

# SpaceTrader Trading Waste for Shared Space

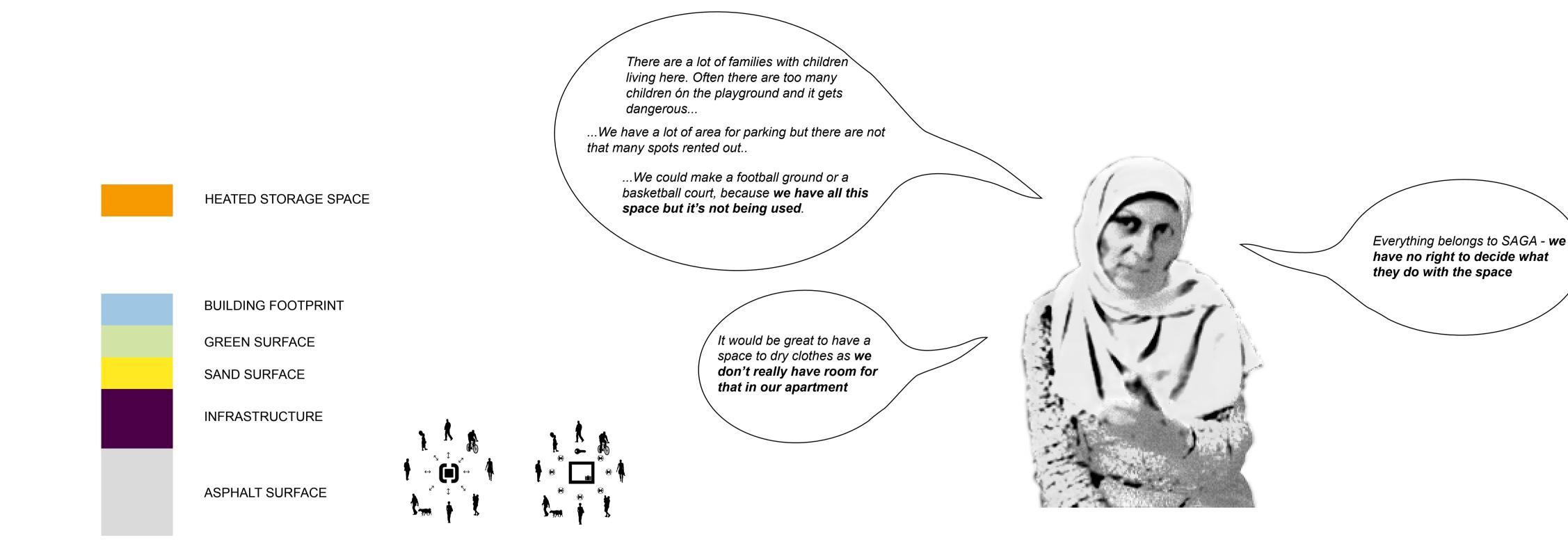
Through the lens of energy conservation, we are exploring the use of space at the Mengestrasse 8 housing community. We have found there an imbalance between limited spaces in high demand, such as multi-purpose enclosed garages and playspace for children, and excessive spaces that are underutilized, such as unrented parking spaces and basement storage. With this project, we aim to empower residents to explore the potential of the spaces to which they have access and to develop a more appropriate system of space valuation based on inherent worth and energy requirements. This game will enable residents to trade spaces they do not make use of and create new usages for spaces that they feel is not optimally appropriated. The game encourages cooperation between many members of the community to reach common goals and the value of shared spaces. If successful, the program could lower energy usage in the building and be adapted to other



SAGA houses across Wilhelmsburg



wasted heating







The space on the site is largely reserved for parking, for which there is little demand enclosed multi-purpose spaces

space use



available for other uses



The largely underutilised parking lot is not currently not Residents who wish for more diverse space uses need a tool to organise and voice their ideas

## A system to encourage space optimization

# MANAGE MY RESOURCES

#### Suggest new use

#### **TOOLSHARE**

I would like to suggest building a new cold space for a toolshare workshop for everyone interested. Does anybody want to share this with me?

#### Make space available

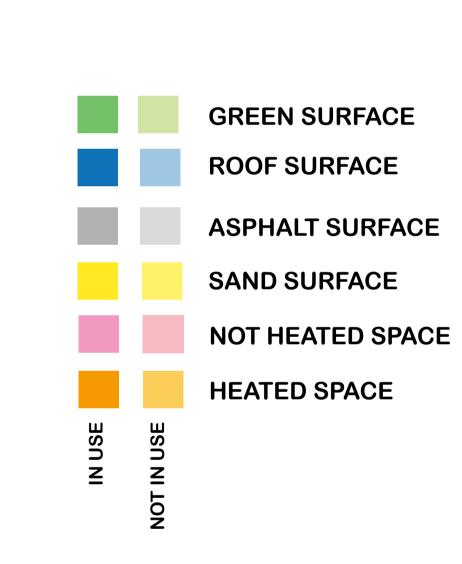
**HEATED SPACE** I would like to trade away 2sqm of heated space which I don't need in my storage.

# **MARKET HALL**

sharing for optimized use



## **ALL SPACES**



### MY SPACES

