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I am a MA resident from Belchertown. We have been going through a heartbreaking battle to keep a local land owner from cutting down forested areas to put up solar panels. The town wants solar but NOT at the expense of valuable, carbon holding trees!
Solar panels should be sited carefully and rationally; in old landfills, along highways, in parking lots (with outlets for electric cars to plug in), on municipal buildings, on schools. NOT IN FORESTS!
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