

CSCI 6313 – Assignment 1 Part B

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1. Overview of the Approach

Approach for this assignment involves a Dapp that interacts with smart contract through infura deployed on ropsten testnet. Figure 1 diagram shows the overview of the various components involved. [1]

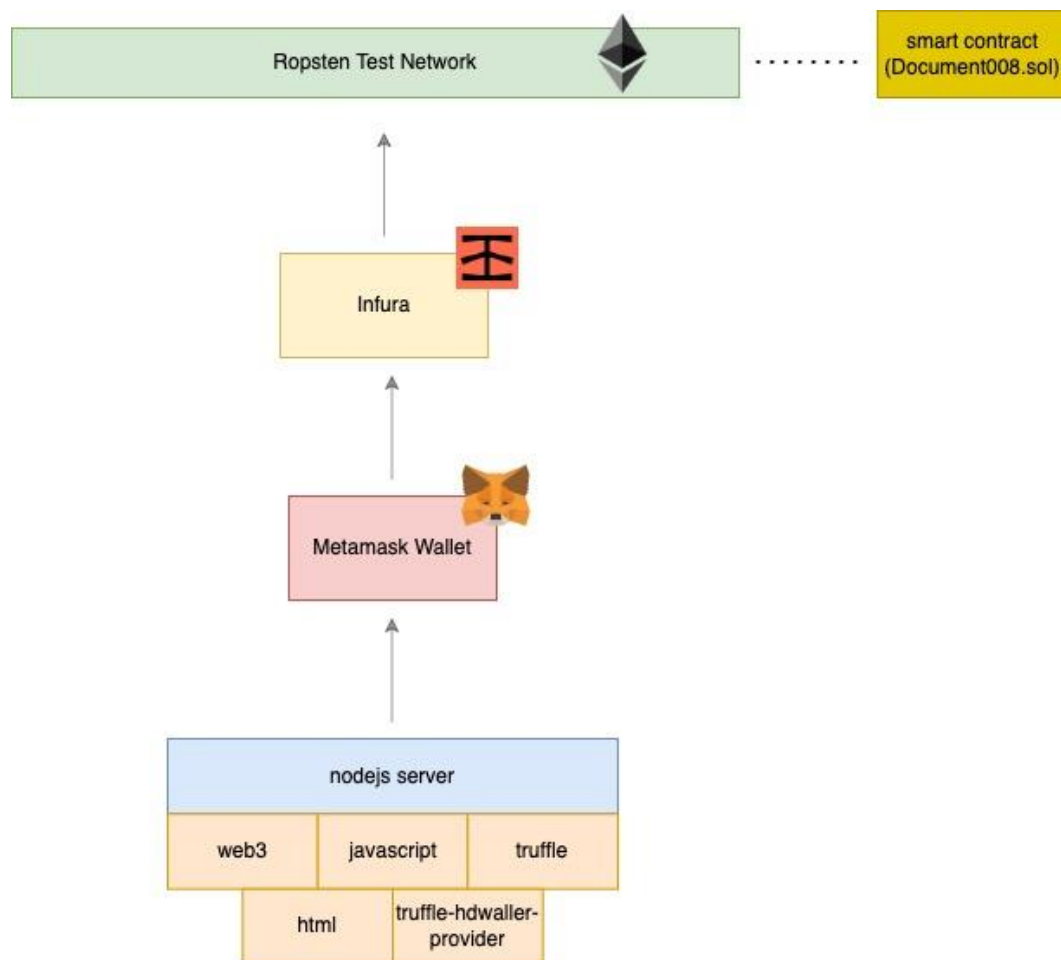


Figure 1 Various components involved in the solution

2. Algorithm of the solution

Figure 2 shows the algorithm or approach taken to act as a notary between buyer and seller to exchange valuable items.

