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Good morning,

I am writing to oppose the Coastal Zone permit for Project Washington. While these data centers are a new concept, their characteristics mimic heavy industrial sites given their size and the type of equipment they will be using. They will also have the potential to pollute when equipment malfunctions or human error occurs.

It is my understanding that there is a potential for PFAS pollution from the data center campus. I'm also uncomfortable about the fact that there are no regulations in place yet to protect nearby residential properties.

It appears that it won't be long before these data centers become obsolete. Technology is advancing to store data in space and underground. Why would Delaware want to invest in data centers that will destroy open spaces and leave behind empty buildings in less than 10 years?

Please protect Delaware from mega data centers.

Thanks for your consideration,

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