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Attendees

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Abhik Nag: No. Hey, how are you guys doing? So, yeah. Yeah, that's I think Fanny,...

Fanny wijaya: Okay, thank you.

Fanny wijaya: Hi text.

Abhik Nag: you were saying something So, before I

Fanny wijaya: Okay, okay. Okay. What's the time in New York? Hi, thanks. Okay.

Terence McCutcheon: It's hot.

Terence McCutcheon: I apologize I'm going to be doubled up here again. so I'll be listening in. but please carry on as normal and hopefully we see Arlington Marine here in a minute.

Darlington Wleh: How the time flies. Hey guys.

Fanny wijaya: Hi Darlington.

Darlington Wleh: Hey guys and...

Abhik Nag: You're right.

Darlington Wleh: one girl.

Fanny wijaya: Hi. Hi.

Darlington Wleh: Sometimes it's better to just say, "Hey girls." That way you cover everybody.

Fanny wijaya: Okay. ...

Darlington Wleh: Let's see. By the way, text somehow I need someone's help. Maybe it won't be necessary for much longer. resetting my 2FA for that platform whose name I can never remember.

Fanny wijaya: come on.

Terence McCutcheon: or click up.

Darlington Wleh: Click up. Somehow I lost the phone number that was attached to that 2FA.

Terence McCutcheon: Just send me a DM and we'll get a time together and work that out.

Darlington Wleh: Welcome Sanjaya.

Fanny wijaya: Okay.

Darlington Wleh: By the way everybody is a girl today we decided there was consensus.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Sorry, what was that? Darlington. Hey everyone.

Fanny wijaya: Hi, San.

Darlington Wleh: Today I'm addressing everybody as hi ladies. FYI. So, when is Is opposite day a global

thing or is that just a US thing?

Darlington Wleh: Boaz, How is your neck of the woods?

BOAZ BANDU BALUME: Yeah, I'm fine. It's okay on my side here.

Darlington Wleh: Very nice. How much of your nails have you eaten off waiting for catalyst results? That

Okay.

BOAZ BANDU BALUME: I can't count here very many.

Darlington Wleh: I feel Nice. What about you, Fanny? all the Kanano people that don't usually live in those

parts are gone.

Fanny wijaya: I don't know anything again.

Darlington Wleh: Have you gone back to sleeping again or are you still busy?

Fanny wijaya: Yeah, because I just finished my class.

Darlington Wleh: Nice.

Darlington Wleh: Let's give the stragglers another minute here.

Fanny wijaya: Yes. Okay.

Darlington Wleh: Then we shall begin. the Lord's work has to say.

Terence McCutcheon: Darlington, I just sent you an email that should help restore access.

Darlington Wleh: Brilliant. I see security link. There we go. Perfect. Thank you.

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Terence McCutcheon: I would suggest updating your account information right away to prevent a

continuation of this process.

Darlington Wleh: Yes. As long as I can add a different 2FA without it asking me for the old one which that Confirm my password. No, don't create a password. But the password already have too many windows. What about you, Sanjaya? How's your neck of the woods?

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Not too busy as usual, but nothing really big happening over here in Sri Lanka at the moment. Just the usual stuff.

Darlington Wleh: Nice. have you guys done when's there going to be a product comedy workshop?

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: We already did that.

Darlington Wleh: Okay.

Darlington Wleh: Fun fun.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: It's about three week three almost a month I think.

Darlington Wleh: Must have misheard Lorenzo when he was talking about it. This thing is asking me for my password. I don't have a password. Interesting. Let's link my Google account. I don't have an intercept. Got this thing is I can type in the password here. This is not going my way. So, I don't know my current password. I have to come back to this. Okay.

Darlington Wleh: I say since I'm logged into ClickUp, We get started. When did we take notes last time? let's do a quick agenda here. What I was thinking for today, we don't have cororum.

Darlington Wleh: So, not sure how much we'll be able to get done. Maybe they will make it a short one. but the date is What happened to all the October dates? Okay. I was thinking in tandem. That's the word I'm looking for with the members benefit conversation we've been having. there's also conversations happening inside of intersect and we have our esteemed guest on the call with us today that might be able to give us a little context.

