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As someone who grew up in East Wenatchee, has family in the area, and visits often, I find the plan to approve Sabey Data Center's notice of construction application very concerning. Wenatchee is already overburdened by pollution, with disproportionately high rates of asthma and respiratory illness. Sabey's expansion will only worsen these conditions and place more strain on the local healthcare system while providing minimal or no economic benefits to those who actually reside in the area. The people who will feel these long-term impacts the most are those who are already most vulnerable: East Wenatchee's many agriculture workers and others who make a living working outside. Considering other sources of air pollution in the area, from existing data center emissions to long periods of smoke from annual wildfires, this expansion is not something the community can afford.