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Clerk's office: please forward this to all county commissioners.

Dear commissioners,

Please vote to approve grant submission for the Government Center solar project.

This is a great opportunity to set an example for home and business owners in Leelanau County. There's so much we can do to reduce carbon emissions and diminish their impact on our climate.

I myself had a heat pump installed two winters ago, which is reducing our energy consumption and also saving money compared to heating with propane. I expect it to pay for itself in well under 10 years (even without subsidies!). We also purchased an American made electric vehicle this year, which we now drive almost exclusively.

So please, strike a blow for energy conservation, and set an example in Leelanau County. Vote to approve grant submission for the Government Center solar project. And thank you all for your service to our community!

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