



Dear Members and Supporters,

As most know, Citizens for Fauquier County (CFFC) is very concerned about the proliferation of data centers in Fauquier where there are now eight data centers, including the Amazon facility in Warrenton, that are in the application or approval process, and there will be more. CFFC has recently [submitted](#) its recommendations to county leaders to limit data center expansion believing that:

- Areas currently zoned for data centers are adequate;
- Rezoning other areas is unnecessary; and,
- Current restrictions against overhead transmission lines should be strictly enforced.

Visit citizensforfauquier.org to review the recommendations submitted.

For these reasons, CFFC is opposing a proposed 1.4 million square-foot data center complex in Catlett. Based on our analysis, allowing overhead transmission lines as proposed by the developer would open up more than 20 additional county locations to data centers. Fortunately, that proposal has been withdrawn, at least temporarily.

We are also continuing our legal efforts to overturn the Warrenton Town Council's approval of the Amazon data center. We recently amended our case to make it even stronger by arguing that the zoning change that ultimately allowed the approval of Amazon's data center was itself invalid, and the town should be prohibited from issuing any permits for that facility because it was invalidly approved.

You can help us protect Fauquier's future in two ways. Please contact Fauquier County Supervisors (BOS@fauquiercounty.gov) and share your

views on data centers. We'd also appreciate your financial support as we continue our litigation to stop the Amazon's data center in Warrenton. We believe this effort has county-wide significance and will send a message to all data center developers that CFFC and others stand ready to vigorously oppose data centers that threaten our communities and rural traditions and ignore our zoning.

Thanks to everyone who has voiced their opposition or already contributed. Those who would like to donate now or give more, please visit our [website](#). Your support will be critical to help us win this case and protect Fauquier's future.

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