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It is of great concern that the plans to create the solar farms will impact negatively on all wildlife in the area. Changing the landscape effects all the wildlife that call it home. This has a domino effect on the environment.

There are many other locations that solar power could be placed and utilised without the negative impact on rural land. Warehouse and factory roofs, car parks are just some examples of large spaces where solar panels could be placed. This would leave our countryside alone as a place to grow and keep sustainable produce for an ever-growing population.

The government wants to 'build back better'. A sustainable society will not benefit from the environment being altered and effected to the point that the future of wildlife and usable farmland is no longer in existence or a possibility.

Furthermore, with the growing mental health crisis and greater emphasis on wellbeing, why should our countryside be taken away. Time in nature has been scientifically provento improve mental health. Destroying our local countryside and environment steels this from us.

I strongly urge you to consider relocating this solar farm to sites that can double up their use and allow nature to thrive instead. Give farmers the power to 'build us back better' and create a sustainable source of food for all of us. Give us the gift of nature so we can nurture our souls and help us to thrive not strive.