



New Mexico Environment Department
Air Quality Bureau
1190 St. Francis Drive, Suite N4050
Santa Fe, NM 87505

Re: Support for Air Quality Permit for Bloom Energy Fuel Cells at Project Jupiter (Acoma, LLC)

To Whom It May Concern:

Working in environmental compliance provides a unique perspective on how large projects are planned, permitted, and built responsibly. At E2RC, our team works with developers, engineers, contractors, and regulatory agencies throughout New Mexico to help projects meet environmental requirements while protecting natural resources and supporting responsible development. From that perspective, I am writing in support of the air quality permit application for the Bloom Energy fuel cells that will power Project Jupiter in Doña Ana County.

Successful infrastructure projects begin with thoughtful planning. Based on the information that has been made available, Project Jupiter has incorporated advanced technologies and infrastructure strategies intended to support reliable operations while minimizing impacts on public systems. The proposed Bloom Energy fuel cells are a key part of that approach, providing dependable on-site power generation that allows the facility to operate independently of the regional electric grid. 

Projects that invest in resilient infrastructure from the outset are often better positioned to operate efficiently over the long term. Reliable on-site energy generation supports operational continuity while reducing reliance on existing grid infrastructure, reflecting the type of comprehensive planning that is increasingly important for large industrial and technology facilities.

From our experience supporting projects across New Mexico, responsible development also means creating lasting benefits for communities. Investments of this scale supports engineers, environmental professionals, contractors, skilled trades, and numerous local businesses that contribute throughout the planning, construction, and operational life of a project. When projects are developed with careful planning and commitment to compliance, those benefits can extend well beyond the project site.

Project Jupiter represents an opportunity to demonstrate how advanced infrastructure and responsible environmental planning can work together to support economic growth. For these reasons, I respectfully urge

the Department to approve the air quality permit application for the Bloom Energy fuel cells supporting Project Jupiter.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kelley Fetter". The signature is stylized with a large initial "K" and a cursive "Fetter".

Kelley Fetter
President & CEO
E2RC