Proposal Name: Ape Assembly - Fostering Growth and Empowerment in ApeCoin Communities through Inclusion and Self-Governance

Proposal Category: Informational

Abstract:

The Ape Assembly is a community-driven initiative to empower ApeCoin communities to allocate funds from the ApeCoin central treasury to their creators and small businesses. The Assembly will not perform reviews of funding proposals but will support communities with funding and guidance to ensure that their creators and small businesses have the resources they need to thrive.

Motivation:

The ApeCoin community recognizes the value of supporting its creators and small businesses. By providing funding and resources, we can help these groups to grow and succeed, further strengthening our community and ecosystem. The Ape Assembly aims to empower communities to do just that, by providing the means for them to allocate funds to their creators and small businesses.

Rationale:

The Ape Assembly will be a non-invasive community-driven initiative that provides funding and guidance to communities to allocate funds from the ApeCoin central treasury to their creators and small businesses. The Assembly will not perform reviews of funding proposals, but will work with community leaders to ensure that their creators and small businesses have the resources they need to succeed.

Specifications:

- 1. Eligibility: Any community that utilizes ApeCoin as their main economy can apply to be a part of the Ape Assembly.
- 2. Application Process: Community leaders can apply to join the Ape Assembly by submitting a proposal on the ApeCoin forums. The proposal should include:
- 3. The name of the community
- 4. The number of members
- 5. A description of how the community will allocate funds to its creators and small businesses
- 6. A plan for how the community will monitor the use of funds
- 7. The amount of funding requested from the ApeCoin central treasury
- 8. Funding: Each community that participates in the Ape Assembly is eligible for up to 15,000 ApeCoins per month from the ApeCoin central treasury. The funds should be used to support the community's creators and small businesses.
- 9. Monitoring: The Ape Assembly will not perform reviews of funding proposals but will work with community leaders to ensure that their creators and small businesses have the resources they need to succeed. Communities will be required to submit regular reports on how the funds were used and the impact on their creators and small businesses.
- 10. Recommendations: Community leaders are encouraged to establish a treasury of their own and set up storefronts and social media channels to promote their creators and small businesses. They are also encouraged to develop reputation systems or explore easy ways to empower their creators and small businesses.

Timeline:

- Community leaders can apply to join the Ape Assembly by submitting a proposal on the ApeCoin forums at any time.
- The ApeCoin central treasury will allocate funding to approved communities on a monthly basis.
- Communities must submit regular reports on the use of funds and the impact on their creators and small businesses.

Overall Cost:

Each participating community will be eligible for up to 15,000 ApeCoin per month. The total cost will depend on the number of communities approved and participating in the Ape Assembly. The exact distribution of funds will be determined by the ApeCoin DAO token holders' voting process.

If approved by DAO members, this informational proposal will signal to community leaders that the Ape Assembly is their preferred path forward for growth and empowerment within the ApeCoin ecosystem.