Petition to request the four-county (Bernalillo, Sandoval, Torrance, and Valencia) area 1) elimination of the use of glyphosate, the possibly carcinogenic and aquatically toxic herbicide and crop desiccant, on City, County, and State properties and 2) removal from store shelves and prohibition of sales of the product to unlicensed applicators on private lands.

Petition summary and background	Whereas, under the New Mexico State Constitution, citizens and water sources of the area are to be protected from harm; Whereas, glyphosate, has been classified as a probable human carcinogen by the International Agency for Research on Cancer; Whereas, glyphosate has produced multi-organ toxic effects in animal studies; Whereas, glyphosate has been found in water and food supplies; Whereas, glyphosate has been applied to parks, recreational areas, public building areas, medians, and sidewalk strips, where inhalation of the chemical or run-off into the water supply may occur; and Whereas, New Mexicans rely on water for life;
Action petitioned	We, the undersigned, are concerned citizens who urge our leaders to act now to eliminate the use and sale of glyphosate.

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