Glennellen Solar Farm Objection

I have a number of objections to the current planned positioning of the Glennellen Solar Farm. I am very much in favour of solar as a way of the future to help meet the growing demands for electricity I feel however that the proposed site has not been considered carefully enough for the following reasons.

* This land is currently being used as prime farming land. I feel that the use of this land for farming is much better. Surely there are better areas where farming is not as viable that would suit solar farming.
* The area where these solar panels are planned is often shrouded in thick fog during the winter months and sometimes this fog can linger until midday and beyond. Again I am sure that there are better areas where fog is not an issue.
* I have concerns about what will happen to the solar panels when they are no longer effective. The large cost to manufacture and then the clean up at the end of their use by date. Will they end up in Australian landfill? Will these foreign owned companies care?
* I have concerns for the people owning neighbouring properties to the solar farms. No doubt the property value of their land will be reduced. These people have worked long and hard for the properties they own to have a solar farm built next door is not only an eyesore but reduces the value of the dream homes. No one wants to walk around their dream home to see solar panels. These are country people who live here because they enjoy looking at a view of the Australian land.
* The vehicles that will need to use the small country roads in order to bring in the supplies and contractors will create no end of problems. My understanding is that Drumwood Road will be used for smaller vehicles while the larger vehicle will use another route. As I currently live on Drumwood road and my children travel to and from their school bus on this road I have concerns for their safety.
* As small business owner I also rely on local farmers to keep my business going. By turning farming land into solar farms this will affect my business.

I would like this proposal to be carefully considered. Perhaps there are much better suited areas for solar farms that will not use good farming land and have a drastic effect on the local community. Thank you for your time.