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I strongly oppose the proposal to bring an AI data center to our state, which is sorely lacking in the natural resources needed to maintain such a large scale operation. It's still not clear how much water it would consume, and let's be real, regardless of the amount, we're in a drought and every last drop should be used for New Mexico citizens, not ultra rich outside parties.

Furthermore, take a look at any of the MANY news stories we're seeing about data centers popping up near communities. It absolutely destroys any semblance of a normal life. People's water turns to sludge and air quality drops so dramatically that it causes health issues in sensitive populations. And it will destroy a homes value, making sure whoever lives there will never be able to sell (bc who would want to live anywhere near a data center?!?)

The people of New Mexico DO NOT want this in their lives. Please do the right thing and deny this proposal. Do not give into the rich technocrats trying to invade our lives.