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Hello, I have had great concern over the past few months about the rise of data centers and the detrimental environmental harm they are causing. We only have this one planet and we're killing it. Heavy water usage, greenhouse gases, the strain on the electrical grid, it's all avoidable. We do not need more data centers. We should be protecting and healing our lands. Not sucking the life out of it. I strongly urge you to reconsider Project Jupiter and use your influence for the better of the world and its people. Not just the select few at the top. The public should be given an additional 60 days to review and comment on the air quality permit so community members can participate equitably.

The air quality permit application should be denied outright given Bloom Energy's history of illegal dumping hazardous waste. Approving this permit would be government-sponsored environmental racism directed at residents of Doña Ana County.

If the permit is not denied outright, a public hearing needs to be held in Santa Teresa, in both English and Spanish, with an option to participate virtually. Thank you