Save The Aliens

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In July of 2019, a guy by the name of Matty Roberts posted an RSVP to Facebook that said, "They Can't Stop All of Us" and he really blew up on social media with people excited about this event.

The Area 51 raid took place right outside of the gates of the facility in Nevada. A company, Alien Stock, hosted a festival there. It was the talk of the summer and over 2 million people RSVPed on Facebook. They also held a protest at the gate with signs saying, "Locked up for what" and "Save ET from the government." There were also the people that had signs saying "Raid Alien Booty." Emily Culligan says, "I was really inspired and I wanted to go but I had a test that day so I couldn't go." Brandon Kenensky has a totally different opinion, "I thought it was dumb." This was a big attraction for social media and making memes. Monster energy drink also sponsored this event. The plan of the people was that the government can't kill everyone so they wanted to charge at the gate.

The government warned people to not show up because they have heavy security and it is illegal to go near the base. Of course, people still wanted to show up for the festival and for the great social media content of being there. There were also people that don't really care for this event such as Brandon Kenensky he says, "I think it's stupid." The event took place on September 21 and it didn't have as many people as expected to show up. There were no negative warlike things happening there and the people that showed up were in costume and they just were there for fun. This event was live-streamed by many people also, that's how the people that couldn't make it to this event saw and half experienced what they RSVPed. One-hundred-fifty people were reported in front of the gate

and 1,500 people showed up at the festival. This was no 2 million people, so the people that did show up were there for the attention of social media. No one was hurt or killed in the event of the Area 51 raid and this is a positive turn to the event.