**PUBLIC COMMENTS SUBMITTED BY BARBARA SEVERANCE FOR THE OCT 18-20, 2022 HEARING**

**Per testimony at the NMED Hearing, it was revealed that the Roper Construction Plant in Carrizozo has never been inspected for compliance for environmental controls. Therefore, this sets a precedence for how NMED will continue non-compliance with their own regulations here in Alto. Thus the ruling to deny the Air Quality Permit should stand.**