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I demand that Project Jupiter ceases the entirety of the project for the betterment of the state, and all of the people who are going to be affected. The Rio Grande is already bone dry, and every summer is going to get only hotter and hotter from this point on if we do not do anything to stop building data centers. Greenhouses gases will destroy the quality of the air, and the environment. To brand Project Jupiter as opportunity and to polish it as if it will only bring good to New Mexico is entirely false, and downright misinformation. Changing the technology to fuel cell technology does not change anything, or the risks that building this data center will bring. The amount of hazardous waste created is bigger than three of the largest cities combined in all of New Mexico. It is absolutely horrifying. We are already in a nationwide water bankruptcy, and the area they want to build in already does not meet nation air quality standards. Project Jupiter has no place in the state of New Mexico, or any place on Earth. If you claim to care about improving the state and providing for all of the people, you would not build a ginormous, resource-sucking factory that will be sure to put an end to us faster. As I am only 18 years old, I don't want to have children in a world where the temperature reaches boiling hear and water becomes limited due to computers that do more harm than good. There is no sustainable version of extraction no matter how developers power it. I demand that NMED reject the developers' latest air quality permit application. I love my state, and the people inside it, their lives are not worth a warehouse full of hazardous computers. NMED's job to protect the public health of New Mexicans, and moving forward with this project would put every single person at risk. Our lives are not worth being replaced with bots, and machinery. Please protect us NMED.

The public should receive an extra 60 days to review and comment, because we have the rights and the say to reject billion dollar companies plans. The air quality permit application should be denied because of Bloom Energy's history of illegally dumping hazardous waste, there is nothing stopping them from doing it again, and speeding up the process of poisoning New Mexico faster than before. If the permit is not denied, multiple public hearings need to be held in Santa Teresa, and other cities in both English and Spanish, with an option to participate virtually. Approving this permit would be government-sponsored environmental racism as residents of Doña Ana County are already disproportionately impacted by environmental pollution.

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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.

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