Darlington Wleh: so we can just spend a few minutes talking about that. Not so much the benefits specifically because that's that document Matthew and a task force is still populating. but we can just talk about membership in general. add that to the agenda. I was hoping to go through Marin's document today, but she's not here. we can also talk about the elections, what's happening, updates, if text can get us some numbers.

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Darlington Wleh: and if anything else the MCC should be doing committee elections. anything else we should talk about? Probably check in. I didn't see anything come through, but maybe I missed Check in on the Ops working group. Reboot. Anything else particular members count? Okay.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Any luck on the existing member count at the moment? Paid members in Active members.

Darlington Wleh: Yeah, we can put that in that first item. Hopefully someone between the two humans on this call. Hopefully we have that number. Is that good for today or is there anything else? Cool. let's get to it. we can start with I saying there's conversations happening within intersect around membership and

members engagement. And I know some of the work Marine's doing too has to do with some of that engagement stuff.

Darlington Wleh: But we've been doing a lot of this work without really knowing exactly what's happening in Intersect without having that visibility. so obviously being a community we know and we can see but it's always good to get some of that inside context. so Mr. nag I don't know if I'm putting you on the spot, but if you can share anything along those lines about what's happening within the business and...

Darlington Wleh: what you guys been looking into and what the current counts and state of the membership is, that would be great.

Abhik Nag: Mhm. Yeah.

Abhik Nag: So, Sanjay, you asked for the numbers, so let me start off with that right now. So as things stand we have total members whether it's included associate individuals and enterprise all added together of 4, as of today. 3,878 of that is associate. Now that has changed that has increased drastically within these couple of months.

Abhik Nag: starting from July because of course the renewal period. So in be prior to that we had the associates at 2,934 and we had paid members at 1,836. So today it stands at associate being 3,878 and the paid members being 740 I believe.

Abhik Nag: Yeah, 740 paid members individual enterprise members has gone from 53 to 29 and that's purely because we have to go back to them and say hey the main thing here is benefits I think Darlington I shared that talk with you and the main thing here is that there's high email engagement for example open rates on the emails that we send for renewals but there's low renewals. this obviously has resulting decline of the individual enterprise members. associates have increased because they're not upgrading. and this could be a big reason why there's low engagement in the elections.

Abhik Nag: there's some elections that are not getting numbers some of the committees. So couple of the concerns that we got together at insect to see and highlight that of course the campaign alone isn't driving renewals meaning the benefits are not sufficient. there is the introduction to I'm maybe text and chime into this, but the open-source link benefits like the Petersia membership, legal benefit, legal business modeling support, project incubation, project service support, these can all be added to benefits to the members. and then of course, we are looking into sort of an auto renewal

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Abhik Nag: way of doing the membership, but there's also legal compliances there. So, that needs to be checked into before we can do that. and also there's not much engagement happening in our socials. For example, Discord's quite quiet in the general chat. some people are missing their welcome emails. For example, the dev fest that I went to this weekend, we had over I think 60 or 70 on boardings, but they never got their welcome email. so I was a bit surprised there. So I was like, okay, this is not a good start. so that doesn't help with the renewals. maybe who knows how many people have not got their welcome email are not even connected with us.

Abhik Nag: so yeah that's just in a nutshell the numbers and sort of where we are but yeah I'm happy to answer any questions or if you guys are feeling any that there needs to be some changes what kind of changes would help the membership renewals on all years and eventually I will have to present this to the

main guys at intersect to make sure that this thing is done because being a member-based organization if we don't have members then that's not good. so it's quite necessary that we get this done.

Abhik Nag: So, I'll stop talking and I'll let you have the talk.

Darlington Wleh: We need members.

Darlington Wleh: How many was the 740? Did I include enterprise members? Okay.

Abhik Nag: I think one of the feedbacks that I got from the enterprise members is that hey I'm getting the same sort of benefit as an individual.

Darlington Wleh: Mhm. Yeah.

