

Sen. Harold Pope Jr.

The New Mexico Environment Department must reject the air quality permit for Project Jupiter.

Our communities should not have to sacrifice clean air, public health, and precious natural resources for a project that raises serious concerns about pollution, energy consumption, and long-term environmental impacts. New Mexicans deserve transparency, accountability, and development that puts people and our environment first.

We have a responsibility to protect the air our children breathe and to ensure that no project moves forward unless it can demonstrate that it will not harm our communities or worsen the climate crisis.

I urge the New Mexico Environment Department to listen to the concerns of residents, environmental advocates, and local leaders and deny the air quality permit for Project Jupiter. The health of our communities and the future of our state are too important to compromise.