

BOULEVARD PLANNING GROUP

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DATE: 7-7-21

TO: San Diego County Planning Commissioners via: Ann.Jimenez@sdcounty.ca.gov ; cc: Nicholas.Koutoufidis@sdcounty.ca.gov

FROM: Donna Tisdale, Chair, Boulevard Planning Group; 619-766-4170;
tisdale.donna@gmail.com

RE: July 9th Agenda Item #3: JVR Solar Energy Park Major Use Permit; PDS2018-MUP-18-022; PDS2018-ER-18-22-001

After a public discussion and review of project related documents at our regular meeting, held in person on July 1, 2021, our Boulevard Planning Group (BPG) voted unanimously 6-0-0 with Seat 1 vacant, to: “Authorize the Chair to submit a comment letter in opposition to the JVR Energy Park planned for Jacumba Hot Springs”.

These comments are brief due to the fact that there seems to be little to no respect or regard for public comments when it comes to sacrificing low-income rural communities for the benefit of so-called renewable energy developers and distant urban / suburban communities whose leaders sign Power Purchase Agreements prior to final environmental review or making site visits to see the real damage being done to our beloved Backcountry and those who live here.

1. Where is the Environmental Justice in this project? The so-called community benefits DO NOT justify the long-term harm the project represents for ground zero.
2. Please vote to deny approval of the FEIR, Statement of Overriding Considerations, CEQA Findings, and Staff Recommendations A & C.
3. Carefully manipulated wording in those documents cannot mitigate the vastly inadequate analysis of real world impacts that JVR Solar will inflict on the area.
4. Significant impacts remain despite alleged mitigation and will haunt this small community, a designated Colonia, now and for decades to come. It is a travesty.
5. Project Labor Agreements will not benefit Jacumba residents. The broader San Diego Community is 70 miles away and should not be credited as providing ‘local’ job benefits.
6. If you can’t find enough empathy or rationale to deny the project outright, please vote for the Jacumba Sponsor Group’s Equity for Jacumba Alternative.
7. At a minimum, vote for the Staff recommended Community Buffer. Both safety and compassion require a much bigger setback than originally proposed!
8. The Fire Protection Plan does not appear to include special foam or other similar equipment needed to suppress fires in Li-on Battery containers that produce clouds of toxic smoke that can roll over Jacumba, due to proximity to residents and businesses.

9. Recipients of JVR energy will not suffer through SDG&E's Public Safety Power Shutoff events while thousands of solar panels and battery storage containers and adjacent wind turbines hum noisily away next door, sending energy 70 miles west, while Jacumba residents sit in the dark.
10. Staff used almost 40 pages to respond to the BPG's previous well-documented comments /concerns (Response to Comment Letter 06) with the overall response being: *The comment does not raise an issue regarding the adequacy of the analysis contained within the Draft EIR; therefore no further response is required.*
11. For the Record, we strongly disagree and stand by our previous comments and concerns submitted on this project, which are incorporated here by reference.
12. **Failure to disclose:** It is our understanding from Jacumba Sponsor Group members that Christopher M. Brown is the consultant for project developer BayWa r.e. However, Mr. Brown (#782) is not listed / disclosed as such in the County of San Diego - Registered Lobbyists and Firms Represented list posted on the County website, dated Thursday, June 3, 2021¹
13. Nor is Mr. Brown listed in County of San Diego - Registered Lobbyists Sorted by Firms Represented as representing BayWa r.e Solar Project, LLC, or the JVR Energy Park, also dated June 3, 2021²
14. Mr. Brown has been lobbying for a long time. He should know the rules by now, and be held accountable for failure to do so.

Thank you for any review and consideration of these comments...

¹ <https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/cob/docs/lobbyists/firmsrepresented.pdf>

² <https://www.sandiegocounty.gov/content/dam/sdc/cob/docs/lobbyists/firmsrepresented-sorted.pdf>

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Eduardo Carnalla submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: It's always not in my backyard, but we can't wait to make the switch to renewable energy, I just installed solar on my home, everyone should do it, I would require visual mitigation on this project by creating a native flora (specially oak) forest around the area. Look into limiting panel density to maintain undisturbed land intermixed with panels.