Abhik Nag: So why pay the \$1,000? apart from the fact that they get a banner they get their logos and a banner in an event which is fine which is pretty big. but we were going to run a survey just so you all know we were going to run a survey I remember during teams I was working on a survey to kind of get to know what the community really wants but we decided not to send any emails to any of the members because that's when the pivot happened.

Abhik Nag: the pivot where everyone was not really happy. so that the timing wouldn't have been great. So I was sending it at that time. and then we just got busy with so many other things. It just skipped out. so yeah we don't actually have feedback from the members but since you guys are the MCC I wanted to know...

Darlington Wleh: Yeah, go ahead.

Abhik Nag: how we can make this happen. So yeah

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Is it possible for us to maybe get a list of...

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: where these membership renewals have dropped out of? I mean, is it in regions where the hubs were pretty active...

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Abhik Nag: Mhm. Yeah,...

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: since about I think April May. So has the engagement dropped and the renewals have dropped in these regions where the hubs stopped operations have not been that active? Is that a way we can actually have a look at that?

Abhik Nag: I can check the help spot for you on that one. So, let me check on that. Yeah, if there is a way to get summary from the countrywise,...

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Great. Thanks,

Abhik Nag: I'm sure there is. I just need to speak to Gisha. So, I'll get that for you. Yeah, I'll try. Yeah.

Darlington Wleh: Any other comments?

Darlington Wleh: And then also, did you get a chance to look at AM the annual member survey that's gone that's out now?

Abhik Nag: The annual members survey I have heard of it but I have not seen it yet because I've just been working on a few of the things but I'll be more than happy to look into the survey.

Abhik Nag: Have you who sent the survey I mean what's wrong

Darlington Wleh: There was a kabal with an intersect.

Darlington Wleh: FCC had a chance to take a look. Was it which exact group sent that thing? Was it the ISC or was that a different text? Do you know? but either way it came for me to say it's out now.

Darlington Wleh: Why should they be pushing? Participation is low for So I don't know. yeah.

Abhik Nag: I think one of the biggest issues with renewals is that I'm just saying it out loud now there was a big thing about re being part of intersect especially with committee being prior a powerful hand in the elections and...

Abhik Nag: of course now it's all DREPs right so a lot of times when I talk about committees they're like what exactly is I sometimes get that from the members right so that's also something so that move was yeah kind of...

Darlington Wleh: Right here.

Abhik Nag: but we got to it is...

Abhik Nag: what it is and we just have to play with what we've got right so

Darlington Wleh: And the committee conversation is a hot topic at ISC right now too...

Abhik Nag: Yeah. Yeah. Mhm.

Darlington Wleh: because I think everybody all around is just feeling a lot of people anyways feeling that what's the usefulness of the committee kind of a thing. So yeah.

Darlington Wleh: Any other comments on this? Hi text.

Terence McCutcheon: Hi. ...

Terence McCutcheon: you had a question for me. the ISC wanted a survey, but we also had our regular annual survey to send out for annual members meeting. so that survey was drafted from last year's survey with inflections from the intersect steering committee. and it has been out for probably close to at

least two weeks for sure. it's going to remain open until I believe the 11th or 13th of November, something like that.

Terence McCutcheon: Basically right up until the Cardono Summit. and then there's a new adjustment here. As of today, the Spanish language is available for the survey and we expect the Japanese language version variant to be available in the next 24 to 48 hours.

Darlington Wleh: Okay, thanks.

Terence McCutcheon: And...

Darlington Wleh: Text

Terence McCutcheon: then I would also note as much as we don't have a direct location for members that we've lost, what I can tell you is it's primarily related to expirations between July and August of LA this year. So that means that between July and...

Terence McCutcheon: August last year is when everyone first signed up for their membership, they may still think that they're a member and they haven't gone in to go and renew regardless of the fact that they may have received emails. So, that might be a better way to target

Abhik Nag: Yeah. Yeah.

Abhik Nag: I think that's why a lot of renewals I think was a hot topic with the conversation. But yeah, that's obviously got some legal things. But by this survey where's the link to it?

Abhik Nag: I'm looking at the dev reports and things. Is it in the dev report somewhere?

