

Hello, we're DeFi Committee B, which is not an official committee

, as we were not elected to be a DeFi Committee. We do, however, plan to contribute to the discourse here because we want to help delegates and community members have an extra view of the likely merits of these proposals.

Our committee is led by [@MoneyManDoug](#). Other members are [@mastermojo](#), [@MattL](#), [@solarcurve](#), and me.

Our initial committee information can be found here: [DRAFT][S02 Committee Proposal: Category: Defi: Group B] (<https://gov.optimism.io/t/draft-s02-committee-proposal-category-defi-group-b/3318>).

We'll be reviewing DeFi proposals and making recommendations. We again urge people not to take these to be official Optimism committee recommendations; they are just suggestions that we hope are coming from a helpful, informed perspective.

A caveat here is that we have interests in Synthetix as well as Velodrome and Beethoven X, and recommendations we make should be taken with this in mind. Nonetheless, we're committed to placing the interests of Optimism first, understanding the primary need of ensuring the ecosystem's health and vibrancy.