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Alice Seward submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: I strongly object to this project, JVR Solar for many reasons. One of my main concerns is that the aquifer supplying the wells for this project could be depleted by current and future drought situations. The hydrology report based on today's criteria does not factor in severe drought. People that live outside of Jacumba Community Service District that currently utilize their own wells may have their water tables impacted by a loss of water to care for their families and their livestock.

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Becca Berggren submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: I'm a supporter of green energy, but not at the risk of harming an entire community. We oppose the current proposed project and support the alternative plan to decrease the solar farms size and adjust placement so as not to encroach on this historic town that is currently being revitalized for the benefit of the residents, visitors and wildlife. As a life long resident of San Diego, I appreciate the gem that Jacumba Hot Springs is with the natural hot springs, slow lifestyle, unique history.

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Cassandra Hudson submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: This is a very small town. Tourists won't like it anymore and stop coming. not a a place for large ugly solar panels. There are many more places that you could put this

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Celia Sigmon submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: As a 20-year resident of Jacumba, I do NOT support the JVR Energy Park. This project has permanent consequences: loss of land for community development, decrease in landscape aesthetics, decrease in property values, destruction of natural habitat for all native species, increase in ambient temperatures in the summer months, etc. Instead, I ask that the size of this project's footprint be reduced so that its permanent effects be lessened. This seems reasonable and equitable.

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Chris Drayer submitted a new eComment.

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Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: I am a strong supporter of renewable energy, including solar. However the location of these installations must be carefully considered. They are essentially industrial installations, and profoundly change the landscapes in which they are located. I am very familiar with the Jacumba area. It is a rural and picturesque landscape. The historic town of Jacumba is on the cusp of a revival. An INDUSTRIAL INSTALLATION would be wildly inappropriate in this setting. Please reject this proposal.

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Corbin Winters submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

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eComment: Jacumba is one of the last places in San Diego County that looks and feels the way it did 100 years ago. We live here for exactly this reason. This solar project will turn our beautiful, natural landscape into an industrial zone. The proposed size of the project will dwarf our small community. We need the space for our children to grow and explore and for our community to thrive. I am a homeowner and business owner in Jacumba and I support the alternative plan.

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D L submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: As a first time business owner in jacumba I think ruining the landscape and beautiful area is such a waste. Jacumba and it's magic water should be celebrated not a dumping ground and bullied. The town has come together and we all decided nobody wants this. We demand respect and ready to put it all on the line just to do what's right for the this small town.

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Dan Mannix submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: The Jacumba Hot Springs is a rural environment with natural beauty. The proposed Solar farm is completely opposite and is out of place. Recommend Vote: No Please see attachment for additional details.

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Project Jacumba photovoltaic modules 623 Acres JVR Energy Park

90 MW battery storage for up to 90 MW 35 year life span

Planning Commission County of San Diego PDS-2018-MUP-18-022 PDS2018-ER-18-22-001

Meeting Friday July 9th 2021

Developer : Bay Wa r.e.

