

# Meta Data Centers

At Meta, we strive to give people the power to build community and bring the world closer together. Our data centers, like the one in Henrico, Virginia, help bring that mission to life by enabling billions of people around the world to connect every day. Beyond their role as the physical backbone of our apps and services, Meta's data centers drive significant positive impact in the communities where they are located and beyond.



#### **ECONOMY**

We help grow and diversify local economies by supporting new jobs, sourcing from local vendors and generating revenue for municipalities.

From 2010 to 2019, Meta invested more than \$16 billion in U.S. data center construction and operations, which supported over 238,000 jobs with \$16.4 billion in earnings flowing into local economies.



#### COMMUNITY

We support community vitality by investing in local schools, nonprofits and community projects.

Since 2011, Meta has contributed more than \$24 million in direct funding to U.S. data center communities, as well as volunteer time, to provide technology for community benefit, connect people online or off and improve STEM education.



#### SUSTAINABILITY

We build and operate some of the world's most sustainable data centers and add new renewable energy to each data center's local grid.

Meta data centers have achieved net zero carbon emissions, are LEED® Gold level certified and supported by 100% renewable energy. They use 32% less energy, are 80% more water-efficient on average than industry standard, and we're committed to restoring more water than we consume by 2030.



## Henrico Data Center

Investment: \$1 billion+

**Broke Ground: 2017** 

**Online: 2020** 

Anticipated Jobs: 200+ supported

Construction: 1,500 workers on site

per day at peak

Size: ~2.5 million square feet

Energy: Supported by 100%

renewable energy

### Partnering With Henrico

Meta is proud to call Henrico County home and prouder still of our partnership with the community and what we've been able to accomplish together. Whether through volunteering at local schools or contributing to local nonprofit organizations, we're committed to strengthening the community of Henrico County.

So far, we've provided **more than \$1 million in community support**, enabling:

- Henrico County Public Libraries to create a Wi-Fi hotspot lending program
- The creation of an intramural robotics league across the central Virginia region in partnership with CodeVA
- A Technology for Teens Center at the Boys and Girls Club of Metro Richmond
- The Henrico Police Athletic Club to launch an afterschool STEM Program
- COVID-19 relief grants to 100 small businesses in partnership with ChamberRVA

### Other community partners include:

- Henrico County Public Schools
- Community Foundation of Greater Richmond
- · CodeRVA Regional High School
- RVA Tech
- · Special Olympics of Virginia







## New Renewable Energy Investments

By supporting our data centers with 100% renewable energy, we are making additional contributions to local economies through investments in new wind and solar projects. Meta will add more than 6,400 MW of new renewable energy to the U.S. grid, representing \$3.3 billion in infrastructure investment.

Meta worked with Dominion Energy to meet our renewable energy goals for the Henrico Data Center, using a framework that enables large customers to support their operations with renewable energy.

Meta-contracted projects will add **850 MW of new renewable energy in Virginia.** These renewable energy projects represent **\$230 million in local investment** and will support more than 1,300 construction jobs. Project operations will support 70 jobs annually across the state.

 $For more information, please \ visit facebook.com/HenricoDataCenter.$ 

Meta's fleet of data centers powers our apps and services, including Facebook, Instagram, Messenger, Oculus and WhatsApp. In 2011, we opened the first Meta-owned and -operated data center in Prineville, Oregon. Since then our fleet has grown to 14 U.S. data centers and 18 worldwide, 13 of which are currently serving traffic.



