



Newsletter | July 2022

Only 2 homes left! Don't let your options run out!
Check-out our remaining 2-bedroom homes [HERE](#).

Building Community in Tulsa, Oklahoma

Your cohousing dollars go further at Heartwood Commons. **Check us out!** Tulsa is considered one of the most livable cities in the country. **We are moving toward a fall move-in and only have two homes left.**

Top 10 Reasons to Choose Cohousing



As a member of Heartwood Commons we all have our reasons why we sought to be part of this community. Most agree, that it is connection that nurtures us. It is the sense of security gained by being a part of an established community. It is where neighbors know each other and watch out for each other that will help us thrive while aging in place. Sharing gives us a sense of purpose and belonging. From sharing resources, to knowledge, to traditions, to meals in the common house, we are reminded we have gifts to share and friends to learn from and grow with. Learning to live lightly on the land from an environmental aspect (such as the *community being fueled by a geothermal system*) is another reason members are proud to be a part of the community.

Some members jump into cohousing with both feet and never look back. Other members may take a bit more tentative and methodical approach to cohousing. You see, cohousing members are made up of people from a diverse array of backgrounds, *a good thing*. There are extroverts, introverts (and maybe more *introverts than extroverts if the truth be known*) but nevertheless these members have bonded together with a common goal of living in an intentional cohousing community made up of members who will respect your privacy but also be there to lend a helping hand.

We are beyond excited to move into our new homes this fall! We invite you to learn more by [joining us for an event or site visit](#).

As promised, here are the [Top Ten Reasons](#) people have given for choosing cohousing!

Visiting our Neighbors at Oakcreek



Heartwood Commoners recently took a long anticipated trip to visit our neighbors at Oakcreek in Stillwater, OK. They have been our inspiration and mentors from the beginning. Because of COVID-19 many of our newer members had not had the chance to visit. For many earlier members going to Oakcreek was the defining moment of knowing this is how we wanted to live the rest of our lives. For everyone who went it was exciting and insightful to see and experience how we will be living later this year.



CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

It was love at first sight when we saw this big tree on the property that would become the site for our homes. This tree has watched our community grow and we believe it is looking forward to our move-in as much as we are.



The tree offering the group its shade on the day we selected the land.



The tree alone after the land had been somewhat cleared.



The tree watching as construction progresses all around it.

Learn What All the Excitement is About



Heartwood Commons Site Tour

Saturday, July 9 at 10:00 am CT
Meet at Heartwood Commons, 7141 S Quincy, Tulsa, OK

Come see what all the excitement is about! You'll hear from our construction superintendent, see our progress, meet some of our members, and get answers to your questions.

Reservations are required.

[RSVP TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT FOR JULY 9](#)

We invite you to "Dig In" with us!



Dig In to Heartwood Commons

Thursday, July 14 at 6:30 pm CT on Zoom

Join people from all across the country to learn about Heartwood Commons. Meet community members, see our plans and pricing, hear about our construction progress, and get answers to your questions. Now is a great time to learn more. **We only have two homes left.**

Even if you've attended a previous presentation, we hope you will join us for important updates.

[RSVP FOR JULY 14 & GET MEETING LINK](#)

Site Visit by Appointment

Meet up with Heartwood Commons members to visit the land, see our construction progress and get answers to your questions.

[Email to arrange your site visit.](#)

For more information about our events, please contact Suzy Sharp at 918-519-5298 or email heartwoodcommonstulsa@gmail.com.

Celebrating Tulsa Pride

We were proud to celebrate Tulsa Pride by participating in the parade again this year! With over 225 entries this was the biggest parade yet! Watch a [snippet of the parade](#) on our Facebook page. **We do love a good parade!**



Having Fun at Oklahoma Freewheel



A bicycle ride across Oklahoma is a great way to really get to know your future neighbors! Oklahoma Freewheel is week-long bicycle tour across Oklahoma. This year we began near the Red River in Idabel. We traveled north to end just across the Kansas state line, tent camping in seven small towns along the way.

We rode through some of the most beautiful country in eastern Oklahoma. The Ouachita and Ozark mountain ranges made for challenging rides. *Somewhat it always seems like there is more up than down.* One of the advantages of being on a trike is that you are eye-level to the grand views of the all the beautiful blooming native flowers and fabulous butterflies.

Mother Nature provided an opportunity for riding in an epic rainstorm. All the rain and hills made for extremely tough conditions this year. *The deluge of rain really did make us wonder if one can drown in the rain.* Even once the rain stopped we were left with very large, deep puddles to negotiate. *Mike wondered if we might get a ticket for not having life jackets for flotation.*

Tricia is our resident cycling enthusiast who initiated this adventure. She has completed this ride 9 times! Mike and Audrey along with two of their friends joined Tricia this year. Unfortunately, she had an injury during her training and was not able to ride. Although she couldn't ride she spent a fun week with the group providing much needed moral support and cold beverages. Tricia kept up the encouragement and even said of their first time participating *both Mike and Audrey are strong, fun and extremely resilient!*

It was a very special time spent with old friends and future neighbors!



Day	Start	Finish	Hotel	Weather
Day 1	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	90°
Day 2	Idabel, OK	Broken Bow, OK	Idabel	101°
Day 3	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	101°
Day 4	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	101°
Day 5	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	101°
Day 6	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	101°
Day 7	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	101°
Day 8	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	101°
Day 9	Idabel, OK	Idabel, OK	Idabel	101°

Choose where you live and how you live. Heartwood Commons offers another choice.

Looking for more connections and a community you can count on?

We have a few two-bedroom homes left. Once we are sold out, it will likely be several years before a home becomes available.

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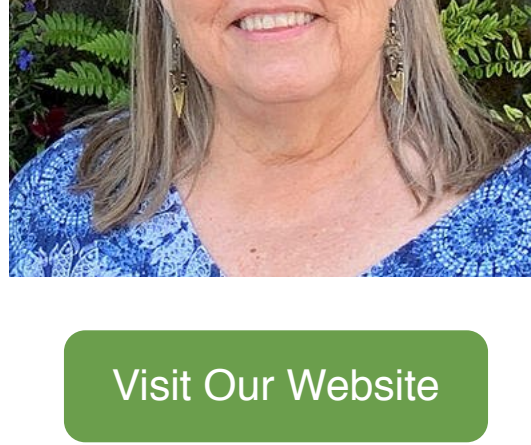
Join people from across the country who are deciding to call Tulsa home. Known for its friendliness, Tulsa is ranked one of the most livable cities in the US. And, we are told our home prices are the lowest of any cohousing community currently under construction in the country.

What are you waiting for?

Join us for a presentation or tour to learn how you can be a part of Heartwood Commons.

To learn more reach out to Suzy, one of our community members. She is happy to visit with you about Heartwood Commons and answer your questions. Contact her here:

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