



Cohousing
—eNews—

Intentions for a New Year

The turning of the calendar invites sacred moments of reflection and intention setting.

For CohoUS, 2022 brought many changes. We hosted a tremendously successful



**New Year,
New Intentions!**

National Conference in Madison, WI, as well as a variety of virtual events. We merged with SAGE: Senior Cohousing Advocates in order to better support seniors in cohousing. We committed to aligning our actions with our values, defining our impact areas of affordability, sustainability and racial diversity. And we continued to foster the growing network of people who believe in a more connected future. It's been a year of reflection, expansion and nurturing.

As for intentions, this is where it gets really exciting. In 2023, CohoUS will launch a suite of programming designed to inspire, educate and empower. We invite you to join us as we convene leaders and learners of the cohousing movement.

The Cohousing Institute

[The Cohousing Institute](#) is the new learning platform of CohoUS and is designed to support people at all stages of their journey into cohousing. In 2023, the Cohousing Institute will feature a host of workshops to serve explorers, new and veteran residents, advocates and cohousing professionals. [The Virtual Cohousing Conference](#) is available now!

The Commons

Each month, CohoUS will host an informal gathering space for cohousing

newbies and veterans alike. Beginning with an overview of the model, and what supports are available, we'll also provide an opportunity to connect with fellow communitarians about what matters most to you. Join us on the 10th of every month, at 10am (MT). [Register here.](#)

Yes, And...

This quarterly event series will explore movements and strategies that intersect with cohousing in pursuit of a more cooperative society. We will launch in February with an exploration of cooperatives as a tool for increasing diversity in cohousing.

And of course, we can't do any of this without your support. Did you know that CohoUS is COMPLETELY community-funded? That's right – everything we do is thanks to those who believe in cohousing and [support us](#) in growing the movement. Please consider donating in 2022, to support our growth in 2023.

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State of the Movement Virtual Keynote

The resounding theme of the 12/12/22 Virtual Keynote was that cohousing is "A New American Dream" that is poised to help solve some of the most pressing social and ecological challenges we face.

The keynote also presented ways we have a lot to learn from the exponential growth of cohousing in

Europe and the importance of advocacy and professional development for the US to catch up.

Watch the full event recording on youtube [here](#) (or click the video below), and engage with a forum, longer excerpts, or a shorter version of the compilation by signing up for The Communities Movement at the Cohousing Institute [here](#).



The Commons: A Monthly Gathering for the Cohousing Curious (and experts too!)

The 10th of every month
10am MT



The Commons

A (free) monthly gathering for the cohousing curious (and experts too!)

Curious about cohousing but don't know where to start? Want to meet with cohousing newbies and experts alike? This (free) monthly gathering will include a Cohousing 101 presentation and ample time to connect and ask questions. We'll share cohousing lingo, best practices and more information on how to continue your cohousing journey. Join us once, or every time – we'll be here every month on the 10th at 10am MT.

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REGISTER



500 Communities with Katie McCamant **FREE Introductory Webinar**

The 500 Communities Program is a 12-month course designed to train collaborators to meet the expanding need for professional support in creating new communities. The program is applicable to many different job fields, and was designed with all means of collaborative development in mind. Its intention is not to teach one model of cohousing, but to build on the lessons learned as we explore models of collaborative development not taught in university or trade school. Beyond the curriculum, the program provides a much needed community for cohousing and development professionals.

REGISTER

Cohousing is part of a more sustainable, democratic and connected future.

To date, CohoUS has helped enable the development of over 200 cohousing communities in the US. These communities serve as examples of the sustainable and community-based neighborhoods our country will need in the future. Please

support CohoUS and help us double that number in the next few years.

Your monthly gift will both support new initiatives as well as the continued nurturing of our communities and growth of our movement. As an **Evergreen Neighbor**, you can take pride in **creating a legacy** that will live on to support future generations.

