

# CONSTITUTION

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# 1 StorPunk DAO Constitution

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## 1.1 DEVELOPMENT VERSION NOTICE

This constitution serves as the development specification for the StorPunk DAO smart contract implementation. The smart contract will be built to implement these principles and procedures as closely as possible. Following contract development and testing, this constitution will be updated to reflect the actual implemented functionality, which should hopefully be identical or very close to identical to the envisaged functionality as specified herein.

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## 1.3 Executive Summary

### 1.3.1 Overview of the Core Aims of the StorPunk Network

The StorPunk Network, at its core code foundation, will provide decentralized temporary encrypted data storage with a high-throughput network currency. Building atop this foundation, the StorPunk Network will provide: a fully decentralized currency exchange allowing trade in multiple cryptocurrencies as well as fiat currencies, decentralized public data search, a decentralized social media platform, a decentralized trading platform (for trade in anything), and client obfuscation via network hops.

### 1.3.2 Overview of the StorPunk DAO.

The StorPunk DAO (Decentralized Autonomous Organization) was created to fund and govern the funding & management of the development of the StorPunk network.

### 1.3.3 Governance Structure

1. **Token Holders:** All \$PUNK-DAO token holders possess voting rights and proposal submission authority for StorPunk DAO decisions
2. **Governance Multisig:** 3-of-5 signature wallet controlling main treasury and constitutional compliance for the StorPunk DAO
3. **Operations Multisig:** 2-of-3 signature wallet for approved day-to-day expenses related to StorPunk Project development
4. **Project Director:** Leadership role subject to confidence votes, controls StorPunk Project operational decisions within approved budgets

### 1.3.4 Key Decision Types & Requirements

Decision Type	Majority Required	Voting Period	Quorum
Constitutional Amendment	75%	14 days	67%
Emergency Action	51%	48 hours	5%
Treasury Distribution	51%	7 days	10%
Quarterly Budget	51%	14 days	10%
Development Priority	51%	7 days	10%
Confidence Vote	67%	7 days	10%

### 1.3.5 Rights & Responsibilities

#### 1.3.5.1 Token Holder Rights

- Submit StorPunk DAO governance proposals (minimum 50 \$PUNK-DAO tokens required)
- Vote on all StorPunk DAO proposals within their authority
- Access transparent treasury and StorPunk Project development information
- Maintain permanent StorPunk DAO governance rights (retained even after claiming \$PUNK tokens)

#### 1.3.5.2 Token Holder Responsibilities

- Vote in good faith for StorPunk Project benefit
- Respect core development aims and cypherpunk principles
- Participate constructively in StorPunk DAO governance discussions
- Report security concerns about StorPunk Project development through proper channels

### 1.3.6 Amendment Process

1. Detailed proposal with exact changes and rationale
2. 30-day community discussion period
3. 75% supermajority vote required
4. 14-day voting period
5. 30-day implementation period

**Note:** Core StorPunk Project development aims, cypherpunk principles, and surveillance prohibitions cannot be amended.

## 1.4 Preamble

We, the members of the StorPunk DAO, unite under the principles of the Cypherpunk Manifesto to fund, govern, and manage a development effort that empowers individual privacy, freedom, and sovereignty in the digital age.

Privacy is necessary for an open society. The StorPunk Project aims to build the StorPunk Network to provide temporary, encrypted storage that leaves no permanent trace—a tool

for those who value their right to selectively reveal information. Through cryptography and decentralized governance, we defend privacy not through words but through code.

This Constitution establishes the framework for collective decision-making while preserving the immutable core aims of the StorPunk Project: to create a temporary storage network that serves the cypherpunk ideals of privacy, anonymity, and individual empowerment.

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## 1.5 Article I: Core Aims & Principles

### 1.5.1 Section 1: Immutable Development Aims

**Core Principle:** The StorPunk Project aims to develop the StorPunk Network to provide temporary, encrypted data storage with automatic expiration.

