

**CoG leases location on Emeryville/Berkeley border!
Shopping begins in November!**



Our new location at 67th Street and Hollis is convenient to CoG members in Berkeley, Oakland and beyond.

We are thrilled to announce that the Cooperative Grocery has a location: 1450 67th Street at Hollis, just two blocks south of Ashby. [CLICK HERE TO SEE MAP](#). After months of searching, we believe that this building offers a great combination of price, space and location. In fact, we think it's the best deal in town.

Serving current and future members

The 3500 square foot warehouse will be home to the CoG for the next three plus years, with the long term goal to open a more traditional retail store. In the meantime, this location provides easy access to public transport (there's a bus stop right outside the door), highways, and bike paths (we're a block from the Albany to Emeryville bike path).

A great time to sign-up new members

We will move in on October 1st and plan to start taking orders in November. That means we've got less than 2 months to get up and running! It's also the time to get family, friends and colleagues to join. The more members we have, the more days we are open, the wider selection we can offer. Read on to learn how to get involved. And [let us know your thoughts!](#)

The countdown begins! 3... 2... 1...

What you need to know about the opening of the CoG.



CLEAN-UP PARTY ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14TH

This will be our highest profile countdown project. Come down to the new location and **help prepare the site for operation, meet other members and have a few laughs**. It's a great way to spend your first hours as a working member. [CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP »](#)



SHIFT SCHEDULES COMING SOON

In the next week, you will receive a one-page form via email with questions about your work availability and work preferences. **You must return this form by October 14th if you want to begin shopping on November 1st**. Forms can be returned via email, fax, postal mail, or just bring it to the party!.



WORK HOURS BEGIN IN OCTOBER

Members will work their first 2 1/2 hours in October. Since regular work does not begin until November, these hours will be fulfilled by signing up for "countdown projects", including the clean-up party (see above). **A full list of countdown projects will be emailed and published on thecog.org next week.**

Calendar highlights

WORK QUESTIONNAIRES
& OCT. PROJECT LIST
Emailed week of 17th
Check your in-box

FORMER PARK
SLOPERS MEETING
Thursday, September 20
7-9 PM
1165 Arch St, Berkeley

CLEAN-UP PARTY
Sunday, October 14
10 AM - 5 PM
1450 67th Street
(CoG warehouse)
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[Check the calendar](#)
for more events.

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address to create your free
Google account. It's quick
and easy.)

Member update

369 since 8/2/06!

Member talent search

The following important volunteer positions could become your monthly work requirement. Please email elisa@thecog.org if you can help.

Accountant: To consult on our accounting practices. Experience in a grocery (co-op or otherwise) is a plus.

Events Research: To research local events at which to promote the CoG. Works with the outreach committee.

Web designer: To help clean up the look of our online store. An opportunity to work with our talented IT team.

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