

Re: SSD- 29508870-Birriwa Solar Farm

☒ I declare I have not made any reportable political donations in the last two years.

☒ I acknowledge and accept the Department of Planning and Environment's disclaimer and declaration

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I OBJECT to [REDACTED] the Birriwa Solar Farm for the following reasons:

1. IMPACT IT WILL HAVE ON COMMUNITY - RURAL AND SURROUNDING TOWNS THROUGH LOSS OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIVITY.
2. SOLAR FARMS ONLY HAVE LIFE OF 20-25 YEARS. THEN REQUIRE EXPENSIVE REBUILDING OR RECYCLING. FARMING & GRAZING HAS AN INFINITE LIFE SPAN.
3. WHAT EFFECT IT WILL HAVE ON MY ADJOINING FARM - IE ABILITY TO SPRAY CROPS, BURN OFF STUBBLE, DECREASE LAND VALUE DUE TO APPEARANCE OF THE SOLAR FARM AND INFRASTRUCTURE IE TOWERS.
4. ACCESS TO THE PROPOSED AREA FOR THE BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE OF THE SOLAR FARM. ROADS ARE ALREADY IN A BAD CONDITION DUE TO WET WEATHER AND WEIGHT OF TRUCKS ON MAIN ROADS. WHO WILL PAY FOR UPGRADE AND UPKEEP? COUNCIL - IE RATEPAYERS, GOVERNMENT OR THE DEVELOPER?