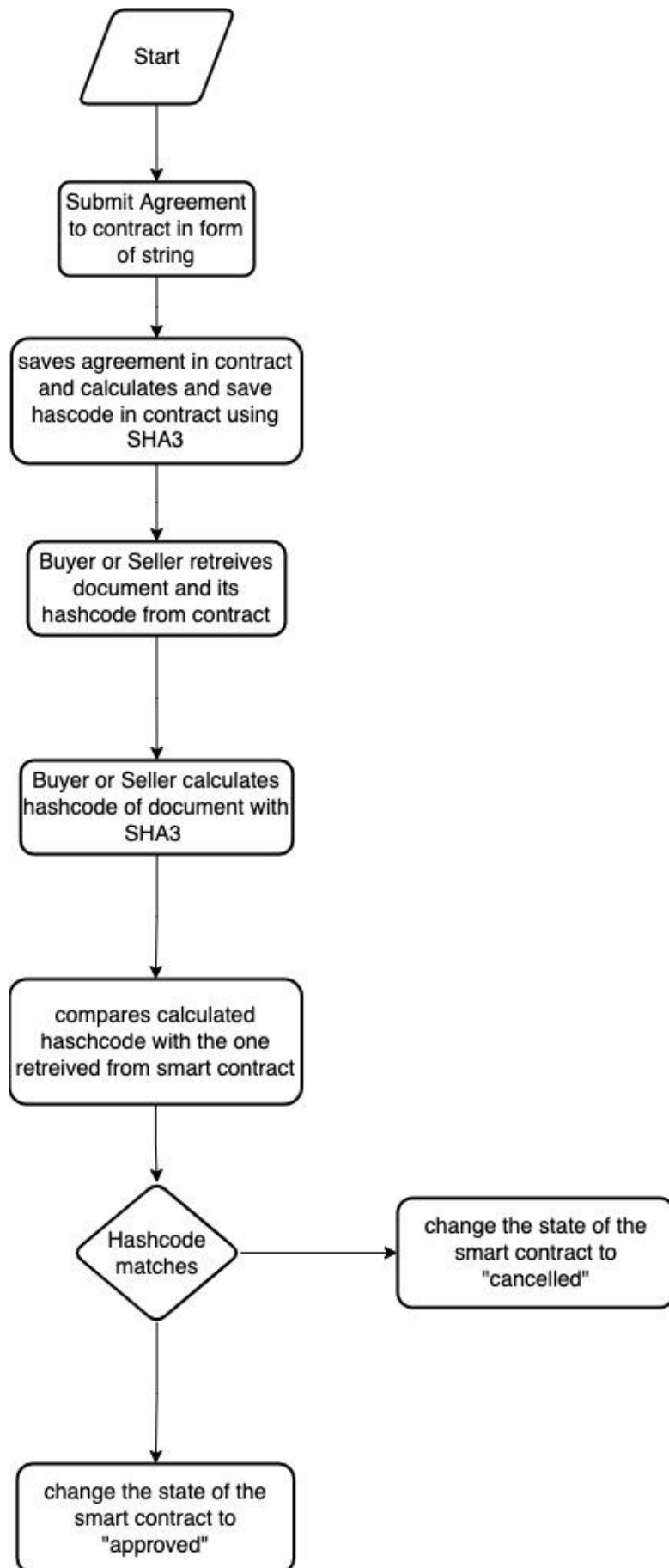
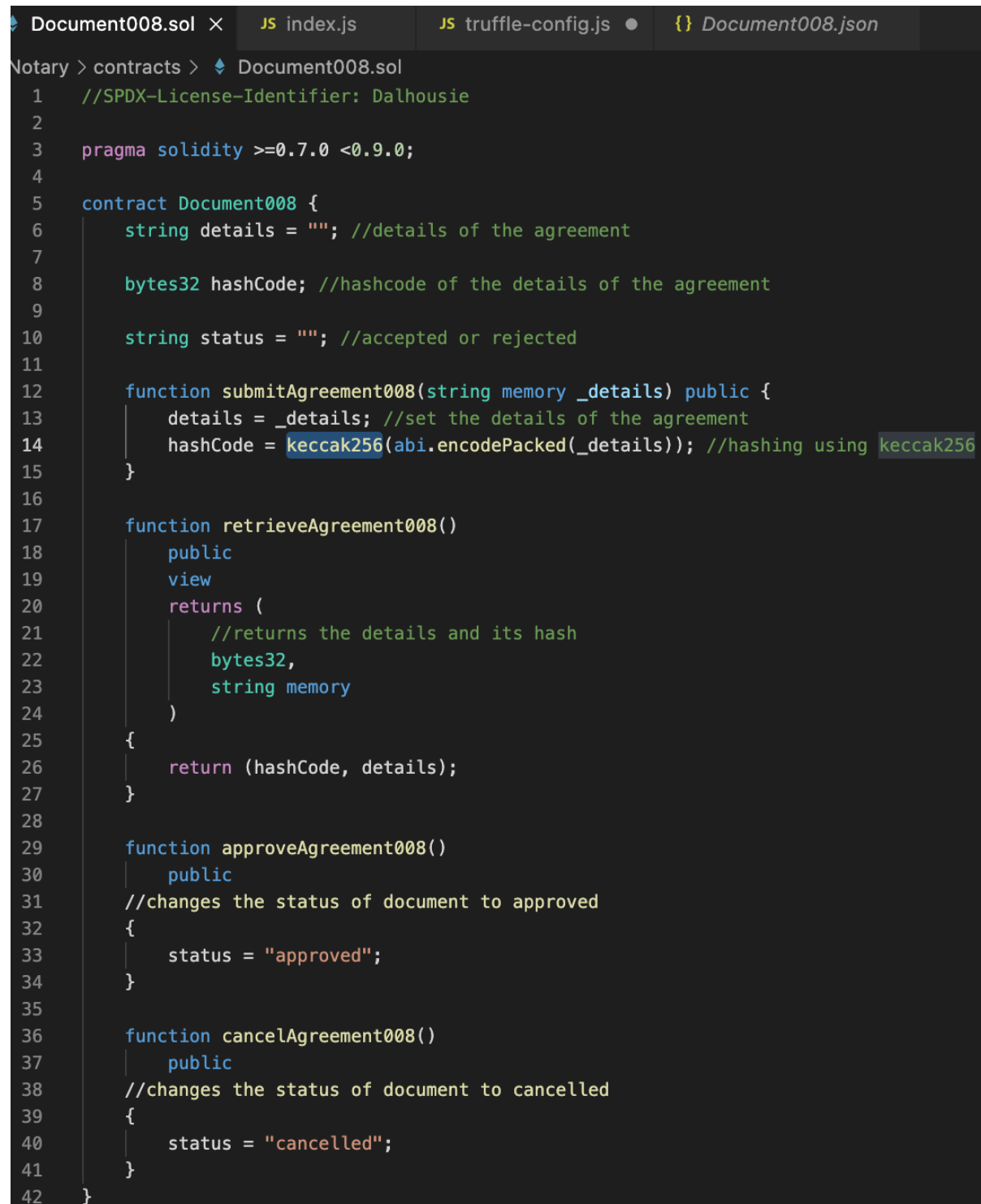


