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As a resident of Earls Barton, we write to raise the following objections to the proposed development of Green Hill Solar Farm. In particular:

1. The loss of good quality agricultural land is a matter of major concern especially given the increased need to focus on food security.
2. The loss of wildlife habitat at a time of increased focus on biodiversity. We have regularly seen a wide range of wild animals in the locality- deer, foxes and wild birds.
3. The loss in amenity for residents and visitors. We frequently take walks in beautiful countryside in the locality, a pleasure that will be lost to us or, at least, severely constrained.
4. The fire risk associated with the battery storage facility.

We have not seen any evidence that alternatives have been fully considered and evaluated. Why, for instance, is it not a planning requirement that the vast expanse of flat roofs on logistics depots are utilised for siting solar collection arrays thereby avoiding the need for agricultural land-take?

Kind regards

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