We're thrilled to announce the launch of the highly-anticipated continuation of the Arbitrum Domain Delegated Allocation (DDA) Grant Program!

First and foremost, we want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all the dedicated community members and delegates who have contributed their time and insights to review and provide valuable feedback on our proposal. Your input has been invaluable in shaping the next phase of this program.

With a budget of \$4,000,000 spread across 4 domains over the next two quarters, we're ready to dive back into funding projects that push the boundaries of innovation in the Arbitrum ecosystem. The overwhelming response and quality of proposals from the initial phase of the program have reinforced our belief in the potential of decentralized grant initiatives to drive meaningful progress.

Here are some key highlights and improvements for this iteration:

- Increased budget allocation for each domain to ensure broader coverage and support for a diverse range of projects.
- Raised soft cap to \$50,000 to accommodate larger-scale proposals, with enhanced evaluation criteria and accountability measures.
- Standardized communication channels and reporting templates to streamline interactions between domain allocators, proposers, and the wider community.
- Implementation of fixed monthly compensation for Domain Allocators and the Program Manager to ensure fair compensation and optimize program efficiency.
- Deadlines for approved projects where the funds can be clawed back and be used for other projects instead.

We're committed to fostering an inclusive and transparent environment where all contributors have the opportunity to thrive. Whether you're a seasoned developer, a budding entrepreneur, or simply passionate about the future of decentralized technology, we encourage you to apply to our grants program!

To learn more about the program and how to submit your proposal, visit our platform at Arbitrum Questbook.

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The Multisigns for the current program are:

Main safe: arb1:0xB7c1551BBEB47Eb86266153df5F9D7dA47F08308

Gaming: arb1:0x94EdA9F9dFC38043D33439c5696BC585702E492b

Dev Tooling: arb1:0xdAFA9908d9eBE0Ad98f739197A6E085830137383

Education, Growth, Community and events: arb1:0x1191eFE82884eA1089AC51E894d1559df2E350C0

New Protocol Ideas: arb1:0x120C1920656188d4F00F6De37D1Da7fdCcAC4A9A

The program funds are being converted to USDC via the Aera Vault, once the funds are converted we will distribute them amongst the above 4 Safes. The vault can be viewed here: here

We will be using this thread for all future updates regarding the program.