

Steve Cohn has been a resident of Orinda since 1985 with his wife Rose Anne and their two, now grown, children (a teacher in Oakland and a researcher at LBL).

He has been involved in the issue of Orinda infrastructure starting with Bond Measures Q and E in 2006 & 2007, actively participating with the CIOC (Citizens Infrastructure Oversight Commission) from its inception in 2007, and advising and providing analysis for the RETF (Revenue Enhancement Task Force) in 2008. He was a co-founder of the grassroots infrastructure organization FAIR (Fire And Infrastructure Renewal) in 2009 whose goal is the rational allocation of scarce tax resources to enhance our ability to appropriately fund the maintenance of our city's physical infrastructure.

Steve received his bachelors degree in civil engineering from UC Davis and a masters degree in transportation engineering from Carnegie Mellon University. He diverged from physical engineering early in his career to enter the world of financial engineering focusing on equipment and project finance. His off-hours were spent volunteering on the Sugar Bowl Ski Patrol for 25 years and teaching first aid and CPR for the Red Cross.