OuRChain.cc Collaboration Community

Please contribute to this document.

Purpose:

Create and operate an self determined autonomous community organization to promote RChain community development.

Shepherd community initiatives in collaborative promotion, support and development of a social network of the people, by the people and for the people.

To that end, the organization will endeavor to get RCoinAs in the hands of the community in an innovation economy of RCoinA.

The autonomous community that will emerge will serve the coop and distribute bounties to the community. This community will only emerge once it has a mandate to the community. I suggest we keep out of the business of the cooperative at this time and instead on the community where we can provide a coherent voice to the community.

We hope to become a fellowship representing trusted factions of RChain community members in Webs-of-Trust building strong unique pseudo-anonymous identity employing democratic governance principles.

Initially the community is defined in this one document we all can edit/propose such that it can become anything we want. We aim to follow best practices in decision support.

Current State:

With HJ's encouragement I added a RocketChat for RChain to try.
https://cocloud.sandcats.io/shared/BGLky1QDHRq2eto0M_O6scVq8fp9mr1qlzPDjQt3m4b

It is a Sandstorm app on a collectively managed VPS I installed over the weekend for a CoCloud cooperative in formation.

Sandstorm is an application manager having single signon for all apps and privacy by default. Everyone can install apps like this one with a click. It is community based and disintermediated. The RChain community is part of CoCloud/Divvy SandStorm trials for community support.

The Divvy aim is to integrate decentralized apps and ethereum with sandstorm that will be Rchain ready and use Sandstorm to easily install rchain nodes when we can.

Please help evaluate this RocketChat and Sandstorm for use by RChain Comment there and it won't be lost.

Development of this project document was initiated and is being reviewed by interested community members.

The formal genesis of the community awaits selection of leaders by mandate of the community, assigning managers and obtaining bounty budgets.

Slack #documention channel
Rchain reference on github
RChain Architecture draft - new
RChain.coop website
Google drive
Rchain Medium channel, youtube

Community Asset Map - signup here
RChain Coop Bylaws draft
RChain Token Redemption V2
RChain AMP-to-RHOC Redemption Instructions - new
RChain Promotional Credits Offer - Terms and Conditions

Co-op Decision Making Research
Channel/Funnel Strategy

"Token Redemption" Event Content

OuRChain.cc Bounty Payoff Matrix

Mobile process calculi for programming the blockchain gdoc, read the docs, github
RChain Architecture Document
rholang spec 0.1

Original RChain Budgeting Proposal
www.ottocapital.com forming rchain incubator

Ourchain.slack.com (get invite, Getting started for new slack users)
~~Termporary OuRChain.cc trello~~ (~~get invite~~)
RChain coop trello project tracking
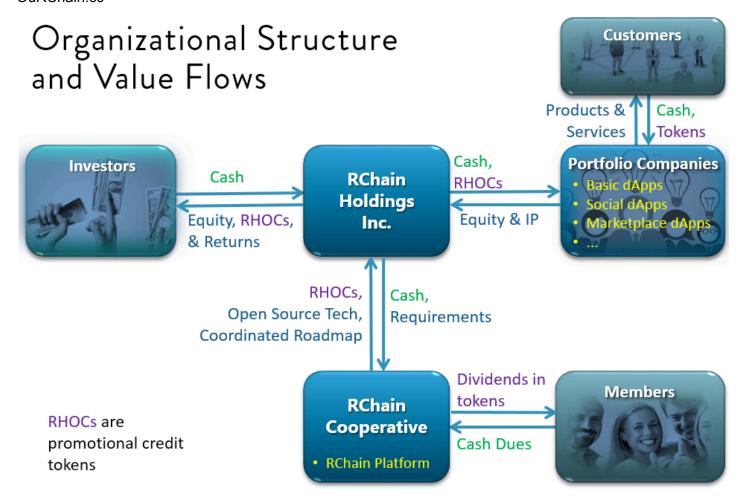Weekly RChain.coop zoom meeting Wednesday 2PM EST.
Weekly ourchain.cc zoom meeting takes place on Tuesdays 4PM EST. see log
Project log
Planned Structure