**Primary Functions:** - Private, anonymous data sharing - Censorship-resistant information exchange - Temporary storage without permanent digital footprints - Complement to permanent storage solutions like Autonomi

**What this means:** The StorPunk Project exists specifically to develop network functions that serve users who need temporary, private storage. These core development aims cannot be changed, redirected, or compromised through governance decisions.

### 1.5.2 Section 2: Guiding Principles

All governance decisions must align with these principles:

1. **Privacy First:** Default to anonymous, encrypted operations in all network functions
2. **Individual Sovereignty:** Empower users to maintain complete control over their data
3. **Decentralization:** Actively resist centralized control, censorship, or single points of failure
4. **Transparency:** Maintain open source code and verifiable operations for all network components
5. **Simplicity:** Avoid unnecessary complexity that could compromise security or usability
6. **Accessibility:** Keep barriers to entry low for both users and node operators

### 1.5.3 Section 3: Constitutional Protections

**1.5.3.1 Protected Features** The following features are constitutionally protected and SHALL NOT be removed or fundamentally altered through governance decisions:

**1.5.3.1.1 Pre-launch Features (Phases 0-3) Core Functionality:** - Pay-per-store model with TTL (Time-To-Live) functionality - Fixed quantity (non-inflationary) \$PUNK token supply - Self-custody wallet integration for storage payments - Dual-network client supporting both StorPunk and Autonomi networks

**Governance & Economics:** - \$PUNK creation bridge to \$PUNK-DAO governance tokens - 60/40 allocation of unsold tokens (60% Founder/Core Developer Pool, 40% Community)

Development Fund) - Native decentralized exchange system (HIGH PRIORITY - Phase 3) - Trade security and verification systems - Trading pairs with selected tokens including fiat currency support (fiat transactions require third-party intermediaries) - Exchange security mechanisms

**1.5.3.1.2 Post-launch Features (Phase 4) Network Operations:** - Complete network launch with full functionality - Claim contract deployment on Ethereum (separate from DAO contract) - Bridge service activation for \$PUNK token minting - Anonymous usage capability through network routing hops

**Token Mechanisms:** - 2x rewards for original token holders (up to 32x multiplier for Tier 1 holders) - Soulbound token mechanism implementation (tokens become non-transferable after claiming while retaining full governance rights)

**Ecosystem Features:** - Network-wide indexing and search functionality - Client-side social media functionality - P2P trading bazaar for goods and services

**1.5.3.2 DAO Investor Protections Economic Protections:** - Hold-to-double reward mechanism for early supporters - Soulbound governance tokens post-claim (retaining full voting rights permanently on Ethereum) - Community Development Fund allocation for ongoing ecosystem growth - USDT submission fee requirement for community developer proposals (\$100 per proposal)

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## 1.6 Article II: Governance Powers

### 1.6.1 Section 1: Enumerated Powers

The DAO may vote on the following matters within constitutional limitations:

**1.6.1.1 A. Treasury Management Authorized Decisions:** - Distribution of funds for development priorities within approved categories - Allocation percentages between development and community initiatives - Emergency fund deployment (subject to restrictions in Article IV) - Approval of major expenditures exceeding established monthly limits - Quarterly budget approval and modification

**1.6.1.2 B. Network Operations Authorized Decisions:** - Specific timing of yearly tier progression for token sales - Network parameter adjustments (storage duration limits, pricing structures) - Infrastructure scaling and node operator requirements - Development task prioritization (e.g., decentralized exchange implementation timeline)

**Limitation:** The DAO controls operational parameters but cannot change the fundamental network architecture or core privacy features.

