

Silvia Stenitzer

Dear NMED staff,

My name is Silvia Stenitzer. I live in Santa Fe, NM, and I am writing to voice my deep concern and great anxiety about the risks and harms Project Jupiter poses to New Mexicans. I urge you in my name and the name of our children and grandchildren, that you, the New Mexico Environment Department, reject Yucca Growth Infrastructure, LLC's air permit application for the YGI Microgrid in Doña Ana County. I urge you to act in good conscience and for the well-being of humans and nature, but not GREED and DESTRUCTION. You are mandated by us the people of New Mexico and you are the department of environment. PROTECT OUR ENVIRONMENT!

The project's proposed fuel cell powered grid is concerning for many reasons:

It would still produce a high level of greenhouse gas and toxic pollutants.

This technology generates toxic waste, and the process for handling this waste is still unclear.

Fuel cell technology or a centralized waste system has never been tried at this scale.

Surrounding communities' air will be severely impacted by this development.

I urge the NMED to reject the Jupiter Project!!! We have to be responsible for our land, not just exploiting and destroying our Earth! PLEASE! I ask the department to please hold a bilingual public hearing near the Santa Teresa community, so that residents can learn about the risks associated with fuel cell technology.

Sincerely,

Silvia Stenitzer