Community

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Organizational Structure and Value Flows

Investors → Cash → RChain Holdings Inc.
RChain Holdings Inc. → Equity, RHOCs, & Returns → Investors
RChain Holdings Inc. → Cash, RHOCs → Portfolio Companies
Portfolio Companies → Equity & IP → RChain Holdings Inc.
Portfolio Companies (Basic dApps, Social dApps, Marketplace dApps, …) → Products & Services → Customers
Customers → Cash, Tokens → Portfolio Companies
RChain Cooperative → RHOCs, Open Source Tech, Coordinated Roadmap → RChain Holdings Inc.
RChain Holdings Inc. → Cash, Requirements → RChain Cooperative
RChain Cooperative (RChain Platform) → Dividends in tokens → Members
Members → Cash Dues → RChain Cooperative

RHOCs are promotional credit tokens

Community Initiative Bootstrap Process:

1. Members submit ideas for proposals at RChain.consider.it, trello, slack or other forum and collect community sentiment and team members.
2. Project document (like this one) is created
3. An initial bounty is solicited from the community.
4. Project begins.
5. Proposals for continued bounties are made to the RChain coop, incubator, or other potential funding source.

Team Members/Roles:

Team member	roles	Plan - action items
@jimscarver:	Divvy mgr. devops, coach, mentor	Delegate everything :-p
@planteater	Manager, editor	Community nodes setup and maintenance, streamlining testing and issues tracking, helping new users, making documentation more (new-)user friendly
@lapin7 = hj	Manager	
@otomplodomo, Gary	Manager	
@jwhooper74	member	
@jeffanthony	devops	
@btcmacroecon	Networking, promotion	Available for contract work, Seattle area.
@patrick727	Manager, community development	
@ervin-lemark	Leader, promotion, community development	
@delawer	Member, Market integration	Cryptoindex
@jos.denmark	Leader, Technical Marketing	RChain, Developer Onboarding
@volsung	Start up coordinator	Divvydao consider.it consensus based stuff
@cameron.s.hunt	Member, Docker testing/support	
@rb	Leader, IT	Trustworthy identity
@pdube	IT, networking	Trustworthy identity
@billscarver	Member	Trustworthy identity
@sieva	Design, Animation, Frontend	

Community projects:

1. Onboarding members
2. Community outreach: patrick
   a. Medium: jim
   b. bitcointalk
3. Operational support: ian, irvan, jim
4. Research RChain governance model options.
   a. [Co-op Decision Making Research](#)
5. Review and contribute to [RChain coop](#) planning.
6. Review and contribute to [Rcoin0 planning](#). [research](#) (#rchain0 channel)
7. #de-decentral-station [station](#): doug rushkoff ?
8. [Trustworthy Identity](#) - BYOID meets 9am EST Sat.: jimscarver, kendal, paul, ervin
9. Development of an RCoin marketplace/economy among members.
10. Other projects becoming on [divvy.consider.it](#) and rchain.[consider.it](#)
11. [your project?]

Principles:

Principles inform the process throughout the project and add continuity in the way we collaborate. Add your own if your project needs it.

1. Do no harm (non-aggression)
2. Do something useful
3. Do together what we could not accomplish independently.
4. Employ objective criteria. Experiment.
5. Obey [Einstein's law of success](#): diligence + frivolity + privacy.(with [purposeful limited transparency](#))
6. Follow [habits](#) of successful people and organizations
7. Employ [agile principles](#) in development and operations
8. Develop [group memory](#), [identity](#) and [autonomy](#).
9. Promote the [collective intelligence](#) of the teams and the organization.
10. Continuous process delivery and improvement.
11. Live and let live. [The Universal Declaration of Human Right II](#)

Goals:

Goals are specific to achieving your project's final result and can include social, technical, economic, and other goals.

