

*The UK and global population rises, food is running short, land MUST NOT BE LOST to solar panels when there are viable alternatives eg roof top

* climate for growing food is decreasing globally. Lincolnshire, especially Lindsey, has excellent corn-growing climate, must not be sacrificed.

*oilseed rape is widely grown in W Lindsey. Olive farmers are reporting failure of crops as it has become too hot, so OSR is increasingly important.

*loss of agricultural land to solar must be added to loss to housing, roads, industry..LOOK AT THE OVRALL LOSS.

* Loss of habitat for wildlife, lanes widened, species-rich verges obliterated...they are the last stronghold of many wild flowers eg cowslips

*Loss of hedge rows/nesting sites

*REDUCTION OF CARBON DIOXIDE UPTAKE THROUGH PHOTOSYNTHESIS is inevitable with removal of any plants, to make the access roads etc

*I do not think the project should go ahead, but if it did, THERE MUST BE COMPENSATORY PLANTING OF TREES, protection of ALL MATURE TREES, HEDGE SCREENING, SMALL AREAS OF MEADOW. every small area counts

*consider the impact of noise pollution on people and wildlife, plant noise-absorbing hedges

*consider the adverse impact of LIGHT POLLUTION on many species, disrupting migration, nesting, feeding ..limit lighting..no un-essential security lighting

* the area of Sturton/Stow/ Willingham would be surrounded, 13,000 acres in a 6 mile radius, when joined together. This is NOT REASONABLE.