

## Cambridge Public Library to Host *New York Times* Bestselling Author Jenny Odell for a Discussion and Signing of New Book *Saving Time*

**Cambridge, MA, July 26, 2023** -- The Library will welcome Jenny Odell for a conversation and signing for her latest book, *Saving Time: Discovering a Life Beyond the Clock,* at the Main Library on Thursday, August 10, from 6-7:30 p.m. This will be a hybrid event, and <u>registration is required</u>. This program is sponsored by the Cambridge Public Library Foundation.

Jenny Odell, author of *New York Times* bestseller *How to Do Nothing: Resisting the Attention Economy*, examines a new way to think about time in her latest bestseller, *Saving Time*. In *Saving Time*, Odell raises questions about our conceptions of time by taking a deep dive into the fundamental structure of our society. What she found was that the clock we live by was built for profit, not people. Odell connects our relationship with time to persisting social inequities, the climate crisis, existential dread, and a lethal fatalism. *Saving Time* offers different ways to experience time and recenter what's really important.

Jenny Odell is a multidisciplinary artist and author. Her first book, *How to Do Nothing,* was a *New York Times* bestseller. Her writing has appeared in *The Atlantic, The New York Times, Sierra* magazine, and other publications. *Saving Time* is her second book.

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