1. Social (Whom are you helping to solve what kind of problem?)
   a. Decentralize intermediated services down to the individual.
   b. Proven privacy.

      c. Empowering each individual's interactions by their own rules.

      d. User driven cooperative development.

      e. Incentivize both requisite variety and cooperation.

      f. [Fix stupid](). Promote memes acting toward our common interest.

2. Technical (How are you going to solve the problem?)
   a. Evolve norms and tools enabling reliable cooperation and scaling.
   b. Prototyping social contracts to be deployed on RChain on Ethereum
   c. API stubbed to allow apps to be RChain ready
   d. Rholang apprenticeship collaborative learning.
3. Market (economic model, targets, network effects)
   a. Create an active RCoin innovation economy.
   b. Make RChain a household word.
4. Other, etc…..

Milestones:

1. Leaders elected.
2. Managers selected by leaders
3. Governance model approved by the community
4. Ambassadors on targeted channels for outreach
5. Budget funding for the community initiatives
6. Prototype social contracts on ethereum
7. Stubbed API for RChain integration upon release of Blockchain 1 3rd quarter 2017.
8. Applications on track to be launched on RChain
9. Community RChain editions
10. Acquire legal organization status in various jurisdictions.

Expenses:

outchain.cc VM Hosting: $40/mo.

To do:

Tasks completed lead to milestone achieved which brings satisfaction to all participants.
1. Onboard active community members who are willing as team members
2. Comment and improve this document: all, jimscarver, planteater, ...
3. Determine initial community managers
4. Website https://ourchain.cc
5. Separate consider.it 's for advisor and leader selection.?
6. Resurrect fireside chat with community leaders:
7. Add .rchain.consider.it proposal(s)
8. Create multisig wallets for cyypto and divvy
9. Add timesheet and project log documents (sample project): ?
10. Proposal to RChain to provide community run services for a budget of RCoins.
11. Remove completed tasks from this list
12.

Activities:

1. Planning
2. Management
3. Promotion
4. Development
5. Documentation
6. Action plans

Norms: ([sample norms document](#))

1. Be constructive, not destructive.
2. Control yourself, not other people. Divvied groups are autonomous.
3. Work in small groups before escalating issues to the larger community. Form teams of 2 or more to divvy the group's attention and foster collective intelligence. Foster alternative approaches to problems.
4. Employ delayed choice, 1st opportunity and least action in making decisions. Test alternatives.
5. Assume responsibility for tasks and activities by adding your name after the task. Add a question mark after your name if you may be available if needed. Add other people you think may participate with two question marks. For example if Joe can help if Sally comes on board, he can add: Joe?, Sally??
6. Balance working alone and working together, affirmatively working together, coaching, learning and leading by example. (monkey see, monkey do, two heads are better than one).
7. Synchronize with periodic [scrum](#) meetings, P2P/teams/project: what was done, problems: encountered, plan til next scrum.
8. We are all responsible for building the collective memory while improving the group process by:
   a. Adding information initially to this document, using suggest mode to get concurrence;
   b. Updating or commenting on anything questionable;
   c. Add relevant links where you can;
   d. Editors can accept non controversial changes when they concur or comment;
   e. Separate detailed document sections into separate documents linked with the original document for each milestone;
   f. Separate projects for significantly independent tasks call for their own documents.
9. Feel free to select and perfect if possible the best collaborative tools having advantages over google docs etc. for specific tasks, link with this document and add under Suggested Tools below.
10. If you find something objectionable or missing, comment and suggest changes, or it's no fault but your own. Take responsibility for the project personally.
11. Improve the processes and document suggested improvements.

Tools we will use:

1. Collaborative Google docs/sheets/presentations to embody our collective group memory.
2. Slack emocon votes, [rchain.consider.it](#) , [divvy.consider.it](#) and discus forum vote decisions
3. [Doodle.com](#) meeting arrangement.
4. Zoom meetings, ([lobby](#))
5. Slack, Email and discus forum communications.

a. Ourchain.slack.com
    b. #rchain channel in DivvyDAO.slack.com
    c. Our own open source communication tools (future)
6. github/zenhub/tiaga development project coordination and issue tracking
    a. admins?
7. Teams are free to use any tool in the divvy toolbox or any tool they have used productively in the past or wish to experiment with.

