

JINDERA GLENELLEN SIGNATURES

**SAY NO TO SOLAR PLANTS ON 1600 ACRES OF PRIME  
AGRICULTURAL LAND WITHIN 5 KMS OF JINDERA**

**PETITION AGAINST THE DEVELOPMENT OF SOLAR PLANTS WITHIN 5 KMS OF JINDERA ON HIGHLY  
PRODUCTIVE AGRICULTURAL LAND**

1. *We are a concerned group from Jindera and surrounds who are not against renewable energy but disagree with site selection of good agricultural land that is within 5 kms of the Jindera Village;*
2. *Site selection for both the CWP (Glenellen) and Green Switch (Jindera) proposed solar plants, is based on accessibility to existing electrical infrastructure rather than the true suitability of the land;*
3. *The impact of solar plants on the productivity of the underlying farming land which would be converted into non-agricultural and for the life of project, typically 30 years; For example disturbances of soil microbiology as a result of lack of UV light as a result of solar panel installation;*
4. *The impacts to neighbouring agricultural land including sediment run-off, impacts from the ongoing removal of vegetation, biodiversity impacts and loss of natural habitats, pest control limitations, impact on ability to treat invasive weeds, suppress bushfires and radiant heat effects.*