

I understand the need for sustainable forms of energy generation, but the destruction of farmland and rural communities is the wrong approach. The project is in the wrong place, and the Applicant should turn its attention to alternative locations and methods of power generation that do not have such devastating impacts on farm land. The following are just a few of the proposed or expanding sites in North Buckinghamshire:

- Rosefield Solar Farm (EDF/PS Renewables): A major project proposed near the Claydons and Calvert. It has been designated a Nationally Significant Infrastructure Project (NSIP) due to its scale. Updated plans in 2024 reduced the area to 279ha (689 acres), focusing on land near the East Claydon substation.
- Crosshouse Solar Farm (Thornborough): An 88-hectare solar farm proposed on agricultural land between Buckingham and Milton Keynes. The 49.99MW project is designed to be temporary, with a 50-year lifespan before decommissioning.
- Maggie's Solar Farm (near Aylesbury): A proposal by Low Carbon for a 49.9MW site near Longwick-cum-Ilmer, South West of Aylesbury.
- Longbreach Solar Farm (Granborough): A project by Noventum Power involving solar arrays and sheep grazing to maintain agricultural use.
- Moat Farm Solar Park (Aylesbury Vale): A 24.85 MW solar farm proposal for land near Bishopstone.
- Wicken Farm Leckhampstead solar farm is a solar farm in pre-construction in Buckinghamshire, South East, England, United Kingdom.
- Gib Lane Solar Farm is situated within the boundaries of four Parishes, Bierton with Broughton, Hulcott, Aston Clinton and Buckland
- Westcott Venture Park to install 35-acre solar array

Add to this the other major infrastructure projects already approved: HS2, East West Rail, Ministry of Justice MEGA Prison, and the Energy from Waste site.

Also in the pipeline are the BESS, National Grid upgrade and the 94,000 houses Bucks council has to build in the next 20 years. All of this would have a devastating effect on North Buckinghamshire.