Dear Fellow Residents of District 1

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On November 7, 2018, at 7:00 PM the Farmington Town Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on an application submitted by Delaware River Solar, LLC to construct a Large Scale Solar PV solar power plant. The project would involve at least 40 acres of land along Fox and Yellow Mills Rd. A 40 acre power plant, with a life expectancy of 35 years, will be constructed and operated in our area of the Town of Farmington. Our area of the Town has historically been rural, agricultural and open. The Town Master Plan envisioned our area continuing to be rural, agricultural and open.

Based upon the information we have been able to obtain, it is our concern that if this project is approved it will have a significant negative impact on all of us in terms of what it means to live in this part of Farmington. We have also learned that this impact is not offset by any benefit to the people who live in this Town. There is no reduction in utility rates; there is no electricity provided to us. What we get is a power plant located in a rural, agricultural and open area. We have attached a photo of a solar power plant located in Newfield, New York. The plant is significantly smaller in size than the one that is proposed at Fox and Yellow Mills Road.

We urge you to attend the November 7, 2018 meeting at the Farmington Town Hall 1000 County Rd. 8. Listen to the proposal and please ask questions and state your opinions.

Thank you

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