Comment #0037 Badger Mountain Project Docket #210747

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I am sending this email in response to the proposal by Aurora Solar to construct a solar generation facility on Badger Mountain in East Wenatchee, Washington.

While I believe in energy independence and understand the importance of renewable energy nationwide, I am not in favor of utilizing such a large tract of property for a solar facility in an area that sustains a very diverse ecosystem. This ecosystem could be irreparably damaged from the placement of such a massive solar array in ways that cannot be adequately determined beforehand.

Chelan and Douglas Counties already have some remarkable assets providing an ample supply of renewable energy for our region and I cannot personally support a new project that would forever change so much natural habitat.

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