

This is what's happening in Cohousing Now!



Loving Community

CohoUS is excited about our first online conference of 2022. <u>Loving Community</u> will celebrate the joys of living in close connection with neighbors and address the challenges of sharing and caring that are inevitable when we live together.

We are currently accepting session submissions for that event <u>here</u>, due Jan 3, 2022. We look forward to posting the schedule and sessions early in the year. It will be good to be together again with our partners and friends as we begin 2022.

CohoUS News

December has been a time of transition for the association as we settle into new and changing roles. With Karin's departure at the end of November, Karen Gimnig has taken on the role of Interim Executive Director and is keeping all of our programs on track as we eagerly await our new Director.

To help her, we've hired Lotus Thomas as part time website and events support. You can see Lotus' excellent work on the Madison 2022 website. You can't see all the fabulous background work she is doing supporting the efforts of the association in this time of transition. We are lucky to have her hard work and amazing skill set.



We continue to build a program of events for 2022. Watch here and on our website for more details as we build out Madison and More with a balance of both an in person conference and many online offerings.

Partners



watch video

We hope you will join us as a 2022 CohoUS partner. We have programs for individuals as well as forming and established communities. Partnerships support all the work of the association and that support allows us to offer our partners some great benefits. Partnership is the least expensive way to attend online events (free for partners) and our live conference (discounted for partners). And you get the great feeling of knowing you are helping others to find and build cohousing where they live.

Individual Partnerships

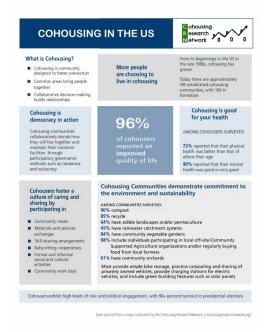
Established Communities

Forming/Building Communities

Cohousing Research Network - Cohousing Fact Sheet

(Click on here for a downloadable PDF)

Many thanks to the Cohousing Research Network (CRN) for this new fact sheet. It's a great resource for sharing with potential members and with members of the press who may be writing about cohousing. We hope you will add it to your community websites and share it in you newsletters. We'd love the world to know more about how cohousing works.



Events

Madison & More!

In 2022, we will gather in Madison complete with hugs and late night drinks. AND (More!) we will gather online throughout the year to stay connected with those we miss in Madison. In addition, we'll make some of the Madison sessions available as recordings. We hope you are with us for yet another new and exciting year in cohousing.

February - Loving Cohousing - online conference event April - Cohousing Week - online events April - National Cohousing Open House Day - live and online!

Click HERE for more information





Communities Coming Together

National Cohousing Conference Aug 25-28, 2022 in Madison, WI

Watch for registration for Madison 2022 to open in January. We can't wait to see who is coming!

We have extended the deadline for session submissions through the end of 2021. We hope you will find the new process easy to use. <u>click here</u>

Cohousing in the News





Is Communal Living the Future of Parenting?

By Sophie Brickman - The Guardian

An intriguing new movement is experimenting with the kind of co-living that defined families for millennia. I decided to find out more

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Innovative housing can help tackle loneliness

Newsroom.Northumbria.AC.UK

People involved in community-led housing are significantly less likely to feel lonely than people living in more conventional homes and neighbourhoods, according to a new report.

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Blog Posts



PDX Commons creatively celebrates new members and a full house

In the past year, PDX Commons went through a major turnover of homes — five homes sold to seven new members (including two couples). . .

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Flashback recipes

Cohousing has changed a lot over the years, but cooking for one another remains a joy, along with our love for good, wholesome food. CohoUS Staff has recently uncovered a stash of cohousing recipes. We hope you'll enjoy them as much as we do. To add to this treasure chest, send your favorite recipe and a bit of the story, to staff@cohousing.org.



Yummy Tofu Salad* (Eggless Egg Salad)

Reprinted from September 2007:

This month I'm featuring a recipe . . . from a California cohousing community. This one is from Joani Blank at Swan's Market Cohousing in Oakland. Joani has been passionate about common meals even longer than I have.

Want to become a CohoUS Association Supporter?

Do you want to grow cohousing? Do you want to make cohousing more accessible to others, and share cohousing's benefits – from creating community and enhancing lives, to building sustainable approaches to housing? If you are an organization, business or individual that believes in cohousing, consider becoming



<u>an Association Supporter.</u> To find out how you can support CohoUS, and explore ways we can show our appreciation through recognition benefits, visit <u>Becoming an Association Supporter</u>, or contact Alice Alexander, Fundraising Director, at <u>alicecohous@gmail.com</u>.

Classified Listings

Forming Communities and Communities Seeking Members



Juniper Hill Commons



Rachel Carson EcoVillage Gibsonia, PA



CoHousing Houston Houston, TX



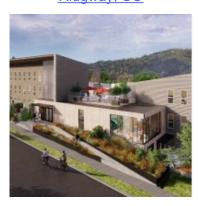
Alpenglow CoHousing Ridgway, CO



Adams Creek Cohousing Hood River, OR



Skagit Cohousing Anacortes, WA



Our Home - Cathedral Park Portland, OR



Sunnyside Village Marysville, WA



<u>Heartwood Commons</u> Tulsa, OK



Heartwood Cohousing Bayfield, CO



Cohousing ABQ Albuquerque, NM



Rooted Northwest Arlington, WA







River Song Cohousing
Eugene, OR

Washington Commons West Sacramento, CA

Homes for Sale or Rent



Wasatch Commons Salt Lake City, Utah



Swan's Market Cohousing
Oakland CA

Cohousing Professionals







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Fitch Architecture and Community Design

schemata workshop

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CohoUS Community Directory

172 Established Communities

105 Forming Communities

20 Building Communities

46 Cohousing Professionals

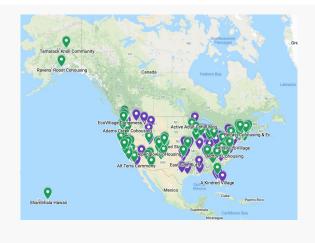
61 Cohousing Seekers

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