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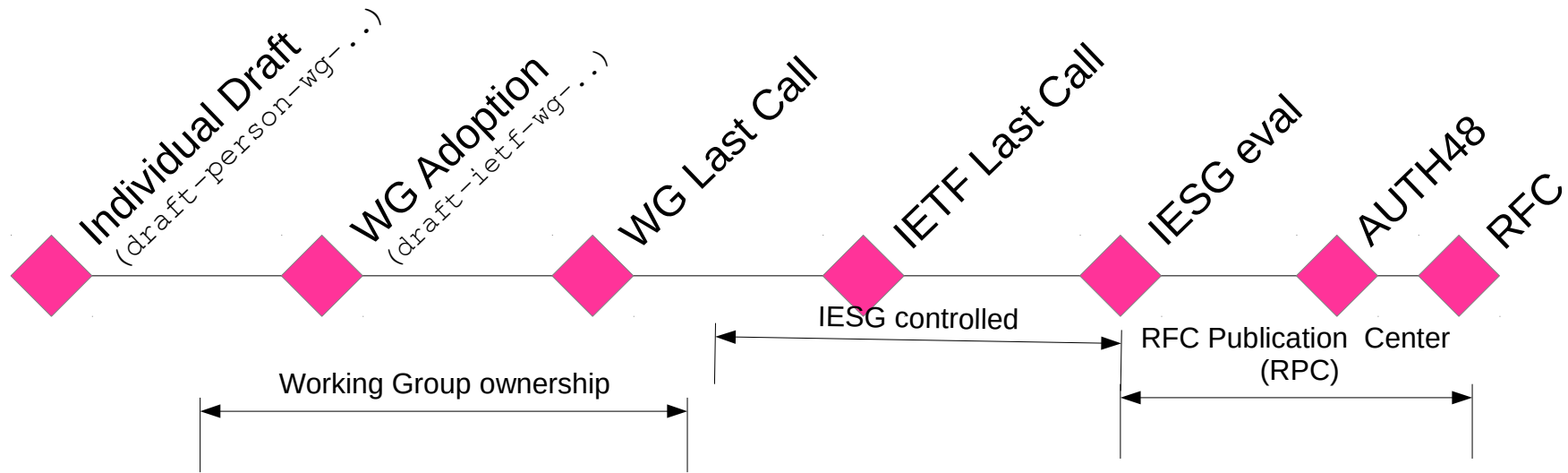   Michael Richardson

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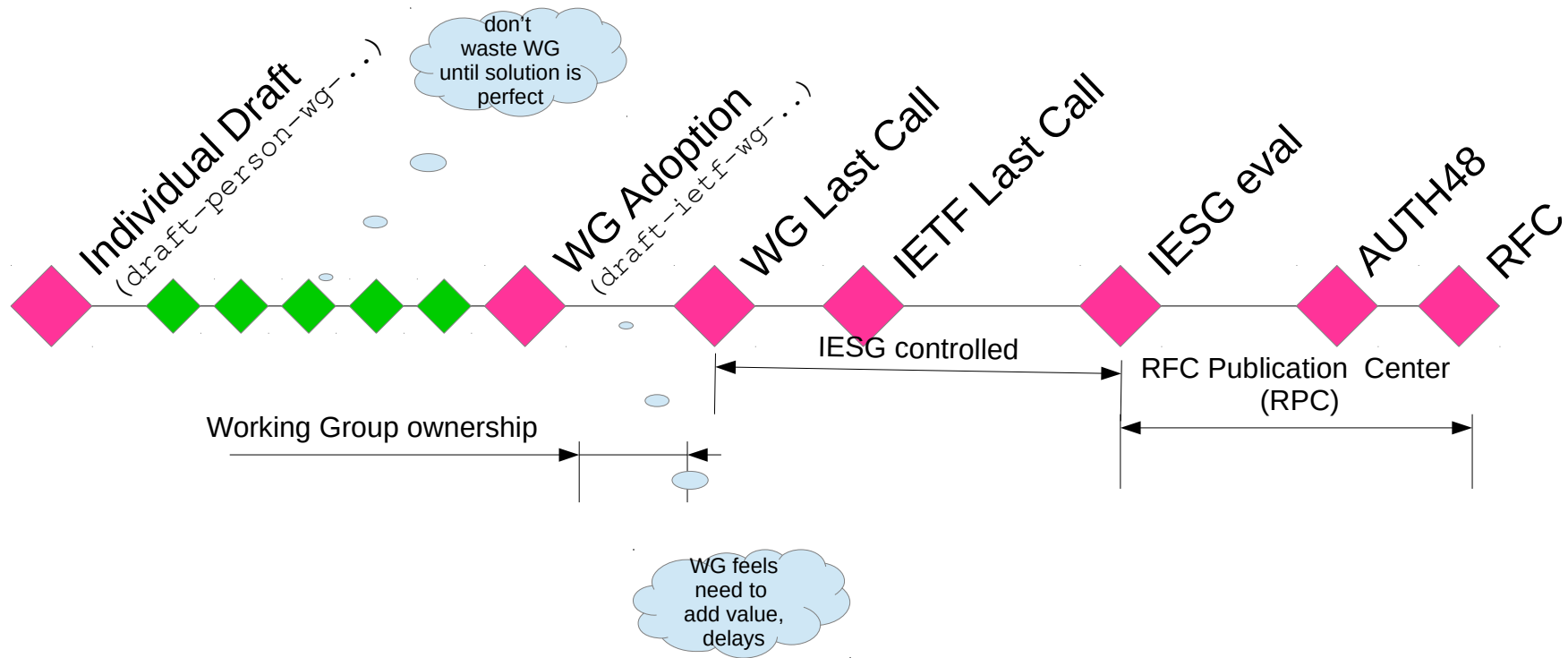https://mailarchive.ietf.org/arch/msg/ipv6/3T-SG-8ylxt_rrKCOrVGFcA_v3w/

