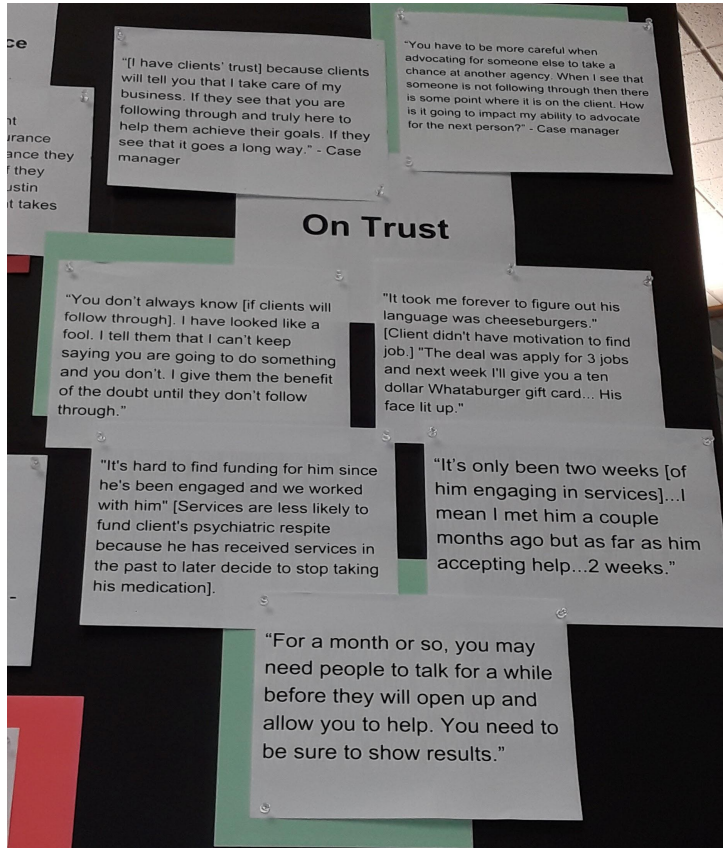


# Mayor's Blockchain Challenge



Team Compass

# [ Team Compass ]



## Describing Our Team

- Longtime crypto enthusiasts and developers (mostly IBM)
- Deep connections to Austin and desire to improve quality of life for all residents
- Starting with trust

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**Problem**

# [Problem: Tony's story & Julian's concerns]

- Person Experiencing Homelessness--Proof of Identity
  - Always controlling your own data
  - Electronically managing documents in case of loss
- Provider--Validating clients and proving eligibility for services
- Creating a low-friction experience making it easier to access & provide services

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**Why use a blockchain?**

# [Why use blockchain? Why not just a database?]

- **Agency:** trust that you own data at all times, control over documentation that belongs to you
- **No single central authority:** data kept secure through a distributed network, documents only viewable by user and user's chosen providers
- **Secured data:** encrypted end to end, giving you the ability to control personal information

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**Mission**

# [Mission]

- Help user manage and control documents digitally...

...while providing guidance and direction to get support needed

- Enable service providers to quickly verify IDs and expedite process of serving clients



# [Platform]

- Amazon S3
  - with encrypted document
- Python API
- Ionic
  - cross-platform web app
- Factom
  - Data blockchain (based in Austin)
- Event sourcing (domain-driven design)
- PostgreSQL
  - Event store for primary documents