Terence McCutcheon: should be in the dev report and it's all over X as well.

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Abhik Nag: Where's the help Executive application. Okay. I'm looking at Okay,...

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: The survey is on the dashboard as well.

Abhik Nag: I'll have to check on that. it's on the I need to open the dashboard. But yeah, that's great. It must be a little it m Yeah,...

Terence McCutcheon: There is a link for it.

Abhik Nag: I was looking for that annoying link.

Terence McCutcheon: Okay. No,...

Abhik Nag: Where is that link? I always miss it because it's probably like a small link or got to figure Yeah, Just need to Uhhuh.

Terence McCutcheon: there's I guess maybe two.

Darlington Wleh: I mean,...

Terence McCutcheon: There's one that's bit.ly am and there is a QR code available natively here.

Abhik Nag: heat.

Terence McCutcheon: So that's the short link here.

Darlington Wleh:

Darlington Wleh: you probably want this Google doc that has all the questions so you can sort of get a good top level view of without having to click through the questions of the actual questions. I don't know if this document that I see was commenting on if it changed much. but I need to stop calling it a cabal for what are we calling that thing? the group that's looking into the members benefit thing.

Darlington Wleh: It might be good to go through this Google doc that the IC was going through to see if there are questions on that survey that would be informative for what that group is putting together. That's a lot of silly words, but hopefully the important bits came through. any ...

Terence McCutcheon: Has anyone spoken to Matthew or Marine? I know they're normally here.

Darlington Wleh: the normally And Matthew, I know. I DM Mar and he didn't say anything in the chat. And he missed another deadline, too. So maybe I'll reach out to him after this call.

Darlington Wleh: Let me do a thing. Any other comments on any of the stuff AB was talking about? Or is this a dead horse? We all know the problem. Now we need to ...

Laurentine Djatsa: Excuse me. I've had my hands hand raised, but h sorry.

Darlington Wleh: thank you. Because I'm not seeing it. That's weird. Go ahead.

Laurentine Djatsa: Okay. Yeah.

Darlington Wleh: I see it. Lauren, go ahead.

Laurentine Djatsa: So, regarding membership, I just wanted to suggest something. I noticed that we organize a lot of programs locally and I don't know if we keep record of attendance and apart from the regular hubs we know the official hubs that interet has we also have people who have constituted hubs for Cardano and they have members. So maybe we could encourage those people to get their members registered on the portal.

Laurentine Djatsa: Even if it is only as associate members, at least they could be receiving updates and eventually decide to upgrade their membership states status because not a lot of things are going on but when we look at the numbers I wonder if it is only those people that we have been able to reach So even here in Bkinaaso I think I have that problem also. I have some members who registered so I'm thinking that if those communities to get their members participants to register so that they can know more about intersect it will also help with membership.

Darlington Wleh: H That's a good segue into our next line item.

Laurentine Djatsa: on the

Darlington Wleh: But before we go into the hubs u update, any other comment? I thought I heard someone else starting to speak, yeah, the hubs, right? it's a funny sticky situation.

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Darlington Wleh: cuz I don't know if we can just directly ask the hubs to do anything at this level at this point in time but what are we thinking about Fanny where are we let's just get an update on hubs and if you're able to I didn't see a meeting come through or anything but where are you with next steps for the hubs conversation and Getting involved. f***.

Fanny wijaya: I just read the message from Sanjaya today that maybe I want to talk to and ael for the next meeting regarding hugs something that we can do. this one you create the group and...

Fanny wijaya: discord but I say hello everyone but nobody reply I think I don't know

Darlington Wleh: Yeah. Yeah.

Darlington Wleh: Go ahead, Sanji.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: So I have been actually trying to reach out to the hub managers to get their intake on this and I actually wanted to speak to the Sri Lankan hub manager as well but he's still in Japan. So probably in another couple of days I'll be able to reach out to him and I've also realized that the Japan hub has shut down. but I think we're currently down to five hubs now. So it's tricky situation...