Recommend to Vote: No

Comments by Jacumba Hot Springs property Owner: Dan Mannix

1. The proposed development boundary is on both sides of the gateway road, Old 80 to Jacumba. This is out of place to arrive at this Get-A-Way town in the back country.
2. The size of the development would dwarf the town. The town would be at about 15% of the total area while the proposed would be at about 85%. This is out of scale and should be reevaluated. Instead of Jacumba Hot Springs, the area's new name may be proposed to be "The Jacumba Solar farm". It will not be rural.
3. The proposed fencing and landscaping does not adequately address the view corridors. The proposed 110' setback is not adequate.
4. The proposed is proposed to be located on prime farmland. The LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) V4 LT Credit: Sensitive Land protection under Option 1 has PRIME Farmland an exclusion for development.
5. The proposed will provide a safe haven for illegal migrants coming across the border to hide. The protection fence is 6' high with razor wire on top. That appears to be an easy breach. Has CBP (US Customs and Border Protection) been contacted for comments?
6. The proposed photovoltaic modules will not provide any direct power for Jacumba Hot Springs houses.
7. The proposed development is inconsistent with the General Plan and Zoning laws. Small scale residential development is permitted, but an industrial development is inappropriate.
8. PV mounting details are not provided. It does not appear to be high wind resistant.
9. The 70'-115' pole height exceeds the maximum height for the area.
10. The storage battery areas will need to be addressed to comply with Haz-Mat codes with adequate containment for spills to protect the ground water.
11. The area is in a flood plain. What happens during a big storm?
12. The 30 feet fire clearing for wildfire protection is not consistent with County regulations.
13. The Biological Resources will be affected by this project.
14. Tribal Cultural artifacts are also a concern.
15. Jacumba Hot Springs new housing construction requires solar panels. What about utilizing the mandated roof mounted solar panels as a source for power in lieu of a solar farm?

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Demetrios Glaros submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: I oppose this project as the significant environmental and health impacts are not truly mitigatable. It's all smoke and mirrors and greed based at the expense of a historic community. We should the follow the European solar footprint of placing the projects within the cities that are utilizing the energy. They are not destroying their open spaces and vital farmland. We can't eat energy!! Find below the physics realities of Solar and Wind Energy by Prager University <https://youtu.be/RqppRC37Ogl>

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Diane Ang submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: www.sandiegocounty.gov/pds/PCHearing. Large groups wishing to comment on a common item are encouraged to submit e-comments or to identify one spokesperson to join the teleconference on behalf of the group. If you have any questions, please contact the Planning Commission Secretary at Ann.Jimenez@sdcounty.ca.gov.

eComment: This project is way to large and encroaches on the town and residents themselves. It will not only be an eyesore but will devalue property and create water and fire dangers. Consider Point of use solar instead. It is best to build these solar projects in the city of San Diego itself utilizing commercial rooftops and parking lots where the energy itself will be used. A small town like Jacumba (or Boulevard) far from the actual electrical usage is a burden to our communities.

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Drusilla Arnold submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: German co. making electricity for? What happens if the don't remove PV in 35 yrs?
Not sustainable to sell our land to other countries. PV are a blight on rural area, animals ,birds
and hazard to aviation. Does project use taxpayer money? Should not use 1 penny.

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Erin Tuatagaloa submitted a new eComment.

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Item: C. Public Communication: Opportunity for members of the public to speak to the Commission on any subject matter within the Commission's jurisdiction, but not an item on today's Agenda. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 333 879 56#

eComment: As a resident of Jacumba, I join my neighbors in opposing the solar farm in our community. It will be a sure death sentence for our neighborhood and bring unwanted negative impacts upon us. Please stop and relocate this project away from our homes and businesses.
Thank You

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Gloria Desmond submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: This will destroy this sweet community. It should be allowed to grow.

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GRACE Taubel submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: Solar farm this close to Jacumba will ruin the town, which is on the way to becoming a tourist destination. We do NOT want it here!!!

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HAROLD MEREDITH submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: As a homeowner in the quaint little town of Jacumba i vehemently oppose the solar project as it would have such a negative impact on the area and ruin a community that has long standing history and is a critical part of San Diego's back country. My wife has owned a house in Jacumba for over 20 years and this would make the area ugly and would be a terrible eyesore for any area anywhere!!!! Please do not ruin our little community when there are alternatives available. Please reconsider!!!!

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Ian Abramson submitted a new eComment.

