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I oppose Air Quality Permit No. 10883 for Yucca Growth Infrastructure, LLC and the YGI Microgrid project. I do not want this facility sited in my area because of the environmental burden it will place on nearby residents and the surrounding community. The notice shows substantial emissions of CO, VOCs, PM10, PM2.5, NOx, total HAPs, and more than 75,000 tons per year of CO2e, and I believe those impacts are not justified for this location.

I am also concerned about cumulative effects, including noise, heat, and any water or other discharges associated with the project, and I ask NMED to scrutinize whether the permit conditions are truly enforceable and protective. Please require the strongest possible emissions limits, monitoring, reporting, and operating restrictions, and deny the permit if those protections are not sufficient to protect public health and the environment

I request that NMED consider the full community impact of this project, including potential ozone-related impacts from VOC emissions, and not rely only on a narrow review of modeled compliance. For these reasons, I object to issuance of the permit.