

Invitation to Form an Intentional Home:

A family from Eagle River is looking for other families interested in creating long term, sustainable housing for their adult children. The individuals interested in this potential should have an Alaskan HCBS waiver available to them. If the perspectives below are of interest to you, please contact us as described.

SON'S PERSPECTIVE:

I have lived with my parents my entire life, all 34 years. It is definitely time to find a home of my own, with the hope of also finding others who might want to share my future home.

I am a social guy, who likes to hang out with small groups of people, but I like my alone time, as well. Noisy, crowded situations aren't my favorite. To name a few things I enjoy... I listen to all kinds of music, like some TV game shows, enjoy laying on the grass, I'm kind of a gear head liking 4-wheelers and tractors, like to swim, enjoy church, and like being out and about during the day. I am excited to find a forever home with others, who I can call my housemates and friends.

PARENT'S PERSPECTIVE:

It has been a long journey trying to wrap our heads around what to create so our son has an enriching, safe home for his future. The concept of an intentional housing environment seems like the best way to secure a common vision and lifestyle for a healthy, respectful, stable, enriching environment and forever home for our son with Developmental Disabilities. We are looking for other parents who want to be involved in this endeavor for their adult children with disabilities. (It is important to note, due to our son's physical and intellectual challenges, having housemates with aggressive behaviors, would not be safe for him.) We desire parents that will be FULLY involved with the development and ongoing sustainability of this environment. We will need everyone's time, talents and treasures to make this work! The desired location of this home would be in the Eagle River or possibly Palmer area, hopefully close to town for easy access. Our dream is to have an intentional housing environment focusing on an adequately sized outside space for trails, gardens and plenty of room for outdoor fun the year through. And, creating micro-enterprises, according to the activities the residents enjoy would be an important focus. There are many possibilities to explore. If interested, we would love to hear from you.

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