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I live in Wendell, a town that has been quite concerned about the cutting of forest for ground mounted solar.

And yet, I support these solar projects.

I read that if we use all possible roof capacity we can only meet 1/3 of power generation by solar. This is not enough. The only way to step back from carbon emissions is ground-mounted solar. It will be painful, but doing so is the moral issue of our time. We must do our best to address global warming.

I know that the forest sequesters carbon, but I also know that solar will remove 2-8 times more carbon from being emitted, acre for acre. The math clearly supports cutting forests.

I believe laws are needed to mandate solar for all new construction and for all parking, but I know that you don't make the laws.

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