storage units. It is going to affect our local wildlife and plants. The heat Island effect will increase our local temperature. It is already very hot during our summer months. Some of us do not have air conditioners. Our quiet town will be affected by months of construction and long-term noise from running the solar panels. Also, does anyone know how its going to affect our water? The town of Jacumba has already become a dumping ground for sex offenders and now they are turning our town into a solar panel farm. When will it end?

I hope that the County of San Diego and the JVR Solar Project consider the residents of Jacumba and the serious impact this project will have on our wonderful little town. I know everyone involved is only concerned about profits, but I hope they remember they are also dealing with peoples' homes and livelihood.

Sincerely,



Blanca P. Casanova