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RE: Proposed Solar Project North of Dillon in Beaverhead County

Dear Interested Party,

Thank you for your interest in the proposed solar development project north of Dillon in Beaverhead County; we value your input. We have enclosed the Frequently Asked Questions for this project, and in addition, there is also a DNRC webpage for the project that will have continuing updates: www.dnrc.mt.gov/solar. We encourage you to visit the webpage and sign-up as an "Interested Party" to receive email notifications on this project.

The commercial lease for the proposed solar development will be presented to the Montana Board of Land Commissioners (Land Board) for consideration on Monday, May 20, 2019 at 9:00 am in the Supreme Court Chambers, in the Mazurek Justice Building at 215 N Sanders Street in Helena. The meeting agenda will be available at www.dnrc.mt.gov/landboard on Friday, May 10, 2019.

Note: Approval of the lease by the Land Board allows the DNRC and the proponent to proceed with further due diligence for the proposed development prior to entering into the lease. Due diligence includes public meetings, scoping, and completion of an environmental analysis, and the proponent's efforts to secure any other necessary permitting and power purchase agreements.

The Land Board meeting will be broadcast live online. To watch the meeting live online, visit www.dnrc.mt.gov/landboard and click the **Live Meeting Broadcast** link on the right of the page. We recommend that you visit this site in advance of the Land Board meeting, to ensure that your device has the software necessary to view the live stream.

For questions or to provide comments on the proposed solar project please email DNRCapexsolar@mt.gov.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure: Frequently Asked Questions