Fanny wijaya: Okay.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: but I am trying to get the existing hub managers maybe on a call before the next MCC and hopefully me Fenny and Akil will have something for you guys by next week.

Darlington Wleh: I wonder...

Darlington Wleh: if we need to pivot from this existing hub business. because from my observation just in the community it seems like pretty much only the WA and...

Fanny wijaya: Okay. Okay.

Darlington Wleh: the Sri Lanka hubs are still doing things. I've not seen anything out of Europe. Japan is shut down. I've not seen anything out of North America since that one event last year or earlier this year. so I mean that's...

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: If a hub has been inactive for a couple of months, is it possible for that hub title to be awarded to someone else who is willing to take up work there? How does I'm not too sure about that process.

Darlington Wleh: what I'm saying. Hey, I wonder if we need to sort of this part of this too is anything we do has I don't know...

Fanny wijaya: Okay.

Darlington Wleh: how much funding can be involved right because there was no funding on intersect budget around hub specifically so I don't know if yes go ahead AB

Darlington Wleh:

Abhik Nag: Yeah, I just want to shed some light on the hubs.

Abhik Nag: I mean, we were all down to renewing the hubs, init. I mean, we put a lot of effort into it. Hannah who worked on even myself in the early stage of hubs. I mean, Sri Lanka hub was because I pushed Sri Lanka with Sheldon. I remember that. and it's just sad that the Reps didn't see a value in this because I just felt that it's either they're not informed or there was a communication gap.

Abhik Nag: I mean this is the past but I just want to shed some light that the Riffs probably didn't see the value in the hubs maybe because there was a communication gap but I mean text you can chime into it but we did so much of communication we've retweeted every tweet of Sri Lanka I mean if still I mean the dre don't see a valley I don't know I mean you guys did Sri Lanka Japan every hub did an amazing job last year it's just I'm speaking

Abhik Nag: it's just a huge loss for us for these hubs it just is from a membership perspective, too, Because we can't be in every country, right? So,...

Terence McCutcheon:

Abhik Nag: we need these hubs and so yeah, that's my take. I mean, the value for hubs is humongous from intersect side. We still feel it is. So, yeah.

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Sanjaya Wanigasekera: SAPS, the MCC is currently looking at acting as a advisory role for the hubs that still want to operate under intersect. but at the same time, we really can't push them with KPIs and stuff like that until we know exactly where the hubs stand within intersect. is there any idea? Do you guys have any idea what future plans for the hubs are?

Darlington Wleh: Thanks.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Based on that, maybe we can maybe bring up a drop a plan as to what we can actually do.

Terence McCutcheon: So, from what I know, there was a relatively decent structure that was set forth or proposed for the hubs to follow. I don't think the answer is as simple as the DREPs didn't see the value. I really think it's that there were too many conflicting proposals and I don't remember if the hubs were a separate portion of the MCC proposal, but having separate proposals or not having enough strength behind a generally narrated community hub proposal may have been more the issue.

Terence McCutcheon: So I think the issues with that not making it into the 39 40 proposals whatever that went up was just a matter of not having enough importance compared to the rest of it for whatever reason that was. I don't know. U but I do know that there was a working group that spent quite a bit of time and when everything did come out including a proposal it kind of at the very least it came out the last minute for Gov tool. Then it was just something else that was on Ecclasia. And, again, we could probably even attribute some level of voter fatigue to it in terms of I've got to look at another thing. And then there were individual hubs that wanted to spin up requesting funds as opposed to coming to Intersect and working with the group.

Terence McCutcheon: So again, I'm posing a theory that there may have been an outright decline to say let's not do anything with hubs until they all figure out one strengthened approach. so I don't know exactly what that means. I definitely would let's establish some baselines. Let's reform that on the community hubs working group. is try to engage some of those individuals, but then let's also go back to the gov tool budget proposals and go and contact those people directly and...

Terence McCutcheon: say, "Hey, you were trying to start a hub. There was a conflicting proposal. Just curious if you're famili with Intersect and why aren't we doing this all together?" because more likely than not, if I understand it correctly, those individual proposals are going to go down every single time. So that would be my input.

