Data Center Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes
November 11, 2026

The November 11th Data Center Advisory Committee meeting was called to order at 7:00PM by Chairman McNally. Delaney, Weber, Mehrl, Saunders, Rogers, Walter, McNally and Frey answered roll.

Motion Weber, second Rogers to approve the agenda. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Motion Saunders, second Mehrl to approve the minutes from October 28, 2026. Seven Ayes, Walter abstained since she was not in attendance. Motion carried.

The committee reviewed definitions for updating the M-2 zoning district including Data Center, Data Center Business, Sustainable Design and Hyperscale Data Center.

Data Center: means a structure or building rehabilitated or constructed to house a group of networked server computers in one physical location in order to centralize the storage, management, and dissemination of data and information pertaining to a particular business, taxonomy, or body of knowledge. A data center business's facility typically includes the mechanical and electrical systems, redundant or backup power supplies, redundant data communications connections, environmental controls, and fire suppression systems.

Data Center Business: An entity whose business among other businesses, is to operate or lease a data center in the city of Cascade.

Sustainable Design: Construction design that reduces negative environmental effects and improves occupant health and comfort through resource conservation, waste minimization, and healthier environments.

Hyperscale Data Center: A data center meeting both of the following criteria:
A facility of 100,000 square feet or larger.
Electrical demand exceeding 60 megawatts.

Due to technical issues, the recording of the meeting stopped at 8:00pm. Anything that happened after that was not recorded. At the November 18th meeting, the above 4 definitions will be again voted on by the advisory committee.

Next meeting will be held Wednesday, November 18th at 7pm.

Motion Saunders, second Weber to adjourn at 9:30pm. All Ayes. Motion carried.