## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Concerning a Proposed Solar Farm Project in Unincorporated MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Notice is hereby given to all interested persons that a public hearing will be held by the County of Montgomery at the Historic Courthouse, Located at #1 Courthouse Square in Hillsboro, Illinois on Monday, March 24, 2025 at 6:00 PM. The public hearing will be held in the County Board Room on the second floor. The purpose of the hearing is to discuss the proposed solar project application for the construction and operation of Montgomery Springs Solar (the "Project"), an approximately 5 megawatt alternating current (MWac) ground-mounted solar facility on private land, spanning two parcels in Montgomery County, Illinois. The Applicant is the owner of the proposed Montgomery Springs Solar Project. The Project will be located across two parcels, 29-acre (PRN# 16-24-176-004) and 1-acre (PRN# 16-24-127-007) in Taylor Springs that is owned by Dorothy Race, who has leased the Property to the Applicant. Located just east of the Village of Taylor Springs along IL Route 127, the Property is currently in agriculture production and is bordered on three sides by parcels currently used for agriculture. A village community building lies to the NW of the project area. The application will be available for review in room 202 of the Historic Courthouse located at #1 Courthouse Square Hillsboro, Illinois. In said public hearing, all interested persons will be given the opportunity to present both written and oral comments and testimony regarding the Solar Farm Application.