

This is what's happening in Cohousing Now!



Cooperation Pays Unexpected Dividends

~ by Karen Gimnig ~

Why cohousing? Why connection? Why cooperation? I could give you 100 reasons, but the most important may be the thing you can't begin to foresee. I'll give you an example. Back in 2019 I had attended an online conference that SOFA offered and I thought, I wonder if CohoUS could do something like that? I asked Ted Rau, one of SOFA's founders, for help. He generously walked me through his model, and in February of 2020, CohoUS hosted our first online conference. We were delighted. Ted's model worked beautifully, cohousers came together from around the country to learn and connect online.

You know what happened next. Unexpected, unwanted, COVID-19 pushed the whole world online. Thanks to the cooperation with SOFA, CohoUS was ready. We expanded our planned online events, and converted our in person events online. Before long, Ted was sharing sociocracy, online, at a CohoUS event.

As we close out 2020, a year of unexpected everything, we know that cooperation is our best hope for 2021. We're grateful for the Ted's of the world who share so freely. And we wonder, Where will you cooperate in the year to come? Where will you be generous? What unexpected benefits are coming your way?

thank you, Thank You, THANK YOU!

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June 26, 2021
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August 29, 2021

"Cohousing Over Time"

October 23, 2021 "Cohousing Affordability"

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"Let's Take a Vote"

By: Lynn Morstead of Cohousing Houston

"Let's vote on it, and if that's what the group wants to do, I'll sign off". Everything inside me screamed NO, this is so NOT how we stay in community with each other! This is plain wrong. If we take a vote, then we have winners and losers. And one potential loser now has... Read More



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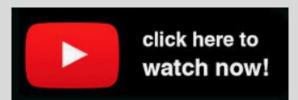
By: Maraiah Lynn Nadeau of RoseWind

At RoseWind, even as we continue with physical distancing and masking, we are bolstering our social connections, beyond emails and zoom meetings. This past week has seen deliveries of candles, homemade cookies, biscotti, jam, and yogurt; promise of delivery of a gourmet Christmas dinner to our single members; darning and mending favors; help getting a... Read More

2020 Annual Report

By: Karen Gimnig

2020 was a challenging, unexpected, and successful year for the Cohousing Association of the US. It didn't go exactly the way we planned,



but we made the most of what we had and found we were actually quite prepared for the online connection that was required. For more about 2020 in the life of the cohousing movement ... Watch Here

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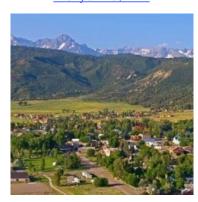
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