

Proposal for Deferred 2022 Developer Payouts

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Thesis

Over the course of 2022, certain developer consultants (“Developers”), listed below, requested the DAO to defer payouts until the upcoming new year. The DAO accepted the request of the Developers and deferred certain payouts. Now that it is the new year, 2023, monies from deferred payouts can now be paid to the Developers.

Motivation

Attracting and retaining top developer talent is the top priority for the DAO. In an effort to support this priority, the Service Provider and Authorized Members of the DAO, benreed.eth and tankbottoms.eth, agreed to the Developers request to defer payouts. It is in the best interest of the DAO to honor all agreements made with these Developers in order to avoid loss of talent and maintain the DAO’s reputation.

Specification

The Gnosis Multi-sig¹ shall transfer DAI 349,035, to the Developer Multisig².

Deferred Developer Payout

The following table represents the total amount of deferred 2022 payouts now due to the Developers. The Developers each have agreements with the DAO and are recognized as senior developers within their respective technology areas: Solidity Smart Contract and UX front-end Typescript development.

Due Date	Developer Consultant	Deferred Amount	Deferred Months	Practice Area
2023-01-01	0xF1cf...eD7C	DAI 234,035	January, October, November	Smart Contracts
2023-01-01	0x89Ff...84fF	DAI 85,000	October, November	UX Typescript
2023-01-01	0x57a1...0d37	DAI 30,000	October, November	UX Typescript

¹The DAO Multisig is a Gnosis Safe at 0x143cC0A996De329C1C5723Ee4F15D2a40c1203c6 on the Ethereum Mainnet.

²The Developer Multisig is a Gnosis Safe at 0x2187e6a7c765777d50213346F0Fe519fCA706fbD on the Ethereum Mainnet.

The total amount of developer payouts deferred in 2022 was DAI 349,035.

Utilization

The Authorized Members, benreed.eth and tankbottoms.eth, have reviewed and confirm this was the agreement made with the above mentioned Developers.

Rationale

The DAO is required to abide by its Guiding Principles and Code of Conduct, requiring its Members to honor agreements made in good faith and follow through with deferred payouts. Additionally the DAO aspires to be an attractive destination for top talent in Web3; therefore, the DAO's Authorized Members want to continue to support requests of the few developers it employs including flexible payout requests.

Risks

- Delay in the deferred payouts has resulted in loss of trust and goodwill from the Developers.
- Deferred payouts require additional overhead and administrative support to execute.
- Deferred payouts have the potential to distort budget burn rates and complicate accounting.

Snapshot Consensus by the DAO Members

Whereas the DAO through its Members voted to adopt the following actions via Snapshot and resolves as follows:

RESOLVED: That the DAO Multisig transfer of DAI 349,035 to the Developer Multisig (hereinafter, "Deferred Developer Payout") is hereby adopted and approved;

FURTHER RESOLVED: That the Developer Multisig further transfer DAI 349,035 to the accounts specified by the previously mentioned developers for the deferred 2022 payouts. Account transfers may include conversion to fiat currency and or other digital assets.

RESOLVED FURTHER: That the Authorized Members convened and are hereby jointly and severally authorized to take any and all actions, along with executing or signing any cryptocurrency transactions, and executing and delivering any other documents, agreements, instruments, and/or certificates as he or she may deem necessary, advisable, or incidental, in connection with the preceding resolution, and other resolutions herein, or any related documents. This

also includes authorization to perform or resolve the obligations of the DAO, and/or its affiliates.

RESOLVED FURTHER: That any and all actions taken by the Authorized Members to carry out the purposes and intent of the foregoing resolutions prior to their adoption are approved, ratified, and confirmed.

This action by the Authorized Members shall be effective as of the date the DAO receives the consent of its Members via the Snapshot vote. This action by the Authorized Members may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall constitute an original and all of which together shall constitute one action.

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