

I was there for the Environmental meeting on October 11, 2023
I was not provided with enough time to speak.

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Rural America is rapidly being industrialized at the expense of many for the profit of a few. Our Governor and MPSC should NOT dictate the outcome of our physical and natural environment compared to the thousands in every township that say NO.

It will take millions of acres of Michigan farmland to supply the energy for this state using a 100% carbon free agenda. Because of the unending greed of the renewables industry, we will soon find our entire countryside filled with these monstrosities.

Our children and future generations will be the ones paying for this costly industry. Their essential land and food sources will be lost.

We can tell our kids about environmental toxicity and landfills they will fill. How these industrial materials are deemed and discarded as hazardous materials which most landfills can't take. Yet were expected to live next to them?? They will tell you they can be recycled. They don't, it's too costly. We can use California, Texas, and all other countries as examples that have failed with unreliable "green energy", that has resulted in blackouts that couldn't keep their lights on, and their homes warm.

We can tell our kids how energy companies will be building TENS OF THOUSANDS OF ACRES of solar panels, noisy inverters, toxic battery storage facilities, miles of access roads, metal fencing like prisons, transformers, overhead transmission lines, industrial substations, underground electrical cables 100 feet from their homes and where agricultural land is (which we once preserved).

They will experience life with homes that have miles of solar fields, towering wind turbines 600 feet from their property that they no longer can build on, and they will soon need to travel to see an unscathed landscape. This will no longer be, PURE MICHIGAN
WHEN THE PRESCRIPTION FOR SAVING THE ENVIRONMENT IS TO DESTROY NATURE THEN IT'S NOT THE SOLUTION.

This green agenda push has citizens believing this is free energy because the sun shines, the wind blows, and it's going to save this planet. This is what they want us to believe.
WHAT GOOD IS SAVING THE PLANET, IF YOU RUIN THE LIVES OF THE PEOPLE LIVING HERE.

Science and what other states and countries have experienced NOW know differently. LET'S LEARN FROM THEIR MISTAKES.

We are not just collateral damage. We've invested our blood, sweat, tears, and money into our homes for our families. We elected our local officials and Government to preserve this for us and future generations.

The majority of the voices HERE say WE want our agricultural land preserved and not plowed over by industrial solar arrays and wind turbines.

I urge you to vote NO to the bills being presented.
that will break apart fundamental township ordinances, and force rural residents to succumb to an unrealistic agenda at our expense.

Sincerely,

A concerned parent

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