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I am writing to strongly urge NMED to require Solar and wind and battery to be the great preponderance of power for this Data Center. This was the original proposal. This location has plenty of solar potential and construction methods are well understood and can meet the timeline required. We need to bear in mind that the proposed fuel cells consume natural gas and are massive greenhouse gas emitters:

Total air pollutant emissions to the atmosphere are estimated to be approximately: Nitrogen Oxides (NOx) at 37.2 tons per year (tpy); Carbon Monoxide (CO) at 161.2 tpy; Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) at 124.0 tpy;

This destroys all the difficult work New Mexico has done to reduce our emissions.

If NMED requires clean energy before approving, this will be a blessing to our economy. If the currently proposed gigantic spewing of lung-attacking and planet-heating gases is approved, it will be a curse.

Please require this be fair to all of us as it benefits our economy and require clean power before you approve.

-Tim Buxton and Mary Kay Anderson