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Welcome to the Arbitrum Ventures Initiative information Hub!

Following the approval of the [first AVI proposal on Tally](#) on July 26th, 2024, we are launching the initiative this week. We will provide bi-weekly updates in this thread and use it as a central hub for all AVI-related resources.

About AVI

The AVI (Arbitrum Venture Initiative) is on a mission to develop the structure for an Arbitrum Ecosystem Investment Fund (or nomenclature equivalent).

Though initiated by the Farstar team, AVI is a DAO led initiative that is designed to be inclusive to all relevant groups. It does not commit the DAO to work with any of the current contributors in the management of the structure beyond its establishment.

That being said, we are working under the explicit commitment to produce a proposal under which the team will be available to work full time, exclusively for Arbitrum, in managing the developed mandate or parts of it.

About the AVI Pilot

The primary output of the pilot will be a market-based ecosystem investment thesis aimed to enable Arbitrum to develop a best-in-class approach to a DAO-led Ecosystem Investment Fund. The thesis provide a proposal for how it should be structured and deployed.

This will be supported by:

- Rigorous understanding of Arbitrum environment
- Recommendations aligned with Arbitrum's long term goals
- Developing an Ops plan for applying the Ecosystem Investment Thesis, Strategy, and Recommendations on next steps
- Community engagement for DAO accountability and transparency

How to get involved

Several DAO contributors and service providers, including RnDAO, EVM Capital, Elixir, and Areta, are already contributing this initiative. This effort builds upon the work of key delegates who have been proponents of ventures in Arbitrum, such as Coinflip and Krzstf, and on efforts by the GCP and the Arbitrum Foundation. Additionally, the DAO's best interest is also being represented by Alex Lumley who has been a key contributor since the beginning of the initiative during GovHack Denver.

If you would like to get more involved or consulted as part of the discovery interviews and delegate conversations, please reach out via a DM or reply on the forum here.

And bookmark this thread for fortnightly updates.

Market Consultation

We are also in the process of recruiting the participants for the Market Consultation which is a key part of the first phase. Please promote this registration form to any relevant builders or investors: <https://link.farstar.co/avi>

Bi-weekly Updates

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