

Hinepukohurangi Tiuka Grant

Dear NMED staff, my name is Hinepukohurangi, although I live overseas, I can still see and understand the risks to living and health this would cause the residents of New Mexico if Project Jupiter is to go through. Aswell as risks to animals and the enviroment. I am submitting this comment to urge the New Mexico Environment Department to reject Yucca Growth Infrastructure, LLC's air permit application for the YGI Microgrid in Doña Ana County. This project would not only affect the people of New Mexico, the effects could damage the environment for the entire world. Mega AI data centres are completely unethical, the data centres consume large amounts of water daily, however, there are still HUMANS who are unable to access clean drinking water. The fuel cell power grid is concerning for many reasons: - it will produce massive volumes of greenhouse gas and toxic pollutants - this process makes toxic waste, the way of handling this waste is still unclear - the air in surrounding communities will be negatively impacted by this project. I urge the NMED to outright reject YUCCA Yucca Growth Infrastructure, LLC's air permit application for the YGI Microgrid. 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, Hinepukohurangi Tiuka Grant