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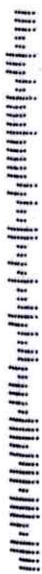
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Dear Mrs. Harris

I'm a resident of Jacumba since 1993 and I object to the Solar project for the following reasons:

First reason is all about aesthetics.

We moved here from Chicago to appreciate nature's open Jacumba Wilderness. The ridge lines have been blighted with High Voltage power lines that are of NO benefit to Jacumba. Do not take away our Valley. Wild horses, deer and bobcats would forever be replaced with chainlink fences and barbed wire. I don't believe that 35 years from now that the valley will be returned to nature. Not when they build large sub-stations, switch yards and battery towers.

Furthermore, I object to the size of the Solar panels behind these fences. At 15' tall and oscillating East to West the reflection will intensify the sun light ~~for~~ w hikers. The heat island effect increasing temperatures

Our Jacumba Valley is so quiet
it gets your attention. We comment
on it as we're out and about enjoying
our lives here. Humming noise is
NOT what I want.

I believe our property value will
be affected. The only reason to live
so far from the city is so you
can breathe, walk/hike and enjoy
the land, the views.

This Solar project will NOT directly
benefit Jacumba. This project
should be built down in the low
desert away from a community that
is currently reinventing itself
as a destination get away

There are health consequences to us,
the residents of Jacumba. Humming
noise, magnetic field, high heat, blinding
reflection, increased traffic and
decreased home value.

Sincerely
John Achmeier