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Dear NMED staff,

My name is Marcia Dechadenedes, I am a resident of Santa Fe and have been a property owner in Sierra County and Santa Fe County for the last 25 years.

I am deeply concerned with the Project Jupiter undertaking presently underway. This company has demonstrated its disregard for the law and public interest by changing its name after being turned down the first time, falsely representing elected officials advocacy for their project, and worst of all suppressing the harm to settings, communities, and the environment. Their disclosure of impacts are limited and unrealistic. Their attempts to meet the interests of non-English speaking residents are nonexistent. Tribes and Pueblos in the area have not been properly informed and engaged in the clearance of this activity.

I myself am a retired land management professional and I have many times witnessed industries obfuscating their interests and impacts, and this is a classic case. No one wants to experience the damage the greenhouse gases and pollutants associated with fuel cell technology. The sound, alone, of these centers seriously impairs life quality for humans and other desert dwelling animals.

I urge the New Mexico Environment Department to reject Yucca Growth Infrastructure, LLC's air permit application for the YGI Microgrid in Doña Ana County.

Thank you for this opportunity to comment!

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