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I absolutely oppose the Yucca Growth Infrastructure (YGI) Microgrid Air Quality Construction Permit Application and the broader development of any large-scale and or any scale of size data center infrastructure associated with Project Jupiter.

New Mexico is already facing significant water challenges, recurring drought conditions, and increasing pressure on natural resources. It is difficult to justify approving projects that may place additional demands on our water supply, energy infrastructure, air quality, and surrounding environment while providing uncertain long-term benefits to local residents.

I am also aware and completely against the lack of full transparency regarding the long-term scope of this project, future expansion plans, resource consumption, and associated technologies that may accompany these developments. Reports and discussions surrounding advanced automation, robotics, artificial intelligence infrastructure, and other future components raise additional questions that deserve public disclosure and review before permits are approved. The public should not be asked to accept unknown future impacts without a complete understanding of how they may affect water use, energy demand, employment, infrastructure, and quality of life.

In addition, I believe there should be a thorough review of the cumulative environmental impacts of these facilities, including water consumption, wastewater management, energy use, and long-term sustainability. Residents deserve clear answers regarding how these projects will affect New Mexico's limited resources both now and in the future.

The potential risks to New Mexico's water resources, environment, infrastructure, and communities outweigh the proposed benefits. Our state should prioritize sustainable development that protects residents, natural resources, and future generations. I implore you and the powers that be that hold the power to make this decision, that we hold on to integrity and morals and do what is right to protect New Mexico and the people and all life here.

For these reasons, I respectfully request that this permit application be denied.