

Want to Get Involved?

Mesh networks don't happen by themselves, they require a ton of effort and a lot of collaboration. If you would like to help out, there are a few general roles that anyone (with the right motivation) can fulfill:

Community Organizer and/or Educator

Are you a people person? Would you like to help our network expand and provide access to those who need it most? Use your social skills to help get the word out. Talk to neighbors and local businesses about setting up a node in their buildings. Help plan events that raise awareness of community networks.

Legalistics and Grant Writing

Do you have expertise in law? Are you a good writer? Or do you want to learn how to raise funds or battle bureaucracy? Help us join the fight for digital liberties and equitable access to information. Learn more about our legal efforts at <https://sudoroom.org/wiki/Mesh/Legal>

Design and User Experience (UX)

Are you artistically inclined? There are multiple aspects of mesh networks that require creative design skills. Help improve our propaganda, re-design user interfaces, or create new diagrams and infographics. Current designs can be found at <https://github.com/sudomesh/propaganda>

Technical Support

Do you like scaling tall buildings? Are you a skilled troubleshooter? Help provide day-to-day management and maintenance of the mesh. Assist in the deployment of nodes and roof-mounted antennae! If you'd like to join the node mounting crew, e-mail us at nodemount@peoplesopen.net.

Multi-talented Engineer

Are you a hacker or programmer? Do you know how to use git? Fork our repos, modify some code (or just correct some text in a README file), build/deploy a new mesh service, or extend our firmware.

Help PeoplesOpen.net Evolve!

Report and fix bugs; suggest, research, and develop new features; deploy nodes; educate your peers; improve the documentation; and perhaps start your own mesh network!

Email us: info@peoplesopen.net

Join us on IRC: [#peoplesopen.net](irc://irc.freenode.net)

Or, come to our in person meetings:

Tuesdays 7pm, Omni Commons, 4799 Shattuck Ave, Oakland, CA

