Make a sign for the meeting

Two ways: print and paste (about $1.50 a sign), or make your own (about $1.25).

Print and paste

You need: poster board (22 × 28 in) or foam board, a glue stick, clear packing tape and the printed pages.

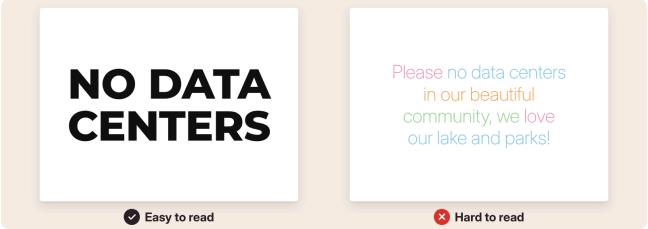
1. Download a sign at **SaveLakePerris.com**, under "Bring a sign."
2. Print at **"Actual size"** (100%). No printer? Print from your phone at the library. The Perris library has wireless printing.
3. Lay the pages face up in order. A small label in each margin shows where it goes.
4. Cut each page that has a **dotted line**, then lay it over the page next to it until the letters line up.
5. Glue one page at a time, from the middle out. Tape the seams and edges with clear packing tape.

Tip: glue English on one side and Spanish on the other. For the next meeting, glue a new sign over the old one.

Make your own

You need: poster board and a thick black marker with a chisel tip. A pencil and a yardstick help.

- Pick 3 to 5 words. Keep it to 8 to 10 letters a line, 3 lines at most.
- Draw light pencil lines 3 inches apart. Letters **at least 3 inches tall** read from about 30 feet.
- Go over each letter twice with the wide edge of the marker.
- Black on white reads best. Use a color for one word at most.
- Step back about 30 feet. If you have to squint, make it bigger.



WORDING IDEAS

- SAVE LAKE PERRIS
- END THE AGREEMENT
- NO DATA CENTERS IN [YOUR CITY]
- NO DATA CENTERS OF ANY SIZE
- UP TO 100 YEARS? NO.
- WRITE TO THE FAIR BOARD

WHERE TO GET IT, AND ABOUT HOW MUCH

- **Poster board**, 22 × 28 in: about 50¢ each in a 10-pack at Walmart, or single boards at Dollar Tree.
- **Foam board**, 20 × 30 in, stiffer for outdoors: about $2 at Walmart.
- **Glue sticks:** 12 for about $4. **Packing tape:** about $2.50 a roll. **Black marker:** about $1.
- **Printing:** Perris library (163 E San Jacinto Ave), 15¢ a page black and white, 75¢ color. Moreno Valley libraries: call 951-413-3880.
- **Printed standing sign** (4 pages): about $1.50 black and white, $4 color.
- **Printed seated sign** (2 pages, half a board): under $1.
- **Handwritten:** about $1.25. **10 signs for a group:** about $17.

Prices checked October 2026 at Walmart.com and the Riverside County Library System. They change.

BRINGING IT

- Inside: hold it low or in your lap so people behind you can see. Sticks may not be allowed indoors.
- Outside: stay on sidewalks and walkways, keep entrances and traffic clear, and don't put anything on cars.
- Take it home after. It works again at the next meeting.

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