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NO COMMONS
WITHOUT COMMONING
THINK LIKE A COMMONER

A Short Introduction to the Life of the Commons
ATTITUDE
UBUNTU
NO "I"
WITHOUT A "YOU"
KEEP CALM
THERE'S A
PARADIGM SHIFT
GOING ON
FREE IN RELATEDNESS
NEVER FREE FROM RELATIONSHIPS
RELATION PRECEDES THINGS BEING RELATED TO
COMMONING

ENACT

THE COMMONS
Patterns of Commoning
Patterns of Commoning + Design Principles for Institutions
embodied experience
market/state
Commonify the city.
RETHINK
USE
MIETSHÄUSERSYNDIKAT
CO-FACILITATE SELFORGANIZATION
Each commons needs protection.
CSA = ...
DISTRIBUTED NOT DECENTRALIZED
PLATFORMS FREE FROM DISCRIMINATION
THE CITY AS A COMMONS

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MAPPING MATTERS

Great Lakes Commons Map

596 ACRES

Transformer Map

openStreetMap
FREE, FAIR & SUSTAINABLE
CITY OF
WORKSHOPS
KEEP CALM
AND
KEEP COMMONING