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Age Friendly Communities and Universal Design

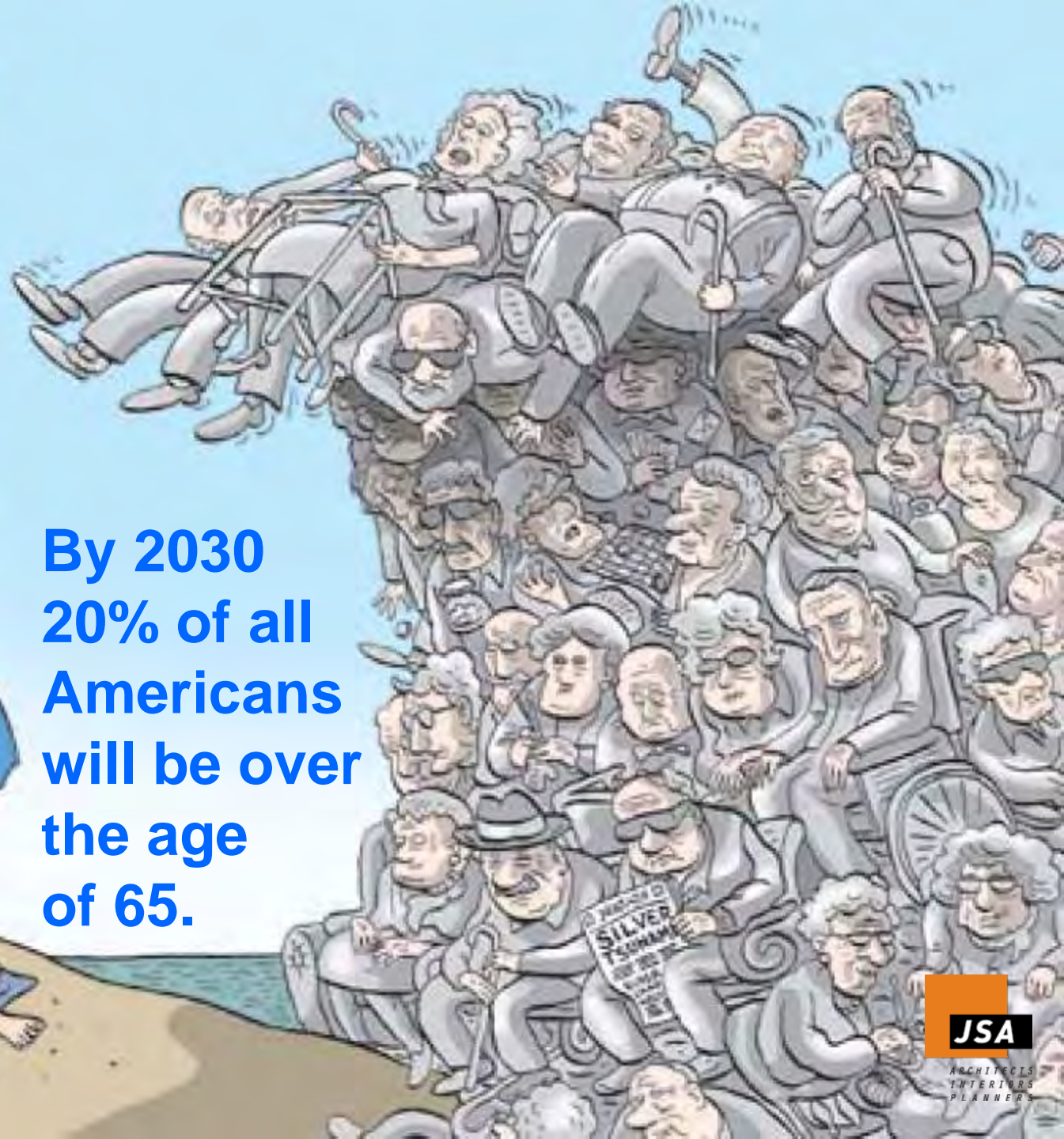
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80 Million Boomers in the Silver Tsunami

By 2030
20% of all
Americans
will be over
the age
of 65.



**1/3 of all Americans
will be disabled or
over age 65 by 2030!**



Where will they choose to live?







World Health
Organization

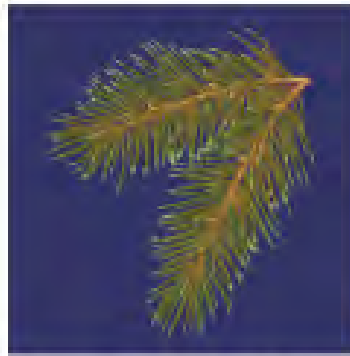
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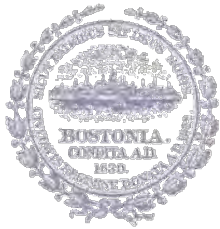
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TRI-STATE LEARNING COLLABORATIVE ON AGING



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vibrant villages
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The Design for Aging Community & The Boston Society of Architects Foundation invite you to



CELEBRATE THE VOICES

An Exhibition-Reception celebrating
our partnership with the
Age-Friendly Boston Initiative

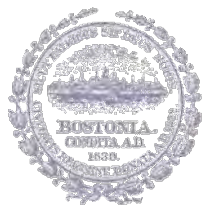
- Photo Exhibit
- Video Presentation
- Refreshments

Monday, November 2nd
5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

BSA Space
290 Congress Street
Boston, MA 02210

Shuttle bus service will be
provided to and from the
Boston Convention Center.

RSVP by October 24 at
www.architects.org/LeadingAge
Click on EventBrite RSVP link



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WALL STREET JOURNAL

"From the region down to the doorknob - that's the challenge: integrating it all,"

Andres Duany



PROPOSED



VISITABILITY

It's not enough to focus solely on housing for disabled or aging populations, we must strive for Universal Design in ALL housing, businesses and public places.

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 **walkBoston**[®]

East Boston, September 20, 2016



Consider the aging
eye, cataracts, field of
vision, gate, speed,
hearing...

Walk Boston, July 13, 2016

Universal Design

is the creation of environments and products which are meant to be useable to all people to the greatest extent possible, without the need for adaptation or specialization.

The intent is to enhance the quality of life for us all, regardless of age or ability.

**When done well,
it's invisible.**





Universal Design is...





...not this!