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**OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF CHICAGO**

BRANDON JOHNSON
MAYOR

September 23, 2025

TO THE HONORABLE, THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith, together with Alderpersons Hadden, Robinson, Manaa-Hoppenworth, an ordinance imposing a one-year moratorium on the issuance of permits and approvals for the establishment of new or expanded data centers within the City.

Your favorable consideration of this ordinance will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "BJ", followed by a horizontal line.

Mayor