OSI Public Policy wg 09May2017

Agenda

- What's the long term goals?
 - Established network of policy domain experts and enthusiasts.
 - Self identify, list others

Who will invite folks to join in? Is there any criteria?

Define scope of which policies are relevant, which covers...?

Who is defining the scope (not of the project, but of relevant artifacts)?

- Open source software technologies
- Procurement policies
- Adoption/acquisition
- Contribution/contributor
- IP issues that are unique to government
- Inventory: Create an index of free and open source public policy and resources that can be used by anyone, based on the above definition.

Who will review these references/sources for relevance/accuracy/authority?

- Which are being used by federal and state governments
- Exclude universities for right now
- Acquire, licensing, IP, contract, operational, training,
- Networking: Crowdsourcing the management of the index
- Implementation
 - Public data store accessible by APIs
 - Simple client
- Next steps: Putting the people and resources together
- What's the short term goals?
 - Meet once a month, open to anyone, use jitsi for meetings
 - Take notes, publicly publish
 - DONE Sean: Set next meeting on doodle, around early june 2017, purpose: define policies
 - Invite 3-4 new people (who, what) that can help with meeting
 - Sean use jitsi
 - DONE Sean create policy define gdoc as source for next meeting, find here

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1eFQ0kOAR384w_rVucpkQUU4 Swl1 c38bjnlQ9ueTn3Y/edit?usp=sharing

- Define what the policy inventory is, columns in the wiki page
 - the scope of policies we are including
- Update https://opensource.org/working-groups#public, make crisper
- Volunteers

- First what are policies we want to index
- Second gathering policies
- DONE Inventory wiki table to start
- DONE Public http archived mailman ML
- o POSTPONE: http archived irc or slack
- o a repo for documents and code, and referencing URLs for most tangible things.
- Wiki page for the wg agenda and abstract mostly read only

Notes

- 1. Patrick has created a wiki page
 - a. The wiki is primarily used as a content archive and working documentation
 - b. We have a "Working Group" page that lists active projects: https://opensource.org/working_groups
 - c. Once there is more content to actually highlight (to drive interest):
 - i. FLOSS Desktops: https://opensource.org/node/835
 - ii. FLOSS Entities: https://opensource.org/node/840
- http://osuosl.org/about/goscon/
- 3. http://wiki.civiccommons.org/
- 4. https://plus.google.com/u/0/communities/110268213869494409273
- 5. <a href="https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2https://groups.google.com/forum/osi2ht
- 6. http://americadecoded.org/
- 7. https://opengovfoundation.org/

Resources:

Current working group:

https://wiki.opensource.org/bin/Main/Open+Source+Initiative+Working+Groups/PublicPolicvIP/

OSI Authority and Recognition: https://opensource.org/authority
(This was created by the OSI in our trademark and registration efforts, and in doing so, has several citations of open source in public policy.)

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