

# **Creating a Technology Overlay District**

Thank you for your participation in this brief survey to gauge the public's interest in creating a Technology Overlay District to allow and attract data centers.

Q1 Are you a Gloucester resident?\*



# Answered: 224 Unanswered: 0

Choice	Total
Yes	184
Not a resident of Gloucester	38
archived	2

# Q2 What is your magisterial district?



# Answered: 190 Unanswered: 34

Choice	Total
Abingdon	25
Petsworth	90
Ware	31
York	28
Gloucester Point	16

Q3 How did you hear about this meeting?\*



#### Answered: 224 Unanswered: 0

Choice	Total
County website/publication	63
Social media (Facebook, X, Instagram, etc.)	123
Other	71
archived	2

Q4 After hearing the presentations and impacts on Gloucester, are you in favor of the County creating a Technology Overlay District (TOD) to allow and attract data centers?\*



#### Answered: 224 Unanswered: 0

Choice	Total
Yes	20
No	184
Not sure / No opinion	20

### Q5 If yes, why?\*

#### Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 3:21 PM UTC

The county needs new business and tax revenue! I hear a lot from BOS meeting recaps about the county's financial needs and the need to raise taxes, but seldom about the drive to bring new business here to alleviate proposed tax increases. This is a step in the right direction with minimal impact on the residents of the county. The pros definitely outweigh the cons when it comes to this initiative!

#### Friday, June 6, 2025 at 1:18 AM UTC

Will brings jobs and attention to the area.

#### Thursday, June 5, 2025 at 2:00 PM UTC

Gloucester needs growth in every sector. We need more businesses. More retail. More restaurants so that our community dollars can be kept in our own community vs going over the bridge to another city. This data center will bring jobs to the community.

Monday, June 2, 2025 at 3:42 PM UTC

Source of jobs and persoanl/county income.

Monday, June 2, 2025 at 1:53 PM UTC NA

Answered: 40 Unanswered: 184

Q6 If not, why not?

#### Monday, June 9, 2025 at 10:06 AM UTC

Destruction of land, noise pollution, the amount of energy increases along with mass amounts of water usage. Won't bring that many more jobs to the area versus the impact. People choose to live in rural areas for a purpose, do not want the county to become like areas to the North that have been devastated by these centers.

#### Sunday, June 8, 2025 at 10:13 PM UTC

low and high frequency noise clear cutting no clear source of cooling

#### Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 6:27 PM UTC

I have seen first hand the results of these centers in Northern Va. Like the unsightly . fields. This is not the type of development I would want for Gloucester.

Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 3:21 PM UTC

Saturday, June 7, 2025 at 1:03 AM UTC

Waste of money and it would do more damage to the northern part of Gloucester. The people running Gloucester can't be trusted. The same things happened with the dump and water supply. The current leadership in Gloucester is ruined Gloucester for years to come.

Answered: 223 Unanswered: 1