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To whom it may concern,

The team with Rocket Punch Farm is writing today to express our support for the upcoming SunZia Transmission Line.

As a small farm focused on maintaining sustainable practices, we are very aware of the extent we must all go to conserve our water supply, especially as we currently face one of the most extreme drought in years.

Renewable energy is one important solution to having better water conservation practices. Unlike many of our extractive industries - which can use hundreds of gallons of water per megawatt hour generated - renewable energy uses a few to none gallons for the same energy generated. We are incredibly lucky to have an abundance of sunshine and wind in our state and therefore have a ripe opportunity to become a national hub and leader for renewable energy. In order to bring these projects to life, however, we are in dire need of renewing our outdated infrastructure.

Not only will the SunZia line address this need and bring thousands of megawatts of renewable power online, it will also reduce millions of tons of greenhouse gas emissions from being emitted into our atmosphere and do its part in mitigating worsening impacts caused by climate change.

We all must do our part to care for our limited resources, from small farmers like us to entire industries like the renewable sector that must be built up. For this reason, we strongly encourage you to support this project without further delay.

Thank you,

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