Darlington Wleh: So to Fanny and...

Darlington Wleh: Sanjay, I wonder because another possible conversation that happened when the hubs proposal got dropped is potentially a hubs or some kind of community specific category for fund 15.

Darlington Wleh: I wonder if we did take the original proposal that was put on the ballot and maybe even scale it down and try to do something meaningful but as minimumly viable in as possible, and try to maybe I would say if we can do an initial hub thing for half the ask we're asking the volunteer for maybe we take that to do a presentation of catalyst and see what they think for fun 15 if that can be a category maybe and catalyst also fun 15 is trying to do this whole

Darlington Wleh: new thing on KPIs and proof and those kinds of things. And I feel like if some of these communitydriven proposal, a lot of them, the events proposal, if all of those will sort of pitch and anchor to a hub, it could be easy for that for KPIs for that category to work very well and be very So that could be an enticing pitch for catalyst sort of aligns with some of the fund 15 aspirations.

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Darlington Wleh: with that being said, because even before I stood up that group and I also tried to get the hubs people to come here and I think when Mercy showed up right u but also we had other events happening at the time and stuff so I don't know if that played a role but I wonder if it's time to cast a wider nest than just the current hub places. I think going through the gov tools and seeing all the other people who are trying to do hubs definitely invite those people.

Darlington Wleh: but maybe we can also get something in the next communication that comes out from Intersect on the email about hubs. Yeah.

Abhik Nag: I can assure you India wants a hub. Maybe not one or two. I know Sharon's been asking for seeing how we can do because we've been doing a lot of things in various events in India. So, India's so large. I mean, we probably need a south and a east or north hub because, it's a one hub would not be able to take care of all the regions of India. But yeah, I mean definitely it's there. mean the want is there. It's just...

Darlington Wleh: Yeah, I know...

Abhik Nag: how we can make it happen.

Abhik Nag: That's all.

Darlington Wleh: what you mean. I mean, in Nairobi, we're spending our own money just because why not to do the hub activities, I think we've got three activities so far and each time 80 to 100 people show up. so I will say we cast some of instead of just it would be nice if the current leads join, but at this point we've reached out to them three different times now. Text have sent them added them to the invite. I've put them in a group. Penny have said hi.

Darlington Wleh: So, we try to reach out to some new people who's thinking about starting a hub and then let's just schedule something and get everybody in the same room. I don't know if you guys will go through that proposal and it would be good if we start the conversation from a hey this is all the work that's been done. This is what's currently on the table.

Fanny wijaya: Good. Okay.

Darlington Wleh: and maybe clean it up a little bit versus just having everybody chime in. so we'll be talking for 3 months and nothing will happen. taking some lead and agency on a proposal and a way forward and then people can have feedback and input that would be good. yeah.

Darlington Wleh: Does that sound like an okay plan? I try to get some new potential future hub spots. Okay, cool.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Sounds good.

Darlington Wleh: Anything else on this? Lauren King, you were in a hub working group. Any comment from you?

Laurentine Djatsa: Yeah, I was there and when somebody just asked in this meeting that we should u talk to the police to find out why they ended. I mean you mentioned that people are not having activities apart from Wada and Sri Lanka and it is true. I think it is because of the proposal that did not go through because I remember there was a proposal to even extend the number of hubs and so many people were interested they were thinking about a certain number of per region in Africa America and the rest of the world so...

Laurentine Djatsa: but I think it is just because of funding that maybe some of them have stopped their activities and if they don't have any other fun to keep going. I don't think it is possible. So I think this is the main reason why people stop their activities.

Darlington Wleh: Okay. ...

Darlington Wleh: onward and forward. Let's see what we can do with catalyst. And if not, I don't know when the next governance conversation will get started again. and then if we can get a category in catalyst, we should probably get clarity from the business if committees can put in catalyst proposals. Yes, that could be a thing.

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Darlington Wleh: to provide support in a different way. I will throw that back to you guys, Fenny and San for getting those people in the room. the last thing we have for today is the committee elections. last time I checked, MCC had five applications.