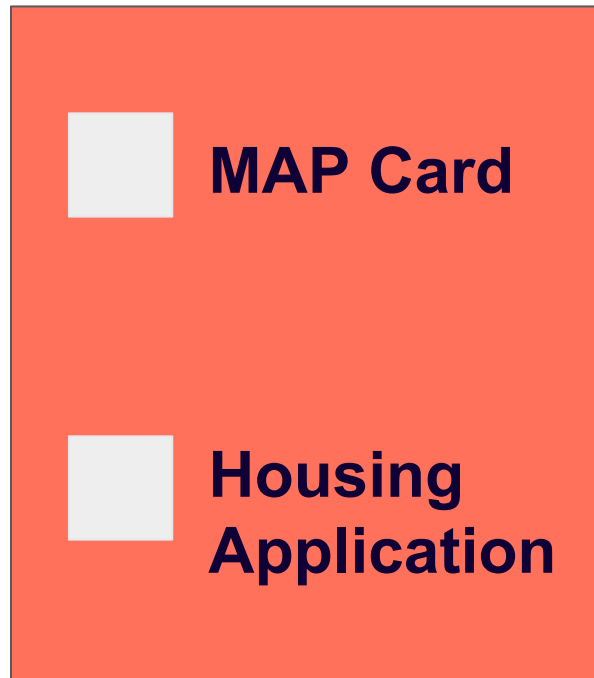
# Services packages addressed

Getting a MAP card & applying for housing

- Foundational element
- Approachable and within scope
- Complex workflow

Three Prototypes

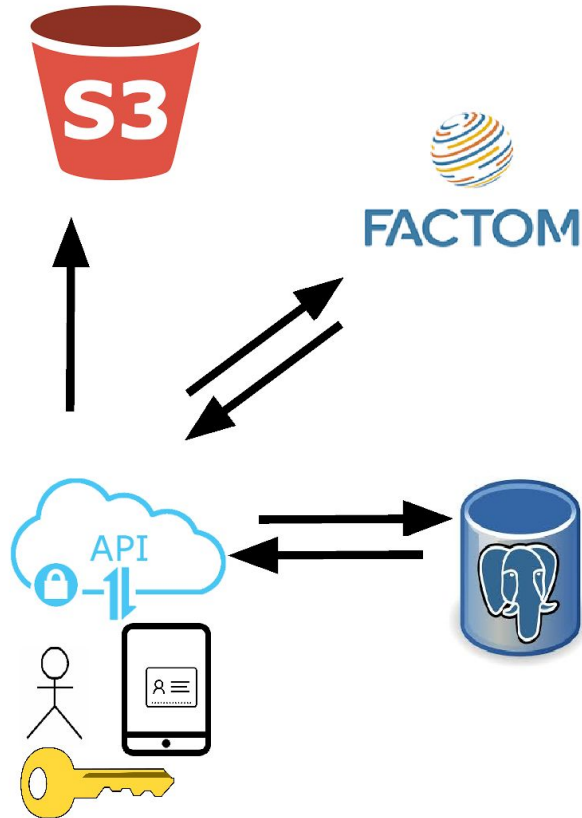
- Event API
- Blockchain portion
- Front-end web app



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**myPass Wallet**

# [Solution Diagram]



- An online app accessible anywhere a PEH uses to upload docs & control access to personal data
- Helping users understand resources available and how to access them

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## Test Results

# [What we learned]

## Trust

- Assuming trust in some institutions
- The adversarial nature of experiencing homelessness and continual threat of loss

## Privacy implications (GDPR)

- Unique privacy concerns for PEH, particularly over time
- Importance of being able to delete information and/or revoke access to your wallet

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## Future Concerns

## [Next Steps]

- Buy in from institutions as scope expands  
Greater area, more types of documents,  
involving more public agencies
- Revoking access to documents  
User needs ability to limit access to data a provider  
no longer needs
- Updating or changing documents  
Maintenance over time as details change



# [Art of the Possible]

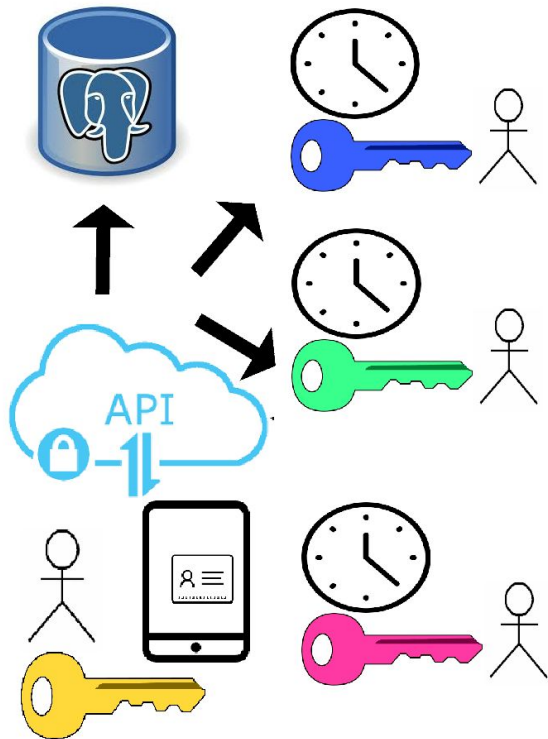
- We chose to focus on the problem defined in the requirements, rather than dig into things beyond them
- We continually used feedback to narrow our scope, which allowed us to fully realize our goals
- We don't offer a perfect solution, but a helpful improvement

If we make enough small improvements it can translate to real change

**Thank You!**

**We'd be glad to take your  
questions.**

# [Key Expiration]



A new key is generated from Master when metadata is shared with other entites.