**1.6.1.3 C. Development Priorities Authorized Decisions:** - Feature development prioritization AFTER all protected core features are complete - Resource allocation between competing development priorities - Timeline adjustments for non-critical features and enhancements - Addition of new features (post-launch only, must align with cypherpunk principles)

**1.6.1.4 D. Organizational Governance Authorized Decisions:** - Votes of confidence in project leadership roles - Selection and replacement of multisig signers - Amendment of this Constitution (supermajority required, subject to immutable provisions) - Emergency response protocol activation and procedures

**1.6.1.5 E. Community & Ecosystem Authorized Decisions:** - Grant program parameters and allocation criteria - Marketing and outreach strategies (consistent with privacy principles) - Community incentive programs and reward structures

## **1.6.2 Section 2: Prohibited Actions**

The DAO SHALL NOT vote to authorize any of the following:

1. **Core Function Violations:** Remove, disable, or fundamentally alter protected features listed in Article I, Section 3
2. **Development Aims Compromise:** Alter the core development aims of building a cypherpunk ecosystem that respects the privacy, anonymity, and free exchange of all clients
3. **Surveillance Implementation:** Implement user tracking, data collection, or surveillance capabilities
4. **Privacy Breaches:** Share user data, compromise encryption, or weaken anonymity protections
5. **Economic Manipulation:** Change fundamental tokenomics after network launch
6. **Principle Violations:** Redirect the StorPunk Project away from established cypherpunk principles
7. **Premature Feature Addition:** Add new features before all constitutionally promised features are complete and operational
8. **Budget Violations:** Exceed spending limits and procedures defined in Article IV

**Enforcement:** These prohibitions cannot be overridden by any governance vote, regardless of margin or circumstances.

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## **1.7 Article III: Voting Mechanisms**

### **1.7.1 Section 1: Proposal Categories & Requirements**

Category	Required Majority	Voting Period	Cooldown	Quorum
Constitutional Amendment	75%	14 days	30 days	67%
Emergency Action	51%	48 hours	7 days	5%
Treasury Distribution	51%	7 days	None	10%
Quarterly Budget Approval	51%	14 days	None	10%
Tier Progression	51%	7 days	None	10%
Development Priority Reordering	51%	7 days	None	10%
Confidence Challenge Vote	51%	7 days	90 days	10%
Confidence Vote	67%	7 days	90 days	10%
Standard Governance	51%	7 days	None	10%

### 1.7.2 Section 2: Proposal Process

#### 1.7.2.1 Step-by-Step Submission Process Phase 1: Eligibility & Preparation

1. Verify token holding requirement (50+ \$PUNK-DAO tokens for standard proposals) 2. Community developers must prepare \$100 USDT submission fee for development proposals 3. Prepare detailed proposal including rationale, implementation plan, and resource requirements

**Phase 2: Submission & Validation** 1. Submit proposal through designated governance platform (Snapshot.org) 2. Multisig signers review for constitutional compliance within 48 hours 3. Proposal approved for community discussion or rejected with detailed reasoning

**Phase 3: Community Discussion** 1. Mandatory community discussion period (minimum 48 hours for standard proposals) 2. Extended discussion for complex proposals (up to 14 days for constitutional amendments) 3. Proposal author may make clarifications and minor adjustments during discussion period

**Phase 4: Voting Period** 1. Formal voting opens on Snapshot.org for defined period per proposal category 2. Token holders vote using quadratic or linear weighting (as specified per proposal type) 3. Voting period cannot be extended once commenced

**Phase 5: Implementation** 1. Multisig signers implement passed proposals according to established timelock periods 2. Implementation must occur within 72 hours of vote conclusion (unless timelock specifies otherwise) 3. Community notification provided upon implementation completion

### 1.7.3 Section 3: Quorum Requirements

**Standard Proposals:** 10% of circulating \$PUNK-DAO supply must participate **Constitutional Amendments:** 67% of circulating supply must participate **Emergency Actions:** 5% of circulating supply must participate

**Quorum Calculation:** Based on total circulating supply at time of vote initiation, excluding any tokens held in multisig treasury wallets.



### 1.7.4 Section 4: Proposal Rejection

Proposals are automatically rejected if they:

1. **Constitutional Violations:** Violate constitutional limitations or prohibited actions
2. **Insufficient Information:** Lack required information, implementation details, or clear rationale
3. **Duplicate Submissions:** Duplicate active proposals or recently failed proposals (90-day cooldown applies)
4. **Quorum Failure:** Fail to meet minimum participation requirements
5. **Fee Non-Payment:** Community developer proposals without required \$100 USDT fee

**Appeals Process:** Rejected proposals may be resubmitted after addressing rejection reasons, subject to cooldown periods.

