

## **PROPOSAL NAME:**

Pausing Special Council elections pending the outcome of the Governance Revamp AIP vote.

## **TEAM DESCRIPTION:**

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## **PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION:**

The APE Foundation has recently posted a proposal to revamp ApeCoin DAO governance, entitled “ApeChain, On-chain – ApeCoin DAO Governance Revamp”. That proposal would eliminate Special Council elections, sunsetting the role of Special Council entirely. It can be found here: [ApeChain, On-chain – ApeCoin DAO Governance Revamp](#)

This AIP proposes to pause Special Council elections, pending the outcome of the proposal entitled “ApeChain, On-chain – ApeCoin DAO Governance Revamp”.

## **BENEFIT TO APECOIN ECOSYSTEM:**

This proposal benefits the ApeCoin ecosystem by respecting the time, resources, and energy of the ApeCoin DAO community members who might wish to run for Special Council, as well as the time, resources, and energy of ApeCoin DAO community members who might wish to vote for and learn about Special Council nominees.

## **STEPS TO IMPLEMENT:**

ApeCoin DAO Special Council elections normally occur in November & December.

The APE Foundation is directed to pause the ApeCoin DAO Special Council elections until the ApeCoin DAO has voted on the proposal entitled “ApeChain, On-chain – ApeCoin DAO Governance Revamp.”

## **REPORTING EXPECTATIONS:**

The expectation is that this proposal would be implemented by the DAO's administrative team. The community should regularly review the impact of this proposal. If accepted, the administration and the community should review the impact of the updates after the 3-month period for conflict ends.

## **OVERALL COST:**

Total amount requested from the ApeCoin Ecosystem Fund = \$0.