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The construction of Project Jupiter will have negative ramifications beyond Doña Ana county. The air quality issues will effect residents like my family in Sierra County. The water consumption will disrupt the livelihood of tens of thousands of New Mexicans who already live in a drought-plagues state. The 'job generation' will not create jobs for locals but for higher skilled workers from out of state. The stress on the power grid will have economic consequences on an already 49th poorest state in the US. Please consider the direct effects that the construction of this AI data center will have on a state that already struggles to take care of its own. No more exploitation of our natural resources and peoples!

Your new plant proposal still uses the same amount of energy. And will need new gas pipelines built. This is all destructive to surrounding areas and communities.

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 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, a public hearing needs to be held in Santa Teresa, in both English and Spanish, with an option to participate virtually.