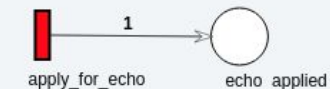
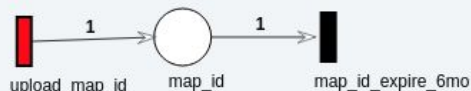
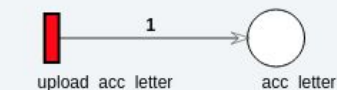
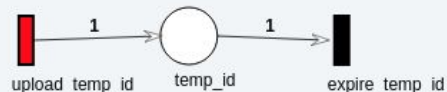
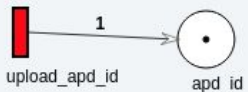
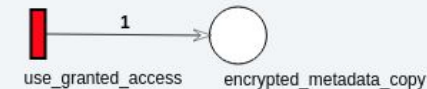
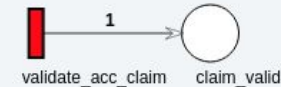
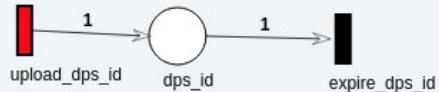
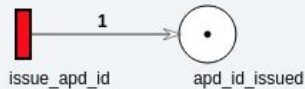
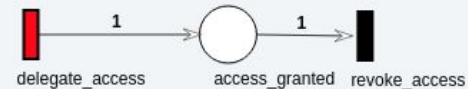
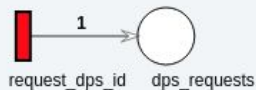
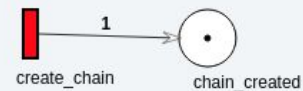
These keys expire from the Database.

- Only Metadata is shared
- Users can remove primary uploaded documents
- Downloads are secured by keys

# [Defining Events]

Blockchain Event Simulation

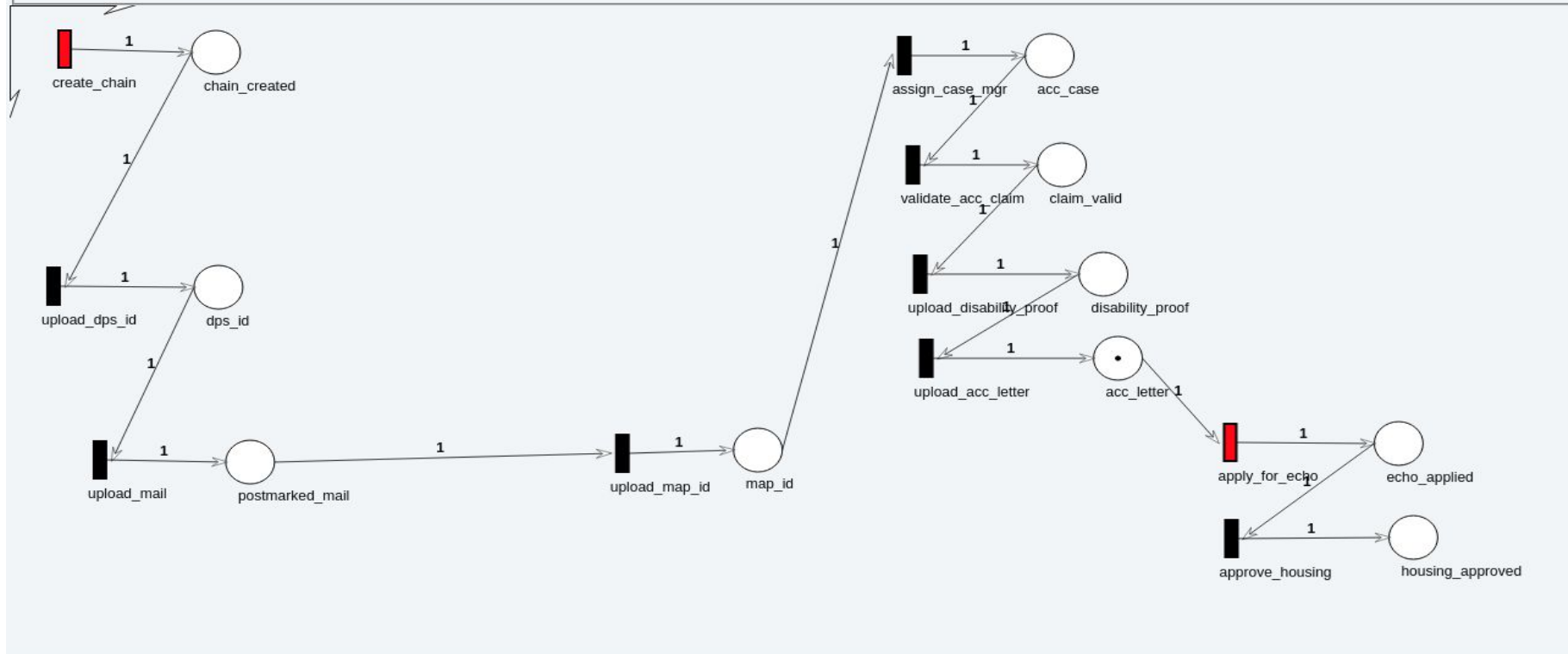
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# [Event Workflow]

Blockchain Event Simulation

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## **Github Repo**

[https://github.com/Splitix/Id\\_Manager](https://github.com/Splitix/Id_Manager)