

# HELP STOP THE DATA CENTER

## Call to Action

**This affects all of us!** A proposed 190-acre data center “Digital Campus” will affect your health, utility bills and loved ones.

### TAKE ACTION

- **Share this information** with anyone who lives in and around the area
- **Attend Apex Town Council meetings** - wear **RED** to show opposition
- **Contact** Apex Town Council and Wake County Commissioners - demand a NO vote on rezoning
- **Sign and share** the petition and join the Protect Wake County Coalition on Facebook

### ECONOMIC & HEALTH IMPACTS

- **Diesel Pollution** - 100+ generators release particulate matter linked to asthma, heart disease and premature death
- **Noise & Light Pollution** - Constant fan noise and glare degrade rural character and health
- **Fire Risk** - Battery storage equal to 1600 Tesla batteries - beyond Apex FD current capacity
- **Heat Island Effect** - Massive buildings increase local temperatures

### POWER & UTILITY STRAIN

- Facility would use 300MW - more than a 1/3<sup>rd</sup> of Harris Nuclear Power Plants output
- The entire town of Apex uses only 120MW daily to power the city
- This project competes with homes, hospitals and schools for limited grid capacity.
- This will cause electricity rates to increase for the average consumer - Your power bills will go up - not just in Wake county but across the state.

### WATER RISKS

- Will consume approx. 1M gallons of reclaimed water per day for cooling
- No state limits on water withdrawals for data centers
- Local wastewater systems are already strained, major expansions not expected until 2031

### WHAT WE NEED BEFORE ANY APPROVAL

- **Local Zoning Controls** - Require conditional use permits and enforceable limits on noise, lighting and size. No potable water usage.
- **Ratepayer Protection** - Developers must pay the full cost of grid upgrades
- **Water & Energy Reporting** - Require full disclosure of projected and actual use

Learn more, sign the petition and get involved:

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