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**In the Matter of PUC Docket Numbers IP7041/GS-20-763, IP7041/CN-20-764,  
IP7041/TL-20-265 & OAH Docket Number 82-2500-38038 (Byron Solar)**

Chair Sieben & Members of the Public Utilities Commission,

The proposed Byron Solar project is vital to securing Minnesota's energy future and it protects landowner rights. Because of this, we strongly support Byron Solar and encourage the PUC to approve the project at the earliest possible time.

The Minnesota Land & Liberty Coalition® (L&LC) is a statewide non-profit organization made up of farmers, landowners, taxpayers, ratepayers, and proponents of an all-of-the-above energy solution here in Minnesota. We believe landowners should ultimately decide what they develop on their property so long as it does not negatively impact the livelihood, health, or wellness of others.

We support the Byron Solar project as presented. The Byron Solar project will create local construction jobs, stimulate the local economy during construction, provide additional streams of income to landowners, and strengthen our energy grid. Moreover, the Byron Solar project will power at least 30,000 homes and businesses.

Minnesota must continue to be a bastion for economic competition, affordable energy, and foster private investment. The Byron Solar project will provide a benefit for the counties, residents, and businesses in which it is sited. The L&LC encourages the PUC to decisively reaffirm Minnesota is open for business.

Sincerely,

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