

Sustainable Community Centers

Our Vision

Two sustainable community centers in Santa Cruz County

Descriptive Highlights

- Places to share, learn, teach, eat and shop, work and socialize
- Green Building centers that attract synergistic thinking and activities
- House groups and share resources for emerging sustainable community

Key Benefits

- Rural demonstration and learning center
- Urban setting to teach sustainability
- Sharing center for resources, information, technology, and expertise
- Long term heart of the community

First Steps

- Survey environmental groups for level of interest
- Develop working group
- Create development plan
- Identify community partners
- Create Interest with community leaders
- Create fundraising strategy
- Find and secure two locations

Available Resources

- Environmental expertise locally
- Community Vision
- Enviro-friendly local govt. leaders
- Long range growth plans underway

Other Things We Need

- Grant \$\$\$
- Long term project leaders



Who's Taking the Next Step?

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