Freedom Hill Cooperative, Inc

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Dear Residents:

I am writing this note in the capacity of the Secretary of the Board of Directors, but it does not represent a BOD communication.

This is personal

This is only my third year of volunteering, and my fourth year of living in this community, so I am a "baby" compared to many of you, who may have many, many years of experience living here.

It has already been mentioned at Board meetings - and you'll see it in the minutes, if you read them - but this bulletin board and the walls of this mailhouse are NOT the proper venue for scribbling your notes, comments, complaints, jokes, opinions, or ANY communiqué, for that matter. Nor should you remove a notice, post a notice, or vandalize a notice. If you have something to say to the Board, you have several options to intelligently communicate your words:

	Drop a signed note in the FHC Office Box
	Mail a letter to the FHC address, or email us
	Attend a BOD meeting & speak up during the forum
	Call to express yourself, or make an appointment for a private hearing

By all means, sign your notes so that you can receive a response and any serious concerns can be addressed personally.

Every resident in this community pays for the paper, ink, & supplies to keep this mailhouse operating as a functional, useful tool for the proper communication necessary to run a cooperative. Don't be wasteful.

Above all, keep in mind that EVERY SINGLE individual who works for the operation and betterment of this community is a VOLUNTEER. They are doing it - in part - to save YOU the expense of having to hire out the jobs, which in turn saves YOU the increased lot rent. Some of the functions in this park take an awful lot of time, some take a toll on family time, and some are just downright stressful. It is YOUR job as a resident to cooperate, encourage, and assist.

Please take a brief moment before scribbling a rude note to ask yourself if you are cooperating, encouraging, and assisting.

Use your energy & ideas to VOLUNTEER and be a real asset to the community!

Liz Peacan Secretary