

Collection Summary

ID Number: CS 209

Title: Federation of Egalitarian Communities

Extent: 8 Folder(s)

Span Dates: 1978-2006

Language: English

Geographic Location: Various

Abstract: This collection consists of assembly minutes and publications from the organization.

Historical Notes: The Federation of Egalitarian Communities is a support network for several like-minded communities. Member communities hold property in common and share income equally among members; they reject racism, sexism, and other forms of discrimination; they provide for the basic physical needs of members; and they make decisions democratically. Some 16 communities have belonged to the FEC since its founding in 1976, but several have disbanded. In 2009, there were six members communities: Acorn, East Wind, the Emma Goldman Finishing School, Sandhill Farm, Skyhouse, and Twin Oaks, plus several associated communities committed to most but not all of the FEC principles. **Sources:** Miller, Timothy. *The encyclopedic guide to American intentional communities*. 2nd ed. Richard W. Couper Press, 2015. pg. 154.

Selected Search Terms

Subjects: Communal living; Collective settlements; Housing, Cooperative; Collective farms; Commune

Administrative Information

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