Figure 2 Algorithm of the approach taken

3. Smart contract (Document008.sol)

Figure 3 shows the smart contract that acts as a notary between buyer and seller. The contract is written in solidity. It stores the agreement document between two parties and its hashcode. Each party validates the document by verifying hash code of the document and approves/cancel the document. As you can see in the figure, It uses keccak256 in solidity to generate the hash of the document and then stores it in the contract.



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Document008.sol x JS index.js JS truffle-config.js {} Document008.json
Notary > contracts > Document008.sol
1 //SPDX-License-Identifier: Dalhousie
2
3 pragma solidity >=0.7.0 <0.9.0;
4
5 contract Document008 {
6     string details = ""; //details of the agreement
7
8     bytes32 hashCode; //hashcode of the details of the agreement
9
10    string status = ""; //accepted or rejected
11
12    function submitAgreement008(string memory _details) public {
13        details = _details; //set the details of the agreement
14        hashCode = keccak256(abi.encodePacked(_details)); //hashing using keccak256
15    }
16
17    function retrieveAgreement008()
18        public
19        view
20        returns (
21            //returns the details and its hash
22            bytes32,
23            string memory
24        )
25    {
26        return (hashCode, details);
27    }
28
29    function approveAgreement008()
30        public
31        //changes the status of document to approved
32        {
33        status = "approved";
34        }
35
36    function cancelAgreement008()
37        public
38        //changes the status of document to cancelled
39        {
40        status = "cancelled";
41        }
42 }
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Figure 3 Smart Contract