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## 1.8 Article IV: Treasury Management

### 1.8.1 Section 1: Spending Categories & Limits

#### 1.8.1.1 Pre-Launch Allocation

- **Development:** 90%+ of available funds
- **Infrastructure:** <2% of available funds
- **Community/Marketing:** <8% of available funds

*Note: Marketing funding allocation increases before each fundraising tier to support growth objectives.*

#### 1.8.1.2 Post-Launch Allocation

- **Development:** 60% of available funds
- **Infrastructure:** 20% of available funds
- **Community/Marketing:** 20% of available funds

### 1.8.2 Section 2: Treasury and Budget Management

**1.8.2.1 A. Quarterly Budget Transfers Budget Approval Process:** 1. Project Director submits detailed quarterly budget proposal 2. Budget proposal must be submitted minimum 30 days before quarter begins 3. DAO votes on budget with 51% approval threshold required 4. Upon approval, funds transfer to operations multisig for day-to-day management 5. If new budget rejected, previous quarter's budget continues with inflation adjustments

**Budget Authority:** Operations multisig (Project Director + 1-2 team members) gains authority for pre-approved expenditures without additional DAO votes.

**1.8.2.2 B. Operational Autonomy Authorized Actions:** - Day-to-day financial decisions within approved quarterly budget - Reallocation of up to 20% between budget

categories without new DAO approval - Emergency expenditures up to 5% of quarterly budget (requires post-hoc reporting)

**Required Approvals:** Expenditures exceeding approved budget categories or quarterly limits require new DAO proposal and vote.

**1.8.2.3 C. Transparency Requirements Mandatory Reporting:** - Monthly spending reports published to community within 5 business days - Quarterly budget reviews with detailed expense breakdowns - Weekly development updates in designated community forum - Real-time transaction visibility through public blockchain dashboard

### 1.8.3 Section 3: Emergency Mechanisms

**1.8.3.1 Circuit Breaker Activation Trigger Conditions:** If 25% of token holders formally flag concerns about potential treasury misuse or fraud:

1. **Immediate Response:** Non-essential treasury withdrawals pause automatically for 7 days
2. **Emergency Vote:** Automated emergency vote called to review flagged concerns
3. **Resolution Requirements:** Simple majority (51%) required to resume normal operations
4. **Fund Protection:** Supermajority (67%) required to redirect or freeze additional funds

**1.8.3.2 Vote of No Confidence Consequences Immediate Effects** of successful no confidence vote: - Treasury withdrawal approval threshold increases to 67% (from standard 51%) - 30-day transition period established to identify and install new leadership - Project Engineer assumes temporary operational control if no replacement identified - Automatic development milestone review triggered

**Restoration:** Normal treasury operations resume upon successful leadership transition or successful confidence restoration vote.

### 1.8.4 Section 4: Transparency Requirements

**Mandatory Public Information:** - Monthly treasury reports published on-chain with detailed categorization - All transactions visible via public dashboard with real-time updates - Quarterly financial audits required for treasury amounts exceeding \$1M USD - Real-time budget tracking showing expenditures versus approved allocations

**Target Reserve:** Treasury should maintain minimum one year of operational funding when feasible to ensure project continuity.

