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EFSEC, the Carriger solar project is not consistent with the current land use. The current land use is farming and ranching NOT an industrial solar complex. The closest industrial complex in our county is Lund Hill solar and it is 35 miles away and sited on sub-standard land not suited for farming or ranching. The proposed site of the Carriger project is on prime farmland and this industrial solar complex must not be sited there. This industrial solar complex will prevent the production of needed food for Americans and will destroy this prime farmland for future production. This industrial solar complex violates the Farmland Preservation Act [Chapter 89.10 RCW: FARMLAND PRESERVATION](#). Carriger solar will be a blight on the land, destroy people's property values and enjoyable way of life. You do not do any studies on the negative impacts Carriger solar will have on the humans/people who will be forced to live by this useless dangerous industrial solar project. It will not destroy you EFSEC people's property values or your enjoyable lives. But you get paid to destroy ours. You are as heartless as Cypress Creek. You don't care about the people you harm. No high paying jobs will be created and Carriger solar will not power any homes in Klickitat County because their Power Purchase Agreement sells all the electricity outside of the county. The 63-megawatt BESS is a real danger to every citizen living near it. BESS will house dangerous lithium-ion batteries which have a history of spontaneous combustion, explosions and release deadly fumes which have the potential to harm or killed nearby citizens. There is no known method which is able to extinguish a BESS lithium-ion battery fire as proven by the Moss Landing BESS fire in Monterey California <https://duckduckgo.com/?q=MOSS+LANDING+bess+FIRE&t=brave&ia=web> Avistra claimed they had state of the art fire detection and suppression systems. They all failed to extinguish the BESS lithium-ion battery fire. Carriger solar is making the same claims, but they are all lies and you EFSEC people believe them. Why shouldn't you the BESS will not be near your homes. The Monterey County first responders just allowed the Moss Landing fire to burn out while releasing deadly fumes. This BESS lithium-ion batteries exploded releasing deadly fumes which harmed the people and heavy metal contamination was found 27 miles away. The Carriger BESS lithium-ion batteries will be located on land not readily accessible to the local first responders and who are not trained or equipped to extinguish a BESS lithium-ion fire. No fire hydrants are there to provide water to control the burning land. People's lives and property will be in danger and possibly burned to the ground. No worries those homes will not belong to EFSEC people. The first responders should not be put in harm's way so Cypress Creek can make money. These energy projects are not clean, reliable or affordable and are not welcomed Klickitat County or in eastern Washington. EFSEC NO Carriger solar in Klickitat County and NO more solar in eastern Washington. Why don't you site an industrial solar complex next to your homes or Ferguson's. Why don't you site wind turbines in Puget Sound and listen the westside people protest. NIMBAs everyone just like EFSEC. Wake up to your useless clean energy and stop permitting these solar projects especially Carriger. We DO NOT want it here. Permit it in Santa Monica, California. EFSEC you are despicable for only giving the people two days to comment and this illustrates you don't care about the people only Cypress Creek's Carriger solar. Greg Wagner C.E.A.S.E. CITIZENS EDUCATED ABOUT SOLAR ENERGY

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Carriger Solar Draft Order 899

Dear interested persons,

The Carriger Solar Draft Order 899 Order Granting Expedited Processing is available for comment on our website under the "Orders" header:

<https://www.efsec.wa.gov/energy-facilities/carriger-solar>

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