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Environmental concerns

I am incredibly concerned for the amount of water to be used for this project and notification of the population that will be impacted. Fresh drinking water is a finite resource and we must conserve. Also, once the water, lithium brine, sorbent beads and other contaminants have interacted what will happen to the waste water? Where will the lithium brine be transported in order to be turned into batteries? As stated during the meeting, there is No domestic facilities within the United States and we only reuse/recycle 2% of the current lithium batteries that we utilize.

Has there been a full geological engineering study to ensure that there will not be a collapse or further demise in the Salton Sea area? We are all part of the water cycle and many want to know how we will all be impacted. Please assure us that there is a plan in place to protect our environment, water, and tribes otherwise this project may not be feasible.