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City Plan Commission,

I urge you to deny the proposal to allow a computer data center be built at 5825 W Hope Ave. Computer data centers increase energy and water consumption, not to mention increase noise pollution. Data centers are known to get hot, and the location of the proposed center is already experiencing the affects of being in an urban heat island.

Who is directly impacted by that?

Our community—especially our historically resilient neighbors.

I am proud to live in the city of Milwaukee. I am proud to have been a teacher at Fifty-Third Street School, blocks away from Midtown. I have had the pleasure of working with and being in relationship with youth and families who live in the surrounding neighborhoods.

I urge you to recognize the long lasting and irreversible environmental impacts this data center will have on our youth and all future generations if it were approved.

The current zoning allows for a store, because our community should have access to resources. Approving the data center not only replaces an already vacant resource, but would deplete and take away even more.

City Plan Commission, I urge you to deny the proposal for the Midtown Centre data center and the rezoning of the area.

Sincerely,

Haley Pluchek