

SB 52 *appears* to be written so that local citizens have a say in energy projects in their area. *Instead* it is written to make it easier for a few to prevent wind and solar projects. If it were truly bill to give citizens input into what happens to their property, the bill would include gas and oil wells, waste disposal wells, and pipelines.

It is not a good practice in Ohio legislation – to give some people special hurdles to jump while others have none. This legislation on wind and solar gives the appearance of a legislature in cahoots with the petroleum industry.

It should not pass.

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