

## SquadVault — Engineering Handoff Checklist (v1.1)

Status: CANONICAL HANDOFF

Audience: Founder, Engineers, Contractors

Purpose: Translate locked governance + contracts into safe, correct implementation.

### 0. Pre-Flight

- Read Platform Guardrails
- Confirm silence is valid output
- Confirm no rankings, analytics, predictions, or optimization
- Stay within Fantasy Football MVP scope

NEW — SignalGrouping Consumption Gate (Required if groupings are consumed):

- Component reads SelectionSetV1.groupings → SignalGrouping Consumer Certification (v1) completed and signed
- Certification artifact stored alongside implementation or PR

### 1. Canonical Sources of Truth (Read-Only)

Tier 0–2 (Binding):

- Canonical Operating Constitution
- Signal Scout — Contract Card (v1.0)
- Writing Room Intake — Contract Card (v1.0)
- Selection Set Schema (v1.0)
- Creative Layer — Contract Card (v1.0)

Tier 3+ (Reference Only):

- Core Engine Technical Specification
- Fantasy Football Module Technical Spec
- Implementation Readiness Package

### 2. What You Are Implementing

#### 2.1 Signal Scout (Tier-1 Only)

- Implement Tier-1 derivation math exactly
- Deterministic suppression on missing data

Do NOT:

- Invent signals
- Rank or score
- Infer missing data

## 2.2 Writing Room Intake

- Intake canonical signals only
- Enum-based exclusions only
- Optional grouping per contract

Do NOT:

- Rank signals
- Choose top-N
- Apply tone or humor

Final Reminder:

We optimize for trust, not impressiveness.