Darlington Wleh: I don't know if that's gone up. and then TSC and another committee had zero. Do we have an update on the numbers text?

Terence McCutcheon: As of this morning,...

Terence McCutcheon: TSC was the only one without a single application. However, budget committee, civics, and product committee only had one applicant. yeah, MCC was already at five, but if you are expiring and you're willing to continue, please and encourage your friends to apply. Please it's not just a blanket like we're trying to have applications to show face or save face or anything like that. No, we really do need some willing contributors.

Terence McCutcheon: we understand that there are quite a few out there and if you are in such a position there's no requirement to do this but maybe you can offer a part of or paying someone's membership fee for the first year so they can try it out right. I'm kind of pulling out all the stops with that. I don't want that to catch fire and put us in a tough situation. And I'm just saying if you know someone, they'd be good for it, but they're somehow not feeling comfortable enough to do it, maybe that's something that you can help aid in that regard. but nonetheless, I mean, it's \$10 or 10 ADA. I don't want to say that everyone has 10 ADA, but I don't think anybody has much less than 10 ADA. so if they're out here, if they're doing the deal, they got to have something.

Terence McCutcheon: But it's a really great honor to get involved, and there is that compensation piece that's the best news that I have right now, and not compensation so much as it is a reward. Again, the naming of that has changed, but take a look and reflect at the impact that you've been able to have or feel that If you haven't been able to feel the impact of you feel free to reach out to me directly. More than happy to have that conversation, and yeah, I mean, I'm not sure what else I can say, but we got to get out there. We got to pump those membership numbers,...

Terence McCutcheon: figure out why people maybe didn't renew and encourage them to get back in the members area and get involved. We got until the 24th. so that is a week and change. So that 10 days from now, there's still quite a bit of time to actually apply. So if you haven't reached out to anybody, now's the time to do it. Please go and do it. there's plenty of time for you to reach out, have that conversation, and they can get registered and apply. So October 24th,...

Darlington Wleh: We have...

Darlington Wleh: until when? should we are there talks about pushing that or

Terence McCutcheon: noon UTC. Yeah. So we have a schedule for expose that are going out. So Darlington, your video is going to be uploaded to MCC. I think tomorrow is your day. the TSC just went out this morning. about an hour ago. The OSC is going to go out in another couple of hours. grab the post from another committee, obviously grab the MCC post. if you all as MCC want to make another post that is different than the video post, then let me know. So

Darlington Wleh: Should we do some memes? What do you guys think? Boas. How do you feel about memes?

BOAZ BANDU BALUME: Sorry I can't get it to no I don't know...

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Darlington Wleh: Should we do some memes to to solicit sign up for committees positions?

BOAZ BANDU BALUME: why people are not really submitting maybe I don't really know.

Darlington Wleh: Yeah,...

BOAZ BANDU BALUME: So I know the way we can call up people to sign up and be candidates for the committees. Maybe we can show them why they should be in committees.

BOAZ BANDU BALUME: So okay...

Darlington Wleh: those videos are coming out, I think, from all the different committees. I'm just wondering if we should do anything else after those videos are out, in Okay.

BOAZ BANDU BALUME: if there are some interest we can share with people we have to know them. Kids.

Darlington Wleh: I'll say for now, these videos when they go out, are they coming from the main Intersect channel or see from the MC's.

Terence McCutcheon: The video is going to be posted from the MCC channel,...

Darlington Wleh: So each committee is posting from their channel.

Terence McCutcheon: correct? I'm sorry.

Darlington Wleh: And then are they being retweeted by Intercept just to be honest.

Terence McCutcheon: One more time.

Darlington Wleh: Are these videos then being retweeted by Intersect by the main channel?

Terence McCutcheon: Yes. Yeah,...

Darlington Wleh: Okay.

Terence McCutcheon: and they are on the Intersect YouTube as well.

Darlington Wleh: One thing we could do once they are out, we could probably do a thread either from the MCC Twitter or the Intersect Twitter of all of them in one thread linking to the previous post.

