

In the open

Regarding the Feb. 11 article "Suit filed over sewage plant; New Hill group says Wake mayors' letters weren't enough for a go-ahead on the site":

The mayors of Apex, Holly Springs and Morrisville have obviously wished to avoid embarrassing their colleagues on the respective Town Councils by acting on their behalf to accept the Seymour Farm as the location of the Western Wake Sewage Plant. They wished to avoid the awkward situation Cary found itself in, when at least one council member admitted voting to approve the site without having the slightest idea where it actually was.

Cary's action was willfully ignorant and contemptuous, but it was open. If the other towns are going to treat their unincorporated, unrepresented neighbors with arrogance and disregard, they will need to do so publicly, with the expressed approval of their communities, and on the record. This is, I thought, how American government operates.

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