

# Wettbewerb 2022 "Stadt im Wandel - Stadt der Ideen" | A Multispecies Homelessness

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Homelessness is on the rise as affordable housing is in short supply - but this is not a strictly human problem. The non-human species also face homelessness through sealing of land and destruction of habitats.

The Ostbahnhof area has a multispecies homelessness crises. Instead of displacement by regular housing projects, new structures for synergies and interactions between non-humans and humans must emerge. This more-than-human approach focuses on the reactivation of undercover- used [spaces] areas. The design proposal allows for decision-making freedom from below, so that participation processes are enabled within a given framework plan.

Caretaking is used to achieve commoning practices to create a neighborhood that provides adequate living space for both human and non-humans and enables interactions between them.

