

The Project **Öko.See.Dorf**

As a cooperative in the Lake Constance region we plan a settlement with clearly defined ecological goals and borders as well as innovative construction and living concepts.

- ✦ a well-balanced proportion ratio of community, private and commercial space
- ✦ private housing space for 60-100 individuals in 30-50 apartments of different size
- ✦ homes for seniors and juniors, singles, couples, small and big families
- ✦ an integrated car sharing concept
- ✦ approximately 10% of the area will be reserved for common areas such as
 - Assembly room(s)
 - Café with a lunch service
 - Workshop and storage
 - Guest rooms

Our **Öko.See.Dorf** concept shall serve as an example of committed citizenship that allows for

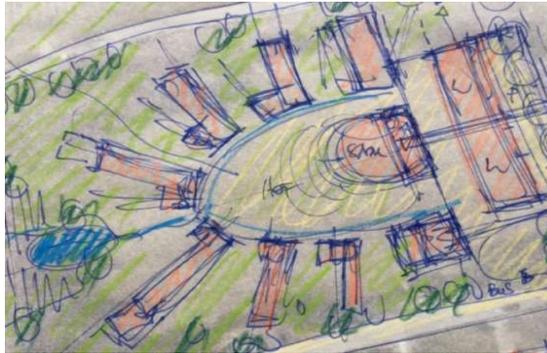
- ✦ a healthy integration with neighbours, the municipality and the region
- ✦ networking with other eco-friendly, sustainable co-housing projects in the Bodensee region and beyond

Current Status

In November 2018, the non-profit promotion association „Förderverein **Öko.See.Dorf** e.V.“ was founded.

This legal entity now serves as the application counterpart for the city / communities in the Lake Constance region in case of a specific building ground offer.

The latest by the time an investment in a land can be made, an official co-operative building association will be created and registered.



New Members

Please don't hesitate to contact us should you be interested in becoming a co-operative member and a co-habitant.

To ensure our interests, motives and expectations are aligned we have designed a get-to-know-each-other process. We look forward to hearing from you.

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“A Village in the City”

...personal, ecological, innovative...



About Us

Two years ago some families, couples and individuals gathered around the ideas of developing and creating a co-operative, ecological village.

Today, with the help of new members we have entered a new phase of planning and execution.



Future Co-Habitants

- ✚ are interested in and supportive of ecological topics
- ✚ are motivated and committed to bring the co-operative housing project to live
- ✚ commit to acquire basic knowledge and know how about the Sociocratic Circle-Organisation Method (SCM) and non-violent communication
- ✚ intend to take part in E-car sharing rather than owning a private car
- ✚ are willing to go through a defined application process
- ✚ can bear approximately 20-25% of the full building cost

How we want to live



✚ Rural and Urban

Beyond its ecological interest, the Öko.See.Dorf aims at keeping the village and rural character.

✚ Ecological, Aesthetic and Green

We would like to build a green village in accordance with guiding principles around ecology and sustainability

✚ Co-operative and Participative

We finance, build, use, live in and govern our common, private and commercial areas and buildings in a joint, collaborative way

✚ Non-violent and Sociocratic

Co-habitants organise themselves in sociocratic circles and participate in the design and the overall decision making processes

✚ Social, Caring and Fair

The personal living space shall be in alignment with the number of residents. A lifelong stay is guaranteed.

The project is open to and welcomes the participation of all generations and cultures.