

If data centers are right for Montgomery County now, they will be right for the county in 6-12 months when a transparent public process has made a full accounting of where and how data centers can be sited to complement the county's goals. Who pays? Good leadership proceeds carefully and in collaboration. The idea that we can just have these facilities move in and then tax them heavily is backward thinking and won't cover the health and energy costs borne by regular residents like me who has lived in Dickerson for over forty years. We don't owe this company a facility just because they applied. Please include my comments in the hearing record.