4. Setting up Infura

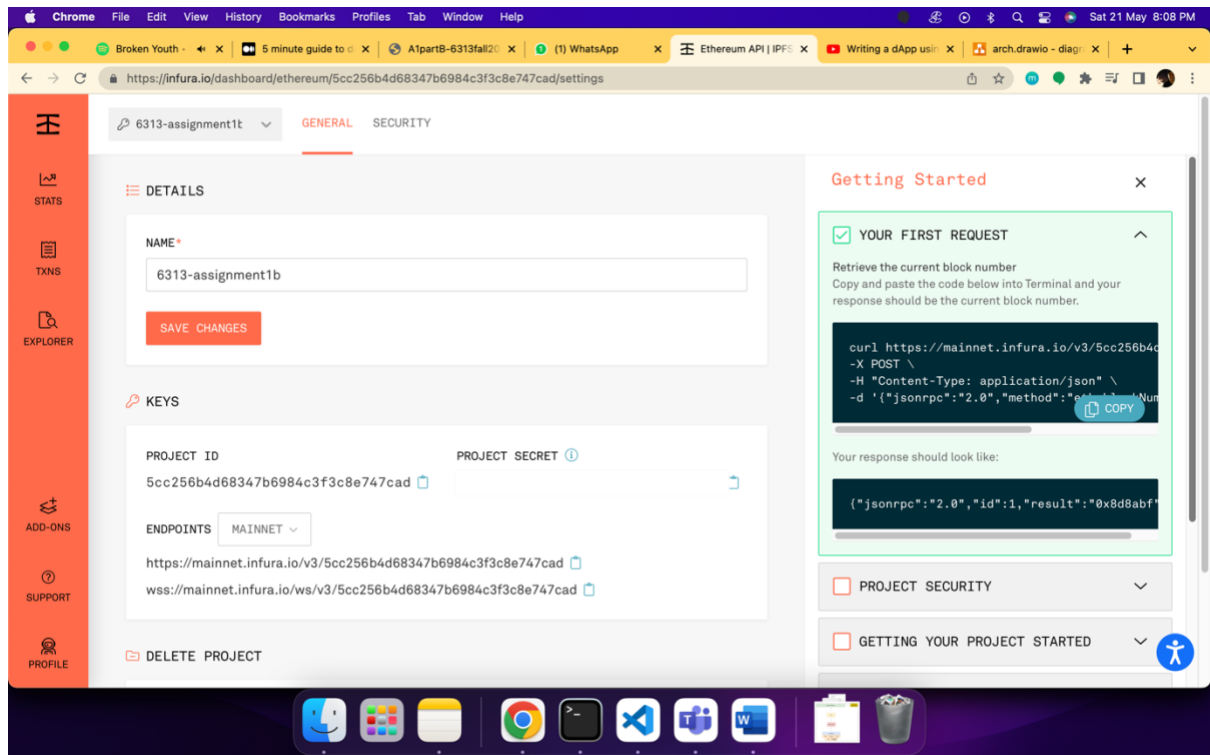


Figure 4 Infura account

5. Creating Metamask wallet (extension as well)

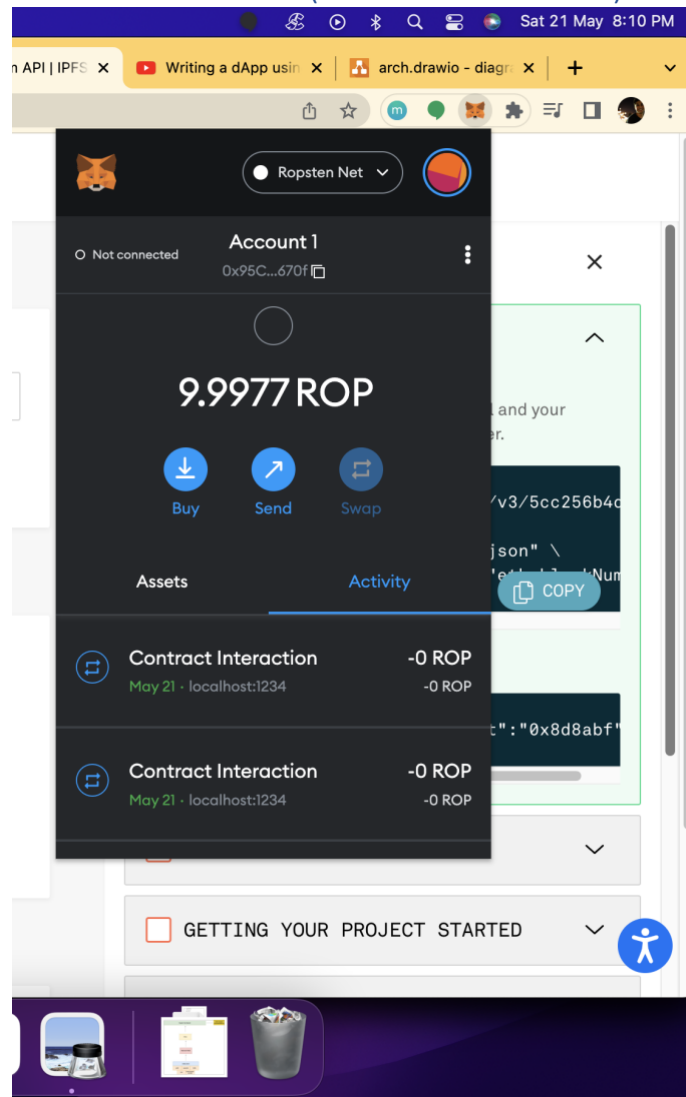


Figure 5 Metamask wallet

6. Getting test ETH for Ropsten

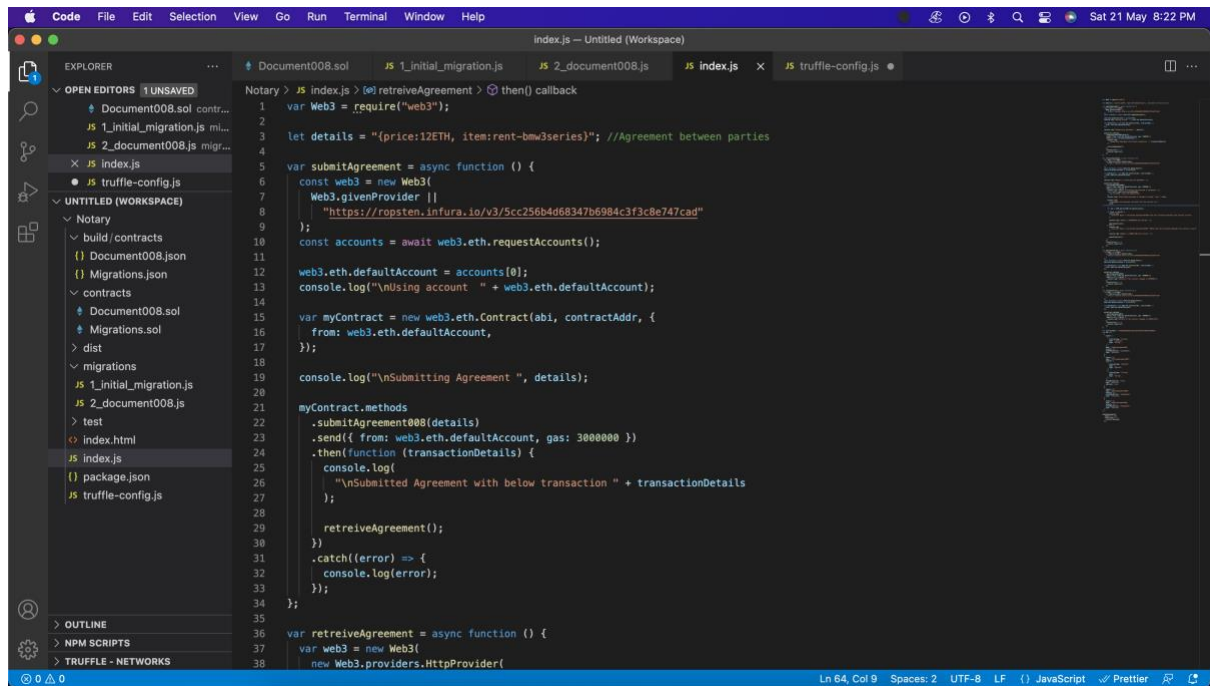
By providing my Ethereum address got free Ropsten testnet ETH from website <https://faucet.egorfine.com/>.

7. Deploy contract to Ropsten testnet

Using command `truffle deploy --network ropsten` deployed the smart contract to testnet. Copied the address of deployed contract to be used later in javascript (web3).

