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I do not believe that we need AI to be opened on these lands, we can live without AI but we cannot live without our planet. Many people around the world have already felt the effects of climate due to AI and with this project that is taking place it will get worse. We need to stop thinking about what billionaires want instead of what the everyday people want, this is going to effect everyone including the people taking part in this project. 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 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.

If the permit is not denied outright, a public hearing needs to be held in Santa Teresa, in both English and Spanish, with an option to participate virtually.