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INTRODUCTION

Imagine a world where developers within your organization can create innovative solutions quickly and securely, while IT maintains control and governance. That's the power of the Microsoft Power Platform Center of Excellence (CoE) Starter Kit. It's not just software; it's a springboard to transform your business.

WHAT IS THE MICROSOFT CENTER OF EXCELLENCE (COE) KIT?

Imagine having a powerful toolkit that allows you to seamlessly monitor, govern, and nurture your Power Platform environment. That's exactly what the Microsoft CoE Kit offers. It's a collection of managed solutions developed by Microsoft that, once deployed, pull data into a Dataverse and provide a comprehensive dashboard for effortless management.

WHAT DOES THE COE KIT DO?

ADMINISTRATION

With the CoE Kit, you can manage Data Loss Prevention (DLP) policies, handle permissions, and streamline approval processes. It's like having a control center that ensures your Power Platform environment runs smoothly and securely.

GOVERNANCE

The governance capabilities are top-notch. The CoE Kit allows you to audit processes, clean up old or orphaned objects, and quarantine apps that need attention. It's all about maintaining a clean, efficient, and compliant environment.

NURTURE

Nurturing your users has never been easier. The CoE Kit includes assessment apps and training management tools that support and empower your users, helping them get the most out of the Power Platform.

THEMING

Standardize and enhance the look of your canvas apps with the theming functionality. Consistent themes make for a professional and cohesive user experience.

INNOVATION

Foster innovation with the CoE Kit's backlog component. Identify main pain points, measure ROI, and let users vote on ideas to prioritize developments that bring the most value to your organization.

HOW DOES THE COE KIT DO IT?

The CoE Kit works its magic through a series of managed solutions that, once deployed, integrate with the Dataverse. This setup pulls in data from your Power Platform environment and presents it in a user-friendly dashboard. This dashboard becomes your command center, where you can oversee everything from usage statistics to app performance, enabling you to make informed decisions and optimizations.

BENEFITS OF THE COE KIT

BOOST EFFICIENCY AND PRODUCTIVITY

- **Standardized Development:** Implement consistent development practices, reducing rework and speeding up project timelines.
- **Streamlined Governance:** Simplify app approvals and deployments with clear policies and automated workflows.
- **Empowered Users:** Provide training and support to citizen developers, reducing their dependence on IT resources.

ENHANCE INNOVATION AND AGILITY

- **Empower Citizen Developers:** Equip users with the skills and tools to innovate and build effective solutions.
- **Accelerate Time to Market:** Fast-track the creation and deployment of new applications.
- **Foster Collaboration:** Encourage collaboration between IT and business units for better alignment and solutions.

OPTIMIZE COSTS

- **Efficient Resource Utilization:** Optimize resource allocation across your development environments.
- **Reduce External Dependencies:** Empower internal development to reduce reliance on external resources.

ENSURE SECURITY AND COMPLIANCE

- **Consistent Security Policies:** Maintain uniform security practices across all Power Platform developments.
- **Robust Data Governance:** Manage data access and ensure compliance with regulations.
- **Automated Compliance Checks:** Use automated tools to ensure your applications meet all compliance requirements.

DRIVE BUSINESS VALUE

- **Increase User Adoption:** Effective training and support lead to higher adoption rates of Power Platform applications.
- **Boost Business Agility:** Respond quickly to changing business needs with custom solutions.
- **Data-Driven Decisions:** Use insights from Power BI reports to make informed, strategic decisions.