

To whom it may concern,

While a staunch capitalist, who welcomes new industry and jobs to my state, county and town whenever practical, the proposed rules involving electric costs revolving around the building and running of datacenters in PA are quite concerning. Datacenters are, for the most part, high-return investments. While their electrical requirements may vary, it is undeniable that they every datacenter is going to require a large amount of energy. This is something that should be planned for up front, in my mind, and should never, ever be at any cost to the residents of any town, county, or state. My electric rates should not go up because an electric-hungry business – designed to create wealth and jobs, presumably, builds a datacenter. My electric costs should not go up because of that. Datacenters should be responsible for their own electric costs from start to finish. Datacenter electric need should never be an acceptable excuse for raising my electric rate or cost now, or in the future.

Sincerely,

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