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eComment: The flood plain east of Jacumba is an area of exceptional scenic beauty. The present plan would deface it for good, and moreover foreclose on Jacumba's ever expanding just when the area is showing signs of revival for the first time since Interstate 8 left Jacumba a backwater. I support containing the solar field in the several-hundred-acre area northeast of the town as indicated in the "Equity Map". It would be a lasting gift if the area around the border and Old 80 could be left as is.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Janin Ang submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: www.sandiegocounty.gov/pds/PCHearing. Large groups wishing to comment on a common item are encouraged to submit e-comments or to identify one spokesperson to join the teleconference on behalf of the group. If you have any questions, please contact the Planning Commission Secretary at Ann.Jimenez@sdcounty.ca.gov.

eComment: The small rural community of Jacumba is not suited for such a large scale Solar facility. I ask that it be either denied entirely or reduced in size and located away from the town itself. This is too big and ugly for a little town!

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Karen Jones submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: Quit dumping on Jacumba! We are a small peaceful community & want to stay just the way we are. People move here to escape the city and live a quiet, simple & healthy life and this project would have negative health impacts.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Mark Ostrander submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: Our community has been disproportionately impacted by all the projects in our area. Potential growth in our community gone We have suffered through construction traffic and large trucks have impacted our roads Increase fire danger, increased insurance cost. Distributive power not transmission Our community is a dumping ground for all those things that downtown does not want to see or have in their area The cumulative impacts from all the projects in our area do not seem to be fairly addressed

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Melvina Leon submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: Ocotillo is flat not much brush or people to interfere with plans. There is already wind turbines out there not bothering anyone. We in Jacumba do not want in anyway city junk placed in our back yard. We are reviving our little town. We have become the dumping ground for everyone and every thing the city don't want to UGLY their city, yet we pay the same high taxes with no services! No thank you! No to your solar power field.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Michael Jackson submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: This outcome will really show who San Diego politicians stand for in support of local voters or regional party interests. If you support big business over small county interests or just party line stamp you don't represent this community. 2022/2024 is an election year let's keep who supports San Diego in office.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Morgan Stevens submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: This project is a disservice to our historic & beautiful community. As stated in the FEIR, the aesthetic quality of our town will be forever changed & cannot be mitigated. Previously stated significant impacts have been downgraded to less than significant - not the case. Ripple effect of this project will play out for decades to come & will cause the death of this community for which there is no compensation. To approve this project would be irresponsible & against the will of the people.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Nancy Deal submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: The local landowners and homeowners alike bought in this area for the unique landscape and old California history. This historic town and industrial JVR Solar project just aren't a good match. Any dreams of revitalizing the area would be stalled or completely abandoned when you dismiss the integrity of the land. I believe the damage and impact this would have on the town and its community would be long lasting.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Natalie Filler submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: This JVR project would be a huge set back to a developing community with a lot of history. This project provides no advantage to the people of the community only long term damage.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Natalie Richards submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: I am opposed to the JVR Energy Park. The placement, footprint and long term effects of this project will hurt this developing town. Jacumba is a special place, with an incredible community that was once rich with history and now is in the process of a revitalization that will bring continued growth for not only the community, but for visitors and wildlife.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Steve Perelman submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: I don't like this project as proposed. It needs a much bigger buffer on Old Hwy 80 because the setbacks are too small.

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New eComment for Planning Commission Hearing

Susan Graham submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: I oppose the project in the current form but would support the "Equity for Jacumba Alternative.

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Thomas Hennessy submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: Planning Commission Hearing

Item: 3. JVR Solar; PDS2018-MUP-20-008. If you would like to speak on this item call (619) 343-2539 and use ID 4803 576 046#

eComment: As a frequent visitor to Jacumba Hot Springs, I strongly oppose this project. I have made dozens of visits to this town because it's remoteness, quaintness and its feel of old time California. While others went to the packed beaches myself and other families headed to the Hot Springs. Solar panel farms would ruin this for visitors and especially the residents. This town has to routinely fight to prevent child molesters being place in their midst. Now it's foreign corporate invaders. Vote no!

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