



FREDERICK COUNTY GOVERNMENT

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Proposed Data Center Workgroup Subgroups:

1. Siting. This subgroup will develop recommendations regarding where data centers should be allowed to be located and what landscaping, screening, and buffering requirements data centers must meet.
2. Sustainability. This subgroup will develop recommendations regarding performance standards data centers must meet, including issues related to light, sound, vibration, water, and waste. This subgroup will also consider issues related to energy – with an understanding that the County has relatively limited jurisdiction in this area.
3. Community benefits. This subgroup will develop recommendations regarding taxation of data centers and workforce development programs, economic development opportunities, and other benefits which could be derived from the data century industry.