

Collection Summary

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Title: Earthward Bound Foundation

Extent: 2 Folder(s)

Span Dates: 1980-1981

Language: English

Geographic Location: New Haven, Kentucky

Abstract: This collection consists of newsletters and clippings.

Historical Notes: In 1975 a group of people dedicated to organic farming, simple living, and alternative energy purchased a tract of 1,100 acres near Howardston, Kentucky; they moved into the community they built there the following year. The buildings included a geodesic dome and a remodeled barn. The population reached as many as 38, but later declined. The community closed in 1981.

Sources: Miller, Timothy. *The encyclopedic guide to American intentional communities*. Clinton, New York: Richard W. Couper Press, 2013, pg. 131.

Selected Search Terms

Subjects: Communal living; Collective settlements; Housing, Cooperative; Collective farms; Commune; Organic farming; Sustainable agriculture; Permaculture; Sustainable buildings; Green technology

Administrative Information

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