Darlington Wleh: that's always helpful. I know we can try to get a retweet on that, we can think about the threat thing. We can think about whether we should do another posting campaign after the video is out and then we just wait for all the videos to come out. So, I guess watch out when the video come out. Retweet from your account if you feel like Hopefully, you do. that's all I have for today. Any other business or do we take the five minutes back?

Darlington Wleh: Okay, 5 minutes back is Fanny. Yes,...

Fanny wijaya: May I propose to Indonesian to be intersect.

Darlington Wleh: someone's interested should come to that meeting. I mean, at this point, I say, yeah, anybody who's interested in having a hub in any region, let's get them in that room.

Fanny wijaya: I will tell Andreas.

Darlington Wleh: Yeah. Yeah. Yeah. And...

Fanny wijaya: Eight.

Darlington Wleh: if you can share the news app with the potential Indian folks, the different regions if they can I don't know...

Abhik Nag: Mhm. Just

Darlington Wleh: if the intersect member or not on how we're going to get a hold of them.

Fanny wijaya: Okay. I don't know.

Darlington Wleh: I guess that's the question Fanny. How are we going to invite these potential hub So

maybe...

Fanny wijaya: I think

Darlington Wleh: what we can do when you have a meeting schedule,...

Fanny wijaya: Mhm. Yeah.

Darlington Wleh: you can put a tweet together for text to send out with the meeting link or...

Fanny wijaya: Okay. Okay.

Darlington Wleh: something. I don't know if it will get spam or not but with the media link and if people who are interested can sign up and attend that meeting.

Darlington Wleh: Okay. Yes. AB

Abhik Nag: Just want to mention that this always comes up and...

Abhik Nag: I have to give thanks to texts on this that we do remind every committee that during our town hall there is a segment for the MCC and all the other committees. So any of you guys want to come up this town hall talk about it's better coming from you guys rather than us talking at the town hall saying hey membership renewal so I know it was Darlington last time...

Darlington Wleh: Yeah.

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Abhik Nag: if someone else wants to come up maybe Fanny Lorenton or even Shanz anyone or anyone's welcome I mean I know Darlington's

Abhik Nag: our darling for at the town hall. But we would love to have new faces coming in from the committees and just talking about so highly encourage any of you guys to come in. It's on the 30th text. Did I change? Do you remember? Do you remember...

Terence McCutcheon: I've continually changed it in Discord according to your changes.

Abhik Nag: if I changed the date?

Fanny wijaya: Yeah. Yeah.

Abhik Nag: Let me just check again. Yeah. Yeah. No. Absolut No, no, no, no. because I'm looking at all the other committee meetings and I'm like, " my god, I don't want to do it at the same time." so yeah,...

Darlington Wleh: Yes.

Abhik Nag: this is happening on the 30th of October, right before Halloween's on the 31st,...

Abhik Nag: Great. I'm going to have Sorry.

Terence McCutcheon: Better make sure you're at an hour.

Terence McCutcheon: Said better make sure you're at an hour. Otherwise, you're going to overrun my committee meeting.

Abhik Nag: No, don't do anything. Texas is like,...

Fanny wijaya: Hi.

Abhik Nag: let's put it up a bit. God Oops. Sorry, I didn't want to I swear. yeah, but yeah. So yeah, that's

Abhik Nag: Definitely. So 30 of October, we're going to have the town hall. So any of you guys are interested, let me let Pex know or myself or Darlington so we can, let the community know what's going on at MCC. Cool. Yep.

Darlington Wieh: That sounds great. Lenny, I would say we should definitely have the first meeting before the 30th, but then yes, maybe you or Sanjaya can go visit the town hall too and...

Fanny wijaya: I'm just saying.

Darlington Wleh: then update people also about happening with hubs and invite people to whatever the next meeting will be. Okay, you guys all right?

Abhik Nag: Okay. Thank you.

Abhik Nag: Thanks. Bye.

Darlington Wleh: Thanks everyone. Instax.

Abhik Nag: Bye. Bye. Bye. Thanks. Thanks. Bye.

Fanny wijaya: Thank you.

Sanjaya Wanigasekera: Thank you everyone.

Fanny wijaya: Thank you everyone.

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