

July 15, 2020

Town of Portsmouth
Zoning Board of Review
2200 East Main Road
Portsmouth, RI 02871

RE: (R-20) Christopher and Debra Burnett (owners) seek a special use permit to construct a Small Solar Energy System (Art. V Sec. J.3) located at 415 Sea Meadow Drive (42A-55).

To Whom It May Concern:

We object to the request for a special permit made by the above mentioned homeowners. There are currently two freestanding, unsightly structures in clear view when passing by the residence. The structures appear homemade and look absurd. Sea Meadow Farms is a neighborhood that prides itself on tidy and well-kept homes and properties. These structures are an eye sore.

Additionally, the structures are in violation of the Sea Meadow Farms neighborhood covenant: "No structure shall be erected upon the granted premises for any purpose or use other than for one single family dwellinghouse and for one private garage for the housing of a maximum of three vehicles..."

The structures open the door for unsightly solar farming. Please deny the request for a special permit for this solar energy system.

Jonathan and Bethany Pritchard
330 Sea Meadow Drive