8. Interacting with smart contract using web3

Figure 6 shows index.js where all the interaction with smart contract is taking place. First the account is fetched, followed by fetching contract and accessing its method.

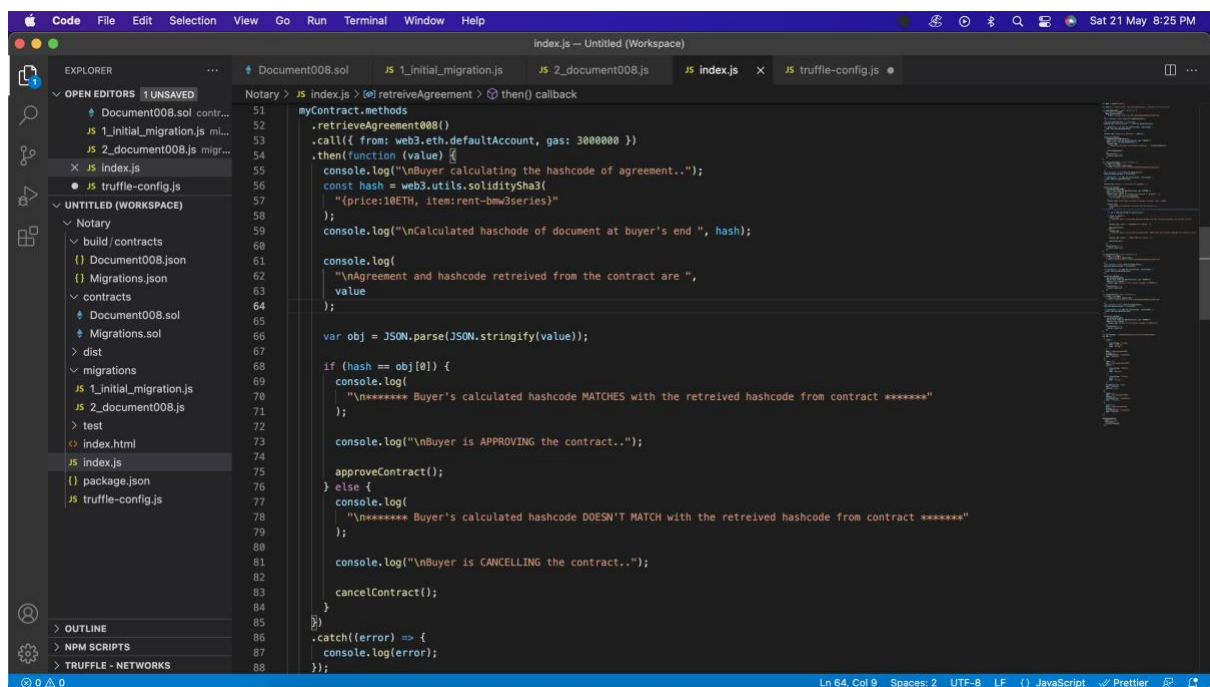


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1  var Web3 = require("web3");
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3  let details = "{price:12ETH, item:rent-bmw3series}"; //Agreement between parties
4
5  var submitAgreement = async function () {
6    const web3 = new Web3(
7      Web3.givenProvider ||
8      "https://ropsten.infura.io/v3/5cc256b4d68347b6984c3f3c8e747cad"
9    );
10   const accounts = await web3.eth.requestAccounts();
11   web3.eth.defaultAccount = accounts[0];
12   console.log("\nUsing account " + web3.eth.defaultAccount);
13
14   var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddr, {
15     from: web3.eth.defaultAccount,
16   });
17
18   console.log("\nSubmitting Agreement ", details);
19
20   myContract.methods
21     .submitAgreement000(details)
22     .send({ from: web3.eth.defaultAccount, gas: 3000000 })
23     .then(function (transactionDetails) {
24       console.log(
25         "\nSubmitted Agreement with below transaction " + transactionDetails
26       );
27
28       retrieveAgreement();
29     })
30     .catch((error) => {
