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I am writing to voice my strong opposition to Yucca Growth Infrastructure LLC setting up in New Mexico. New Mexico, as a state, does not have the resources necessary to keep a data center of the proposed size up and running. While I am opposed on environmental grounds, I am also opposed because of recent and disturbing developments regarding data centers and their surrounding communities. When there is not enough energy or water, the data centers tend to be prioritized instead of the community - this can be seen in many, MANY instances across the US recently. New Mexico does not have much water: data centers need a lot of water: this is a setup for disaster for the community if Yucca LLC is allowed to build. Data centers employ very few people relative to the resources they consume, so it will not be a trade-off or net positive, instead it will be a net negative for Dona Ana County.

Additionally, I am deeply skeptical of the trustworthiness of this project - it has also changed its name recently to Yucca Growth Infrastructure LLC from "Project Jupiter". This project was in the news recently having been accused of using the names of citizens to claim/spoof support for its data center: however, the citizens claim that they did not consent to their names being used in support, nor did they support Project Jupiter building in their community (as alleged through this link:

<https://www.organmountainnews.com/project-jupiter-public-comments-names-used-without-permission>

This is deeply concerning: a simple name change looks more like trying to evade bad press given this context. Due to these highly disturbing allegations, sketchy practices, and to the aforementioned concerns regarding resource/water stress, I would strongly encourage halting all permitting for Yucca Growth Infrastructure LLC, ideally in perpetuity, but at the very least until it is clear whether or not it has any genuine community support.