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Dear Minister,

I am writing on behalf of my constituents Jane and Lara Marsh regarding their concerns about proposals for Sunnica Energy Farm. They explain:

*“We spoke about the proposed and long hotly debated giant solar farm Sunnica and its irresponsible siting on prime farm land in Cambridgeshire/ Suffolk just north of Newmarket.*

*Please can you urgently bring this subject up again in Parliament as a final decision is about to be made. I have attached a recently published article from the Telegraph which begs in an open letter to Claire Coutinho to reconsider this Government’s position. This article words much more articulately than I can the points I would wish to make. There are millions of square metres available in brownfield sites all around the country - why not use those instead of our most precious food producing British farmland.*

*Another point to consider is that the first solar panels put up in this country are now nearing their 25 year sell-by date. This Government could put money instead towards recycling them here in this country. This is already being done successfully in France.”*

I would be very grateful for a response to these concerns which I can share with my constituents.

With very best wishes,

Laura

**Laura Farris MP**  
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