## 1.9 Article V: Development Governance

### 1.9.1 Section 1: Protected Roadmap

The following StorPunk Project development phases and priorities are constitutionally protected and must be completed in order:

**1.9.1.1 Phase 0: Foundation Building (Pre-Funding) Website and Forum Development:** - Publish MVP website as Tor hidden service - Deploy public website (<https://storpunk.io>) - Launch community communication via RetroShare over Tor - Share with Autonomi community for feedback and validation

**DAO Development:** - Develop and ratify DAO constitution and governance framework - Design 4-tier sale structure with soulbound governance mechanism - Develop and audit ERC-20 token smart contracts - Implement hold-tracking system for 2x reward calculation

**DAO Launch & Initial Operations:** - Set up Snapshot.org governance space with custom parameters - Deploy DAO contracts to Ethereum mainnet - Initialize time-locked multisig wallet (3-of-5 configuration) - Launch Tier 1 token sale (0-250,000 USDT → 16x \$PUNK-DAO per USDT) - Establish transparent treasury reporting systems - Configure 60/40 allocation model for unsold token distribution

**1.9.1.2 Phase 1: Core Team Assembly & Initial Development (Tier 1 Funding) Team Building:** - Onboard Systems Engineer Coordinator (remote contractor) - Hire Lead Developer for Core Network (remote contractor) - Bring on Junior Developer (remote contractor, part-time initially)

**Initial Development:** - Develop comprehensive technical specifications document - Set up development environment, tooling, and CI/CD pipeline - Begin Autonomi Network codebase fork and customization - Research and design TTL implementation approaches

**Ongoing DAO Governance:** - Process first governance proposals and establish voting patterns - Plan and prepare for Tier 2 funding activation (250,001-700,000 USDT → 8x \$PUNK-DAO per USDT) - Establish regular community governance calls and updates

**1.9.1.3 Phase 2: Full Team & Core Development (Tier 2 Funding) Team Expansion:** - Complete hiring of all junior developer positions (remote contractors) - Engage specialized contractors for specific technical tasks - Establish robust remote collaboration workflows and development tools

**Core Network Implementation:** - Complete fork and customization of Autonomi Network codebase - Implement basic time-to-live (TTL) functionality with testing - Begin development of dual-network client architecture - Implement native network \$PUNK token integration

**Testing & Security:** - Conduct internal alpha testing with core development team - Perform initial security review and vulnerability assessment - Establish comprehensive development test environment

**1.9.1.4 Phase 3: Network Refinement & Launch Preparation (Tier 3 Funding) Native Decentralized Exchange Development (HIGH PRIORITY):** - Build decentralized exchange system - Support native \$PUNK token trading with ERC-20 tokens and fiat (fiat transactions require third-party intermediaries) - Develop trade security and verification systems - Create trading pairs with selected tokens and fiat currencies (fiat processing via third-party services) - Implement exchange security mechanisms - Deploy Community Development Fund smart contract with fee system

**Network Completion:** - Finalize pay-per-store model with TTL functionality - Complete self-custody wallet integration for storage payments - Finish dual-network client supporting both StorPunk and Autonomi - Build \$PUNK creation bridge to \$PUNK-DAO tokens

**Public Testing:** - Deploy public testnet for community validation and feedback - Implement testnet faucet for token distribution and testing - Create comprehensive testing guides and documentation - Gather, analyze, and incorporate community feedback

**Security & Compliance:** - Conduct comprehensive third-party security audits - Address all identified vulnerabilities and security concerns - Implement monitoring, analytics, and alerting tools - Prepare all components for mainnet deployment

**1.9.1.5 Phase 4: Network Launch & Ecosystem Development (Tier 4 Funding) StorPunk Network Launch:** - Deploy StorPunk Network mainnet with complete functionality and monitoring - Deploy separate claim contract on Ethereum (distinct from DAO contract) - Activate bridge service for \$PUNK token minting and transfers - Enable 2x rewards for original holders (up to 32x multiplier for Tier 1) - Implement soulbound token mechanism through claim contract - Establish initial node operator network with incentives

**Launch Campaign:** - Announce StorPunk Network launch and claim process to community - Launch targeted social media presence (maintaining RetroShare as primary hub) - Execute targeted advertising to storage users and potential node operators - Emphasize complementary relationship with Autonomi network

**Application Layer Development:** - Expand exchange trading pair options based on community demand - Establish network-wide indexing and search functionality - Implement client-side social media functionality - Create P2P trading bazaar for goods and services - Implement anonymous usage capability through network routing hops

## **1.9.2 Section 2: Feature Addition Process**

**Prerequisites:** New features may only be proposed after all constitutionally protected features are implemented and operational.