31       console.log(error);
32     });
33   });
34
35   var retrieveAgreement = async function () {
36     var web3 = new Web3(
37       new Web3.providers.HttpProvider(

```

Figure 6 index.js



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51   myContract.methods
52     .retrieveAgreement000()
53     .call({ from: web3.eth.defaultAccount, gas: 3000000 })
54     .then(function (value) {
55       console.log("\nBuyer calculating the hashcode of agreement..");
56       const hash = web3.utils.soliditySha3(
57         "{price:12ETH, item:rent-bmw3series}"
58       );
59       console.log("\nCalculated hashcode of document at buyer's end ", hash);
60
61       console.log(
62         "\nAgreement and hashcode retrieved from the contract are ",
63         value
64       );
65
66       var obj = JSON.parse(JSON.stringify(value));
67
68       if (hash == obj[0]) {
69         console.log(
70           "\n***** Buyer's calculated hashcode MATCHES with the retrieved hashcode from contract *****"
71         );
72
73         console.log("\nBuyer is APPROVING the contract..");
74
75         approveContract();
76       } else {
77         console.log(
78           "\n***** Buyer's calculated hashcode DOESN'T MATCH with the retrieved hashcode from contract *****"
79         );
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81         console.log("\nBuyer is CANCELLING the contract..");