Resources We Have:

1. Divvy process tools
2. Team of interested parties with xxx skills
3. Prior work?
4. Finances
    a. 20k AMPS (thanks to @synereofan and Proven Secure Solutions Inc.)
    b. Matching Divvy tokens plus ?
    c. Tokens from RChain coop?

Governance:

The governance will be flexible and evolving seeking to employ democratic principles and division of responsibilities.

The DivvyDAO.org process will be tailored to the community, initially employing the following decision and community structure.

Decision structure

1. Anyone may make a proposal at rchain.consider.it and collect a team to promote it and create a project document and log to be affimatively awarded credit and nonzero bounty of crypto for cooperation. The collective may decide what to do where they have consensus but cannot tell a member what not to do. Cooperation will be rewarded by the community that is in line with its principles.
2. Up to 12 leaders will be accepted by weak consensus of the community.
3. Leaders choose advisors/mentors by weak consensus.
4. Up to five managers will be selected by weak consensus of the leaders.
5. ⅔ of active leaders override managers.
6. ¾ active members override leaders and manages.
7. Indecisive outcomes at any level may be deferred to a larger group of stakeholders or if necessary to the advisory board.
8. Subgroups make proposals to their parent or other groups w.r.t compensation for cooperation..
9. Every team is autonomous and may adopt its own decision structure.

Community Structure: (mirrors divvy)

● Community Member - tiered branching organization employing democratic principles for all persons having strong corroborated unique pseudo-anonymous identity in our webs of trust.

- ○ User community federation (1/4 stake) - teams, Dunbar number communities, federations, employing democratic principles.
    - ■ gamers
    - ■ traders
    - ■ artists
    - ■ Authors
    - ■ Entrepreneurs
    - ■ Geographical communities
    - ■ ...
  - ○ Worker/Developer Community (1/4 stake)
    - ■ Managers
      - ● leaders
        - ○ members
          - ■ Rchain coop
          - ■ Synereo LTD
          - ■ Tech Enterprises
          - ■ John Smith
          - ■ Proven Secure
          - ■ ...
  - ○ Node operators Community (1/4 stake)
  - ○ RCoin holders (1/4 stake)
- ● Advisory Board (breaks *ties* of users, developers, operators and RCoin holders)
  - ○ Mentors selected or deposed by weak community consensus
  - ○ murray and roxanne? Greg and dor? @katitali ?, doug ruskhoff?

Resources We Need:

1. Roles to be filled=Human Resources
2. Organizational needs=Organizational Resources
3. Technology needs=Technical Resources
4. Bounties earmarked for payoff matrix from the community.
5. Sponsors, grants, etc. prises

Assets:

(An *asset* is anything of value that can be converted into cash.)
1. ~~~50k AMPs in community wallet,~~
2. 20k AMPS (thanks to @synereofan and Proven Secure Solutions Inc.)
3. Matching Divvy tokens plus ?
4. RCoin from RChain coop?
5. 5k CRYPTOINDEX (thanks to @delaware, already deployed to chairmans :)

Liabilities:

1. none

Compensation :

Divvy practice is to affirmatively give credit proof of cooperation for cooperative efforts benefiting many of our communities. In addition to divvy tokens, the process provides for equitable distribution of RCoin and other bounties awarded for the combined effort. A combination of:

1. Bounties for projects, tasks and roles
2. Project time accounting
3. Project payoff Matrix
4. Bonuses
5. Sponsored rewards

The goal is to give most those who contributed most and give something to everyone who participated. Bonuses are used to give credit to successful underfunded cooperations.

The Divvy model may be replicated by teams, projects and sub-communities, employing divvy process templates, payoff matrixes, etc., modify them, or autonomously use whatever tools and budgetary policies they choose. Each team is free to use the tools and policies they have found to be effective in making them productive which might possibly become supported in the evolving set of Divvy process tools.. We extend self-sovereignty to any freely assembled association of members and award bounties for cooperation in accordance with our principles.

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