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Dear NMED staff, Project Jupiter poses significant risks to New Mexicans—it is sure to harm our access to clean air, water and climate. I implore you to reject Yucca Growth Infrastructure, LLC's air permit application for the YGI Microgrid in Doña Ana County.

I worked at Apple in California for over a decade before moving to NM to raise my children among family and saw first hand the unintended consequences of tech that promised to improve the lives of millions, but has caused so much digital addiction and issues with social media. This project is rife with unknowns, including the impact of unproven fuel cells that have a short history of use, and in that history have proven to require significantly more fossil fuel inputs than originally disclosed resulting in greater pollution, water use and degraded air quality. Further, an installation on this scale has NEVER been attempted. It's just too risky, and something the community of New Mexico is clearly vehemently opposed to.

The companies behind this development are looking for a place to exploit for their gain. It cannot be New Mexico. Make the right choice and reject this development proposal

Thank you,
Daniel