Donations, as a community or as an individual, are accepted year round and can be made to:

Cohousing Association of the US
3860 Chase St
Wheat Ridge, CO 80212

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The Science of Cohousing

The latest from the [Cohousing Research Network](#)

The Cohousing Research Network (CRN) invites you to take an online survey to further the understanding of the effects of cohousing on the lives of residents, its wider social impacts, and challenges faced by developing communities. **CRN has reported high levels of interest, though many respondents have not finished the survey. Please make sure you've completed the survey in order for your data to be recorded.**

This is the first phase of a five-year annual survey. The results should help the movement to make the case for cohousing with typically recalcitrant financial and political institutions. We need as much participation as possible! The survey is for residents of established communities and for members of building/forming groups, including groups that are inactive.

TAKE (& FINISH) THE SURVEY

Questions about the survey? Contact [Heidi Berggren](#) and [visit our website](#).

Classified Listings

Forming Communities and Communities Seeking Members



Carter Farm - View from the Woonerf (Living Street)

[Carter Farm Agrihood](#)
Centreville, MD



[Cohousing ABQ](#)
Albuquerque, NM



[Mission Peak Village](#)
Fremont, CA



[Burns Village & Farm Cohousing
and Agrihood Community](#)
Burns, TN



[Cohousing Houston](#)
Houston, TX



[Rachel Carson EcoVillage](#)
Gibsonia, PA



[Cathedral Park Cohousing](#)
Portland, OR



[Juniper Hill Commons](#)
Harrisonburg, VA



[Heartwood Cohousing](#)
Bayfield, CO



[Washington Commons](#)
West Sacramento, CA



[Skagit Commons](#)
Anacortes, WA



[Adams Creek Cohousing](#)
Hood River, OR



[Heartwood Commons-Tulsa](#)
Tulsa, OK



[Sunnyside Village Cohousing](#)
Marysville, WA



Homes for Sale or Rent



[Grass Valley, CA](#)

For Sale: One bedroom, one bath house available in Wolf Creek Lodge Adult Cohousing.



[Durham, NC](#)

For Sale: LBGT-focused 55+ community - 2 bedroom, 2 bath home available in Village Hearth Cohousing



[Eugene, OR](#)

For Rent: Brand new unit available in River Song Cohousing Community



[Boulder, CO](#)

For Sale: Two bedroom, 1.5 bath with mountain views, vaulted ceilings, southern facing solar gain, and natural clay walls in Wild Sage Cohousing



[Fair Oaks, CA](#)

For Sale: Charming, Light-Filled, 2-Bedroom Downstairs Flat in Multi-Generational, Pet-Friendly Fair Oaks Ecohousing



[Prescott, AZ](#)

For Sale: Craftsman style 2000 sq. ft. 2 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 office custom home in Manzanita Village Cohousing Community



[Fair Oaks, CA](#)

For Sale: 2 bedroom, 1 bath upstairs flat with well-designed floor plan, efficient storage, and large windows in Fair Oaks Ecohousing



[Boulder, CO](#)

For Sale: Bright contemporary 1st floor condo in Wild Sage Cohousing



[West Tisbury, MA](#)

For Sale: Beautiful 4 bedroom South Mountain designed house in Island Cohousing (Martha's Vineyard)





By The Numbers

172
Established
Communities

105
Forming
Communities

20
Communities
Under Construction

Community Directory

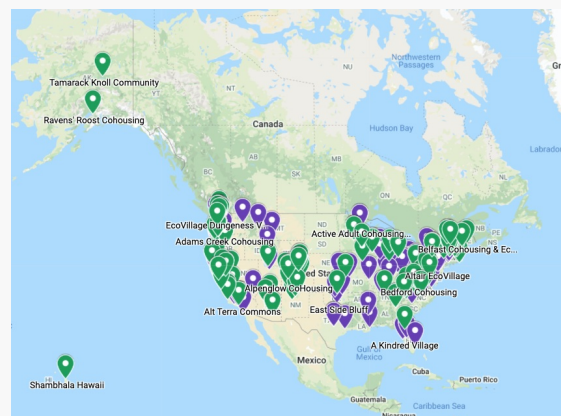
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