

# **DON'T LET THEM CUT DOWN 68 ACRES OF TREES**

## **FOR AN ENERGY PLAN THAT WAS REJECTED BY THE STATE !**

**Connecticut joined a multi-state effort to encourage clean energy projects,  
but opposed the Candlewood Solar project.**

**The state was outvoted by Massachusetts and Rhode Island,  
and now we have to deal with Candlewood Solar's huge power utility plant.**

Connecticut realized that they were losing enormous amounts of forest and active farmland to solar sprawl. So, the state passed new legislation, effective July 1, 2017, to protect core forests and active farmland.

- Yet Candlewood Solar is still forging ahead, exploiting the fact that their application was rushed in just 72 hours before the new state restrictions went into effect.
- The New Milford Town Council voted to grant a tax abatement for this project, forcing the community to subsidize it.
- It's now up to the state Siting Council We need to tell them why this project is bad for New Milford.

**Join with**

**RESCUE CANDLEWOOD MOUNTAIN**

**Help stop the destruction  
of farmland and forests!**

**Attend our meeting to get organized:**

**7pm, Tuesday, Sept 12**

**St John's Episcopal Church,**

**on the green in New Milford ; entrance at 7 Whittlesey Avenue**

**And be at the SITING COUNCIL HEARING:**

**6:30pm, Tuesday, Sept 26**

**New Milford TOWN HALL, 10 Main Street**

***MORE INFO AT:***

**[RescueCandlewoodMountain.org](http://RescueCandlewoodMountain.org)**