**Requirements for New Features:** 1. Detailed technical specification with implementation timeline 2. Demonstrated alignment with core cypherpunk principles 3. Security analysis showing no compromise to existing privacy or anonymity 4. Community review period of minimum 14 days 5. Standard governance approval process (51% majority, 10% quorum)

### 1.9.3 Section 3: Technical Decision Authority

**Development Team Authority:** Technical implementation details remain with the development team unless: - Fundamental architecture changes that affect constitutional protections are proposed - Security vulnerabilities are discovered that require governance intervention - Community raises valid technical concerns requiring independent technical review

**Governance Oversight:** DAO retains authority over resource allocation, timeline priorities, and feature specifications, but not detailed technical implementation approaches.

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## 1.10 Article VI: Rights & Responsibilities

### 1.10.1 Section 1: Token Holder Rights

All \$PUNK-DAO token holders possess the following inalienable rights:

**Governance Rights:** - Submit proposals following established procedures (minimum 50 \$PUNK-DAO tokens required) - Vote on all proposals within their respective categories and authority levels - Access complete, transparent treasury and financial information - Participate in all community discussions and governance forums

**Information Rights:** - Receive timely updates on development progress and milestones - Access all public documentation, code repositories, and technical specifications - Review all multisig transactions and treasury movements

**Permanent Rights:** - Maintain full governance rights permanently, even after claiming \$PUNK tokens through soulbound mechanism - Cannot be deprived of voting rights through any governance action or technical implementation

### 1.10.2 Section 2: Token Holder Responsibilities

Token holders are expected to fulfill the following responsibilities:

**Governance Participation:** - Vote in good faith for the benefit of the network and community - Conduct due diligence on proposals before voting - Respect the core mission and guiding principles in all governance decisions

**Community Engagement:** - Participate constructively in governance discussions and debates - Treat other community members with respect and professionalism - Share knowledge and expertise to benefit the collective decision-making process

**Security Responsibility:** - Report security concerns, bugs, or vulnerabilities through appropriate channels - Maintain security of personal wallets and voting keys - Avoid sharing sensitive information that could compromise network security

### 1.10.3 Section 3: Multisig Signer Duties

Multisig signers bear fiduciary responsibility and must:

**Constitutional Compliance:** - Review all proposals for constitutional compliance before approval - Refuse to execute any action that violates constitutional limitations - Act as guardians of constitutional protections and principles

**Operational Excellence:** - Execute passed proposals within 72 hours unless timelock specifies otherwise - Maintain operational security of signing keys and procedures - Provide clear reasoning for any proposal rejections or delays

**Fiduciary Responsibility:** - Act as fiduciaries for DAO treasury and community interests - Abstain from votes involving personal conflicts of interest - Maintain transparency in all multisig operations and decisions

**Communication:** - Provide regular updates on multisig activities and decisions - Respond to community questions about constitutional compliance decisions - Maintain open communication channels with token holders

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## 1.11 Article VII: Constitutional Amendments

### 1.11.1 Section 1: Amendment Process

#### Step-by-Step Amendment Procedure:

1. **Proposal Preparation:** Amendment must detail exact textual changes and comprehensive rationale
2. **Community Discussion:** Mandatory 30-day community discussion period for all feedback and debate
3. **Formal Submission:** Submit through standard governance channels with constitutional amendment designation
4. **Voting Requirements:** 75% supermajority required for passage with 67% quorum requirement
5. **Voting Period:** 14-day voting period (longer than standard proposals)
6. **Implementation Delay:** 30-day implementation period after passage to allow for preparation

**Amendment Scope:** Amendments may modify any provision except those listed as immutable in Section 2.

### 1.11.2 Section 2: Immutable Provisions

The following constitutional provisions cannot be amended under any circumstances:

**Absolute Immutables:** - Core mission of temporary, private storage (Article I, Section 1) - Fundamental cypherpunk principles (Article I, Section 2) - Prohibition on surveillance and user tracking (Article II, Section 2) - 75% supermajority requirement for constitutional amendments

**Core Mission Protection:** Changing any core stated aim or goal of the organization requires 67% quorum and 90% approval vote - effectively making such changes nearly impossible.

