



April 14, 2026

Temple City Council
2 N. Main Street
Temple, TX 76501

Re: Rowan Digital Infrastructure, Project Ranger proposed data center campus

Dear Mayor and Councilmembers,

On behalf of the Temple Chamber of Commerce, I am writing to express support for Rowan Digital Infrastructure and its proposed data center project, Project Ranger in Temple.

Temple's continued growth depends on a strong and diverse economic base. Projects of this scale represent significant private investment and contribute to the long-term strength and stability of the local business environment.

Rowan's planned investment reflects a level of confidence in Temple that is worth noting. In addition to the capital investment, projects like this support activity across multiple sectors, particularly during construction, and contribute to the tax base that helps sustain public services, infrastructure, and workforce development.

As an organization focused on advancing a healthy business climate, the Temple Chamber evaluates opportunities through the lens of long-term economic impact, business competitiveness, and community strength. This project reflects those priorities and represents the type of investment that supports Temple's continued position as a community prepared for growth.

This matters to business because long-term economic strength is built through a mix of industries and sustained private investment. Projects like this contribute to the commercial tax base, support local suppliers and contractors, and reinforce Temple's ability to attract and retain other employers. A stable, growing business environment benefits companies of all sizes, not just through direct impact, but through the overall strength of the community in which they operate.

As with any project of this scale, ongoing evaluation and coordination will continue to be important as Temple grows. We appreciate the Council's role in carefully considering opportunities of this scale and respectfully offer our support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Whitney Theriot".

Whitney Theriot, IOM
President & CEO
Temple Chamber of Commerce



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Dear Mayor Davis and Temple City Councilmembers,

I am writing on behalf of Rogers Independent School District to express our strong support for Rowan Digital Infrastructure's proposed data center project in Temple.

While this particular phase of the project does not fall within the boundaries of Rogers ISD, we recognize its significant regional impact and the potential for future phases to directly serve our district. As a neighboring school system, we value opportunities that strengthen the broader community and create long-term benefits for our students and families.

Rowan's continued investment in Central Texas reflects a commitment to economic growth and innovation. Projects like this not only bring immediate benefits through construction and job creation, but also contribute to the development of a skilled workforce and sustainable career pathways. These opportunities align closely with our mission to prepare students for success in an increasingly technology-driven economy.

We appreciate your leadership and thoughtful consideration of projects that support both economic development and community advancement. Rogers ISD strongly encourages your support of this initiative and looks forward to the continued positive impact it will have across our region.

Thank you for your service and commitment to the communities you represent.

Sincerely,

Duana Brashear
Superintendent, Rogers ISD

Temple Independent School District
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April 9th, 2026

Dear members of the Temple City Council,

I am writing on behalf of Temple Independent School District (ISD) to express our continued strong support for Rowan Digital Infrastructure's proposed Temple data center project. As this represents our second letter of support, we want to reiterate our enthusiasm and appreciation for Rowan's ongoing investment in our community.


At Temple ISD, we remain committed to preparing our students for success through high-quality education and access to meaningful opportunities. Rowan's continued investment in Temple represents not only a significant commitment to our community, but also a direct investment in the success of our students and families.

Rowan's presence in Temple will generate substantial tax revenue shared across local entities, including Temple ISD and Rogers ISD, helping strengthen our educational programs, support facility improvements, and meet the needs of a growing student population. In addition to these direct benefits for our schools, the project will deliver meaningful economic impact - creating more than 550 construction jobs per project and at least 40 full-time positions once operational. Across Bell County, Rowan's broader \$3 billion investment will support our region's long-term economic stability, creating new career pathways for our graduates here in Temple, reinforcing the critical link between strong schools and a thriving community.

Rowan continues to demonstrate a strong commitment to responsible development and ongoing collaboration and transparency. Their robust engagement with community leaders and school districts like ours reflects a clear dedication to transparency and building lasting, meaningful partnerships.

We are excited about the continued investment Rowan is making in Temple and the opportunities it will create for our students and community.

Sincerely,


Dr. Bobby Ott

Superintendent, Temple Independent School District

Robinson Family Farm
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April 13, 2026

Dear Council Members,

On behalf of The Robison Family Farm, we would like to express our support for thoughtful and responsible economic development in our community, including the proposed data center project.

As a local, family-owned business, we understand the importance of growth that strengthens the local economy, creates opportunity, and helps ensure the long-term vitality of our area. Projects like this have potential to contribute meaningful investment and stability to our community when done correctly.

At the same time, we believe it is essential that any development be approached with careful consideration for surrounding landowners, local businesses, and the character of the area. Factors such as infrastructure, traffic, lighting, noise, and environmental impact should continue to be evaluated with transparency and community input.

We encourage the Council to work collaboratively with all stakeholders to ensure any project moving forward reflects a balanced approach—one that supports growth while protecting the quality of life that matters to our community.

Thank you for your time and your service to our community.

Sincerely,

Helen Robinson

Robinson Family Farm

Temple City Council
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Temple, TX 76501

April 13, 2026

Dear members of the Temple City Council,

On behalf of the Cultural Activities Center (CAC), I am writing to share our positive experience in working with Rowan Digital Infrastructure as a community partner.

At the CAC, our mission is to enrich the quality of life in Central Texas by providing access to the arts, cultural experiences, and community gathering spaces. We believe that strong communities are built not only through economic growth, but through shared experiences that bring people together.

Over the past several months, we have had the opportunity to connect with Rowan and learn more about their approach to community engagement. Rowan representatives took the time to visit and tour our facility and explore opportunities to partner with us. Their interest in utilizing community spaces and engaging local partners reflects a thoughtful and collaborative approach to development.

The CAC appreciates Rowan's willingness to be present in the community early in the process as they listened, learned, and identified ways to contribute beyond the project footprint. That kind of engagement is important to organizations like ours that serve as gathering places for people across Temple and the region.

It is our understanding that Rowan's project will bring meaningful economic benefits to Temple and the broader Bell County region. Construction of Rowan's project is expected to create more than 500 jobs, with at least 40 full-time positions once operational. Rowan's footprint in the region also represents an estimated \$2 billion investment, generating new resources that help sustain the arts, cultural programming, and nonprofit organizations that contribute to the character and livability of our community.

Rowan's emphasis on community engagement and partnership gives us confidence that they will be a positive addition to Temple.

Sincerely,



Annette Farmer
Executive Director

