Great initiative! I don't see why you need a paid facilitator to maintain a spreadsheet though. Just set up a roster of a weekly rotating chair with backup. Each week whoever is in the chair is responsible for:

- 1. Collect agenda items from members
- 2. Update the project spreadsheet / Trello / whatever
- 3. Chair meeting
- 4. Update community on any meeting outcome.
- 5. Handover to next week's chair.

Keep meeting short and stick to agenda. Only discuss AOB at the end if there's time, otherwise table for next weeks agenda.