### 1.11.3 Section 3: Emergency Amendments

**Critical Security Exception:** In case of critical security vulnerabilities or legal threats:

**Emergency Process:** - 51% majority can pass temporary emergency amendments - Valid for maximum 90 days from passage - Must be ratified through standard 75% amendment process before expiration or automatically expire

**Scope Limitations:** Emergency amendments cannot modify immutable provisions or fundamentally alter governance structure.

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## 1.12 Article VIII: Dispute Resolution

### 1.12.1 Section 1: Internal Disputes

**Constitutional Interpretation Disputes:**

**Resolution Process:** 1. **Initial Review:** Multisig signers provide preliminary constitutional interpretation 2. **Community Discussion:** 7-day community discussion period for additional perspectives 3. **Governance Vote:** If dispute remains unresolved, token holders vote on interpretation (simple majority) 4. **Binding Period:** Resulting interpretation is binding for minimum 180 days 5. **Appeal Process:** New interpretation may be proposed after binding period expires

**Scope:** Applies to disputes regarding proposal validity, constitutional compliance, or governance procedure interpretation.

### 1.12.2 Section 2: External Arbitration

**Third-Party Expertise:** For complex legal, technical, or specialized disputes requiring external expertise:

**Process:** - DAO may vote to engage neutral third-party arbitrators or technical experts - Arbitration results are advisory recommendations, not binding decisions - DAO retains final decision authority through standard governance vote - Costs of arbitration paid from treasury with appropriate approval

**Limitations:** No permanent dispute resolution committee established - all arbitration is case-specific and temporary.

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## 1.13 Article IX: Dissolution

### 1.13.1 Section 1: Conditions for Dissolution

The DAO may only be dissolved under the following extraordinary circumstances:

**Voluntary Dissolution:** - 90% of token holders vote for dissolution with 67% quorum requirement - 60-day waiting period after vote passage before dissolution execution

**Involuntary Dissolution:** - Technical impossibility makes the core mission fundamentally unachievable - Legal requirements mandate dissolution (with legal counsel confirmation)

### 1.13.2 Section 2: Asset Distribution

#### Dissolution Process:

1. **Obligation Settlement:** All outstanding debts, obligations, and commitments paid first
2. **Code Release:** All source code, documentation, and technical assets released to public domain
3. **Asset Distribution:** Remaining treasury funds distributed pro-rata to token holders based on holdings at dissolution vote
4. **Final Reporting:** Comprehensive final transparency report published detailing all dissolution activities

**Timeline:** Dissolution process must be completed within 180 days of vote passage unless legal complications require extension.

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## 1.14 Article X: Ratification & Effectiveness

### 1.14.1 Section 1: Initial Ratification

This Constitution shall be ratified through a two-phase process:

**1.14.1.1 Phase A: Pre-DAO Ratification Development Phase Ratification:** Prior to DAO contract deployment, this Constitution becomes provisionally effective upon: - Publication on StorPunk website and RetroShare community channels - Completion of minimum 45-day community review period - Incorporation of substantive community feedback and suggestions - Signed approval by Project Director

**Effect:** This provisional ratification enables DAO contract deployment and fundraising activities.

**1.14.1.2 Phase B: On-Chain Ratification Community Ratification:** Following DAO launch and sufficient token distribution: - Constitution submitted as first formal DAO proposal - Requires 67% majority approval from token holders with standard quorum - Upon approval, becomes permanently ratified and binding on all participants

**Timeline:** On-chain ratification must occur within 90 days of DAO launch.



### 1.14.2 Section 2: Interpretation

**Interpretation Principles:** - Plain English interpretation prevails over technical legal construction - Technical implementation must match constitutional intent and spirit - Ambiguities resolved in favor of privacy protection and decentralization - Community intent at time of ratification considered in interpretation disputes

