

Developers Want to Extract Gas for an AI Data Center In Lee County

Powering this data center puts our drinking water at risk. Tell Sanford City Council to put community health first.



Sanford is considering how they might allow data centers into the city.

Its time for a public conversation about whether Sanford wants to welcome data centers (especially with the looming threat of fracking), and what regulations it might have.

A moratorium on data centers gives time for public input and transparency!

Sanford City Council Meeting
April 7, 6pm
225 E. Weatherspoon St, Sanford

Tell Sanford City Council to pass a moratorium on data centers & fracking!



THE FACTS

- Deep River Data wants to power an **AI data center** by opening an abandoned gas well in Lee County.
- It is unlikely this well can produce any usable amount of gas without hydraulic fracturing (“fracking”). Fracking pollutes air & water, posing a **serious risk to our community’s health**
- These developers own one other data center in NC. It only employed 10 people & paid only \$5,000 in local property taxes.
- Local officials have said that any major development that wants to use a lot of water is normally annexed by the city.



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