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83         cancelContract();
84       }
85     })
86     .catch((error) => {
87       console.log(error);
88     });

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Figure 7 index.js cont..

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var approveContract = async function () {
  var web3 = new Web3(
    new Web3.providers.HttpProvider(
      "https://ropsten.infura.io/v3/5cc256b4d68347b6984c3f3c8e747cad"
    )
  );
  const accounts = await web3.eth.getAccounts();
  web3.eth.defaultAccount = accounts[0];
  var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddr, {
    from: web3.eth.defaultAccount,
  });
  myContract.methods
    .approveAgreement008()
    .call({ from: web3.eth.defaultAccount, gas: 3000000 })
    .then(function (value) {
      console.log("Status of the contract changed to APPROVED");
    })
    .catch((error) => {
      console.log(error);
    });
};
var cancelContract = async function () {
  var web3 = new Web3(
    new Web3.providers.HttpProvider(
      "https://ropsten.infura.io/v3/5cc256b4d68347b6984c3f3c8e747cad"
    )
  );
  const accounts = await web3.eth.getAccounts();
  web3.eth.defaultAccount = accounts[0];
  var myContract = new web3.eth.Contract(abi, contractAddr, {
    from: web3.eth.defaultAccount,
  });
};
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Figure 8 index.js cont..

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Notary > JS index.js > (6) retrieveAgreement > then() callback
.catch((error) => {
  console.log(error);
});
};
let contractAddr = "0x0e34b8a81b7ce3b3cCd5c84FE4cf48B47E37e686";
let abi = [
  {
    inputs: [
      {
        internalType: "string",
        name: "_details",
        type: "string",
      },
    ],
    name: "submitAgreement008",
    outputs: [],
    stateMutability: "nonpayable",
    type: "function",
  },
  {
    inputs: [],
    name: "retrieveAgreement008",
    outputs: [
      {
        internalType: "bytes32",
        name: "",
        type: "bytes32",
      },
      {
        internalType: "string",
        name: "",
        type: "string",
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Figure 9 index.js cont..

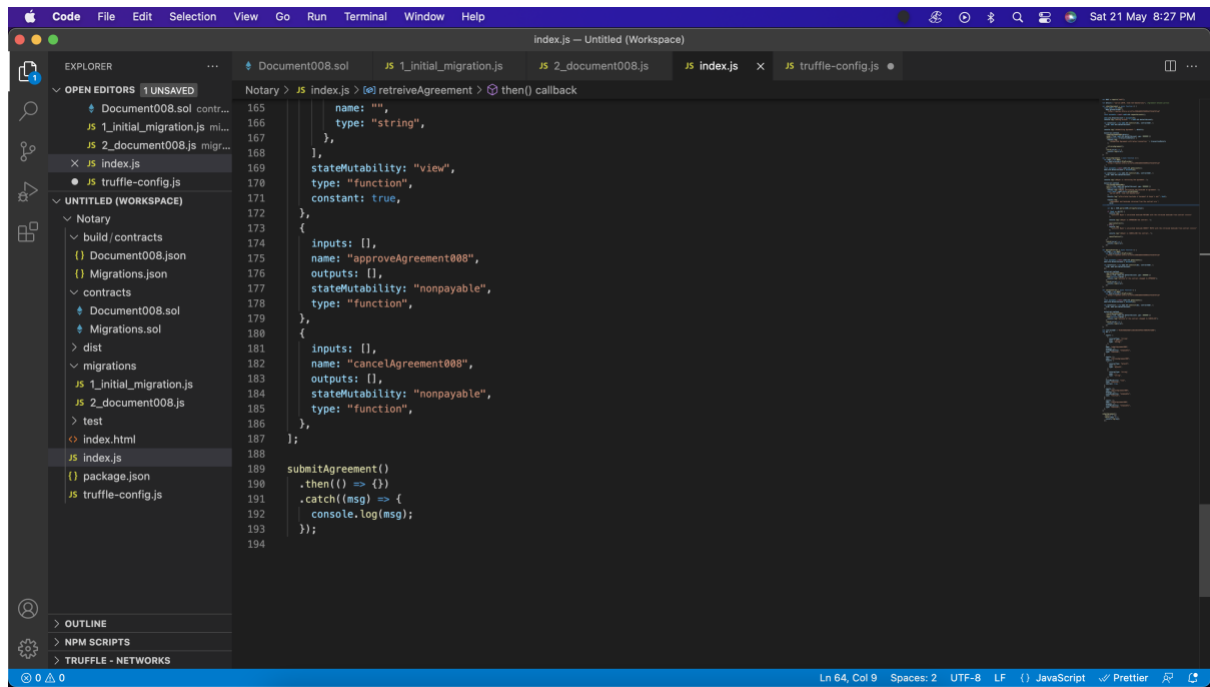


Figure 10 index.js cont..

9. Output

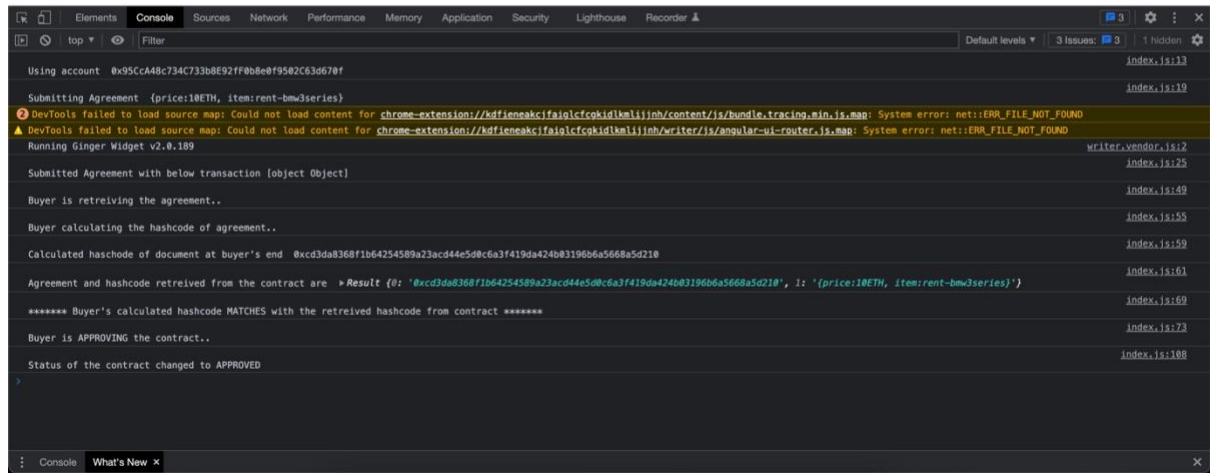


Figure 11 Actor approved the contract

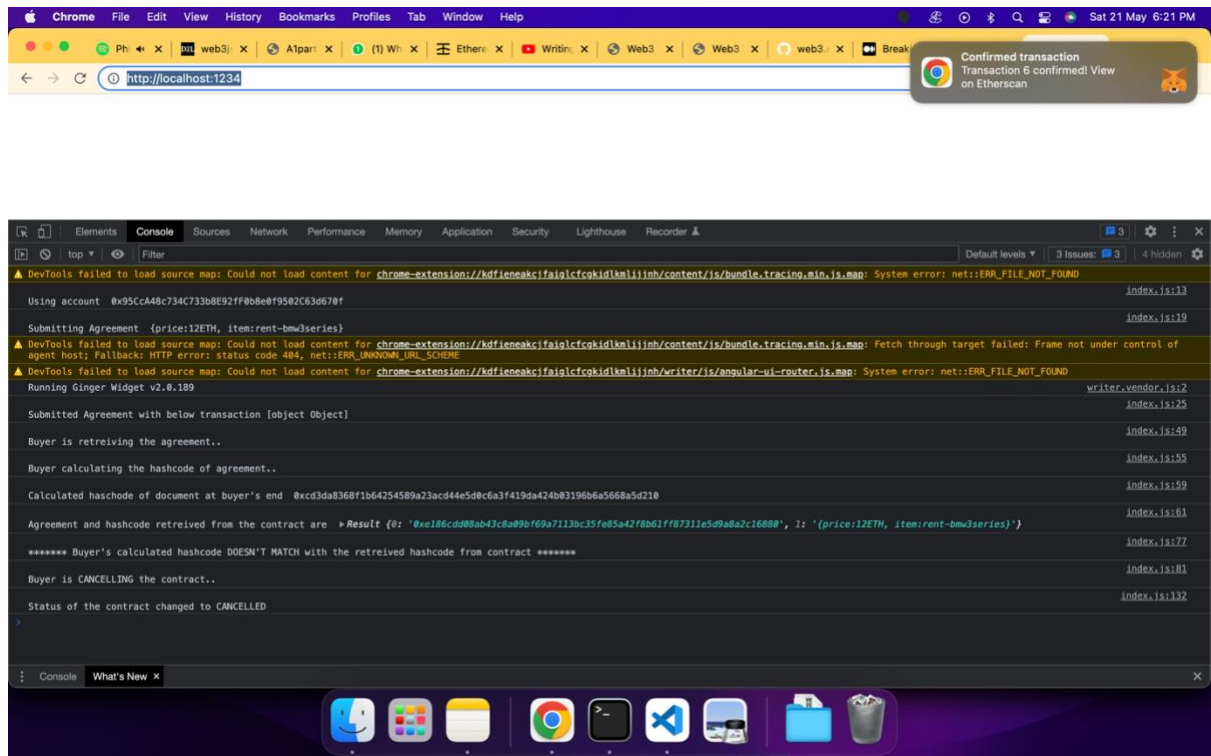


Figure 12 Actor cancelled the document

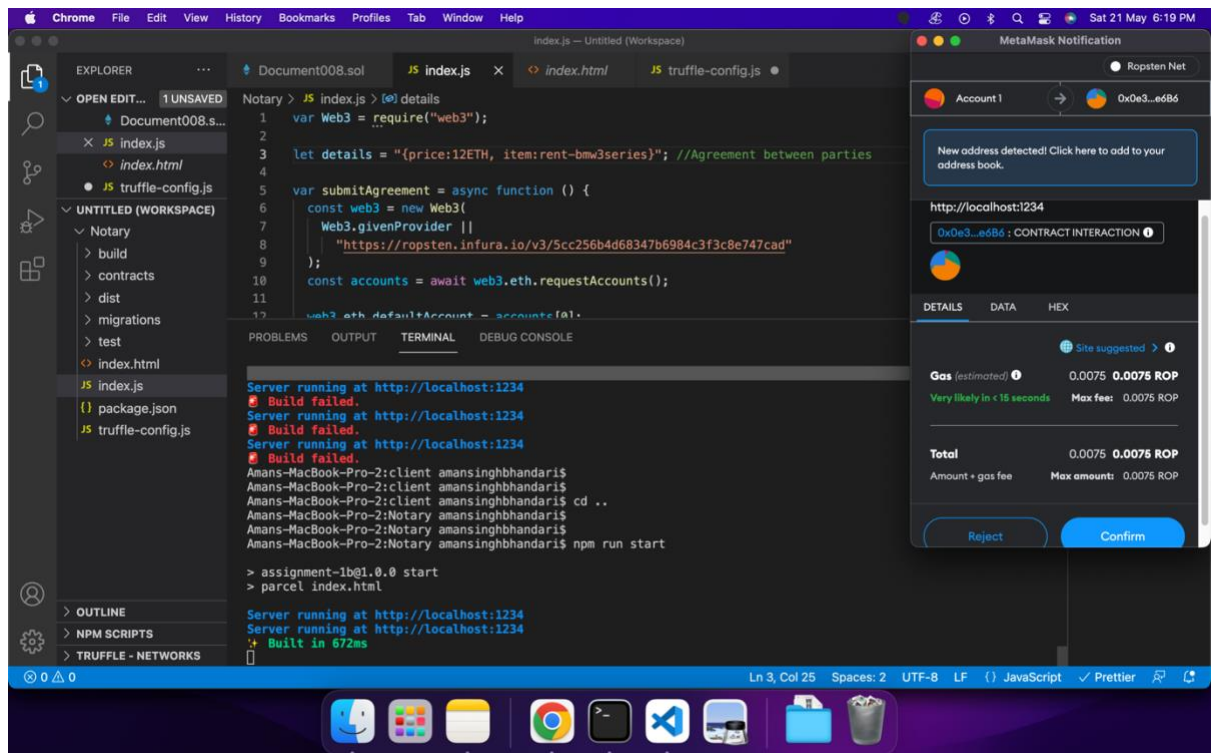


Figure 13 Metamask notification asking for permission to confirm

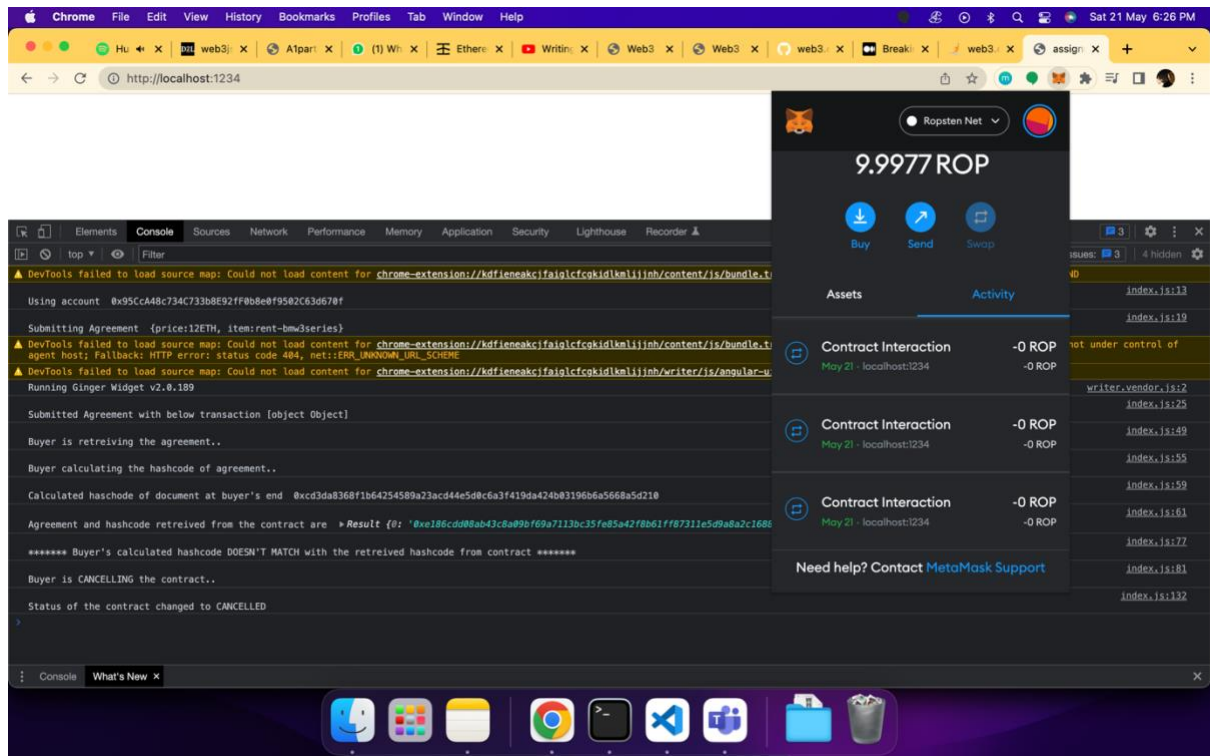


Figure 14 Contract Interaction/Transaction can be seen in MetaMask

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