**Precedent:** Constitutional interpretation decisions create precedent for similar future disputes.

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## 1.15 Appendix A: Definitions

**Circuit Breaker:** Emergency mechanism allowing token holders to pause treasury operations upon reasonable suspicion of misuse or fraud

**Confidence Vote:** Formal assessment of project leadership effectiveness, triggered by community concerns or scheduled reviews

**Constitutional Compliance:** Review process ensuring all proposals align with constitutional limitations and protections

**Core Features:** Features explicitly enumerated and protected in Article I, Section 3 that cannot be removed or fundamentally altered

**Governance Multisig:** 3-of-5 signature wallet controlling main treasury and responsible for constitutional compliance review

**Operations Multisig:** 2-of-3 signature wallet authorized for pre-approved day-to-day expenses within quarterly budgets

**Quorum:** Minimum token holder participation required for valid governance votes, calculated as percentage of circulating supply

**Soulbound Token:** Token that becomes non-transferable after claiming while retaining full governance and voting rights

**Supermajority:** Vote requiring 75% or greater approval, used for constitutional amendments and critical decisions

**Time-To-Live (TTL):** Automatic data expiration mechanism that ensures temporary storage without permanent footprints

**Timelock:** Security delay between governance vote approval and transaction execution, providing additional security

**Treasury:** DAO-controlled funds from token sales used for development, operations, and community initiatives

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## 1.16 Appendix B: Initial Parameters

**Multisig Configurations:** - **Governance Multisig:** 3-of-5 signatures required (Project Director plus four elected representatives) - **Operations Multisig:** 2-of-3 signatures required (Project Director plus 1-2 team members)

**Security Parameters:** - **Initial Timelock:** 48 hours for normal operations, 24 hours for emergency actions - **Spending Limits:** Based on approved quarterly budgets (subject to DAO approval)

**Governance Parameters:** - **Proposal Submission:** 50+ \$PUNK-DAO tokens required for standard proposals - **Community Developer Fee:** \$100 USDT per development proposal - **Standard Quorum:** 10% for routine proposals, 67% for constitutional amendments, 5% for emergencies

**Adjustment Authority:** These parameters may be modified through standard governance processes as network needs evolve.

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## 1.17 Quick Reference

### 1.17.1 Emergency Contacts

- **Governance Issues:** Submit through Snapshot.org governance platform
- **Security Concerns:** Report through designated community channels
- **Technical Support:** Community forum and RetroShare channels

### 1.17.2 Key Voting Thresholds

- **Standard Proposals:** 51% approval, 10% quorum
- **Constitutional Amendments:** 75% approval, 67% quorum
- **Emergency Actions:** 51% approval, 5% quorum
- **Confidence Votes:** 67% approval, 10% quorum

### 1.17.3 Protected Features Summary

- Pay-per-store with TTL functionality
- Fixed \$PUNK token supply (non-inflationary)
- Self-custody wallet integration
- Dual-network client (StorPunk + Autonomi)
- Native P2P exchange with multisig security
- Anonymous usage capabilities
- Soulbound governance tokens post-claim

### 1.17.4 Constitutional Prohibitions

- Remove or alter protected StorPunk Network features
- Implement surveillance or tracking capabilities in the StorPunk Network

- Share user data or compromise encryption in the StorPunk Network
- Change core StorPunk Project development aims or cypherpunk principles
- Add StorPunk Network features before protected ones complete
- Exceed approved treasury spending limits

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## 1.18 Version History

### 1.18.1 Version 2.1.0 Changes

- Updated terminology from “P2P” to “decentralized” per technical accuracy guidelines
- Clarified fiat transaction limitations requiring third-party intermediaries
- Refined technical descriptions to maintain appropriate vagueness about unimplemented features
- Adjusted tone to be more matter-of-fact and less promotional
- Enhanced constitutional protections language for clarity
- Updated exchange system descriptions to differentiate between native currency exchange and general trading platform