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Life of an Internet Draft

Individual Draft
(draft-person-wg-..)

WG Adoption
(draft-ietf-wg-..)

WG Last Call

IETF Last Call

IESG eval

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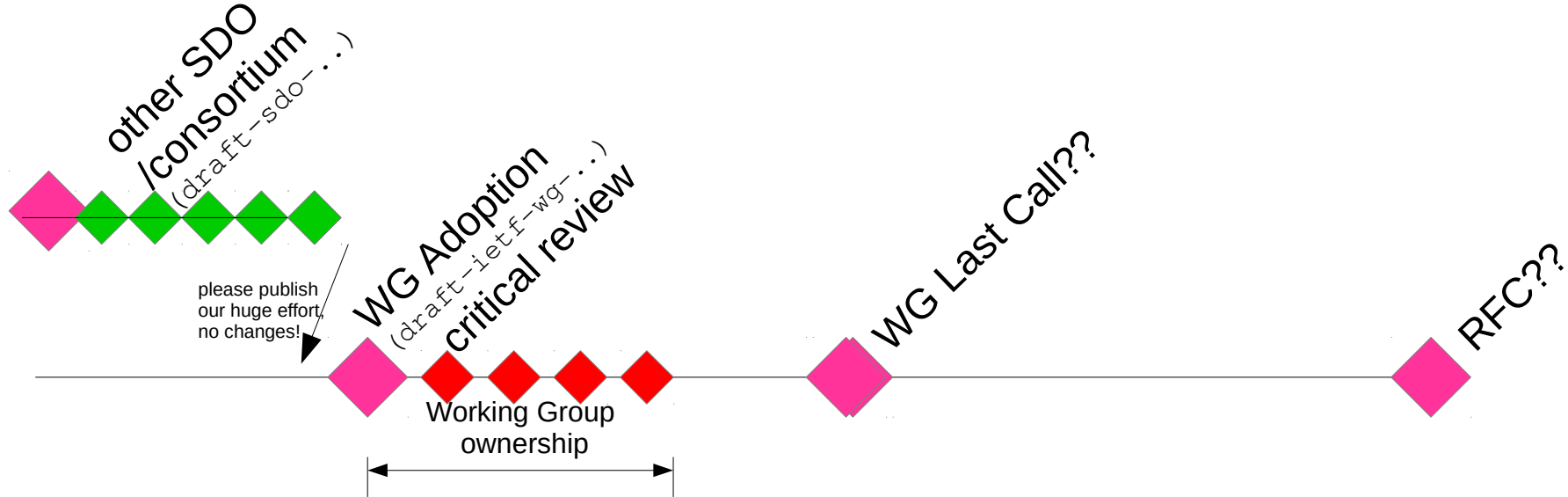
RFC

IESG controlled

Working Group ownership

RFC Publication Center
(RPC)

draft-carpenter-gendispatch-draft-adoption Pathologies observed

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Worse pathologies observed

other SDO /consortium
(draft-sdo-..)

please publish our huge effort, no changes!

WG Adoption
(draft-ietf-wg-..)
critical review

Working Group ownership

WG Last Call??

RFC??

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"Adoption represents a commitment that the WG will spend time and effort on the
draft, but it does not guarantee that the draft will reach WG consensus and be
submitted to the IESG for publication as an RFC."

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"A WG Adoption Call of an I-D is not a required step of the IETF standards process.
The WG chairs decide what documents belong in the WG, and can create new documents by fiat.

A simple situation would be if a WG decides that an existing document should be split into two pieces:
There is no reason to adopt each piece, that is needless bureaucracy.
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why should this work be done

WGs should adopt drafts as soon as they can
agree on the problem statement, so that the WG is fully in charge
of the nature of the solution.

If we want to allow WG to have different styles, then the style should be explicitely
stated, rather than leaving participants to guess.

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where should this work be done?

Options seem to be:
1) AD sponsored.
2) Charter a new WG (there are no active process WGs)