

Democraciv Guidelines

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Community Rules

Mainly, remember to keep cool and don't be a jerk, and you'll be okay. We do have a few rules, though. These apply to the Subreddit, Discord, Videos, and all other moderated areas of Democraciv.

1. You must register to participate in elections, run for or hold office, or join a political party.
2. No NSFW content. Swearing is tolerated unless it is deemed excessive or especially obscene.
3. No harassment or doxxing of any kind.
4. No spamming or excessing pinging other members. Spamming advertisements will result in an immediate, permanent ban.
5. No discrimination (including racism, sexism, Nazism, homophobia, transphobia, etc.) is allowed. This does not apply to in-game cultures – it's fine to roleplay tensions between other civilizations that appear in the game, so long as it isn't seen as offensive outside of the game.
6. No impersonation of other members. This includes changing your Discord name to that of another user. [This is due to past situations where people were nearly banned by mistake, and it makes life as a Moderator really difficult.]
7. No cheating, including voting multiple times, holding multiple offices, or the use of alt accounts for any political purposes.

8. If you are warned by a moderator for any reason, and don't stop, you may be muted or kicked from Discord or other chats.

Any violation of these rules should be reported to moderation. If you disagree with something a moderator does, you may report them to the moderation oversight council. Absolute abuse that violates Reddit's rules by a moderator should be addressed to Reddit admins.

Moderation Charter

Duties

Moderators are to enforce the rules, maintain the Subreddit and other parts of Democraciv, oversee elections, maintain the registry, and settle any disputes outside of the game. They may also assist the government if requested, so long as they maintain neutrality as moderators.

No moderator may use their position for political gain or cheating.

Guidelines

Voter Registration

In order to participate in Democraciv, you must register to vote. If you do not register, you will not be able to join any parties or run for or hold any office.

Registration is overseen by moderation. No one outside of Moderation is allowed to access sensitive voter information. Voters will be required to login to Google to access the form, and must choose a PIN. PINs and any other sensitive information is not to be shared outside of moderation. Banned members will have their registration disabled, and cannot re-register while their ban is active.

Elections

Elections will be held with moderation on a scheduled basis. Any registered member may vote in these elections. Prior to an election, notifications will be sent to registered voters (unless they opt-out of notifications).

All ballots will be validated to prevent cheating. All validated ballots are to be counted, even if incomplete, unless the voter asks to rescind their vote.

Any tampering with ballots is a bannable offense.

Constitution Guidelines

The core of Democraciv is the Constitution. For each version of Democraciv, a new constitution will be written. This defines the roles and limitations of government.

Guidelines for a Constitution:

1. The Constitution does not supersede this document or moderation decisions.
2. The Constitution may not place limitations on moderation or mandate moderation actions.
3. The Constitution must have clear and accessible rules on amendments. If the constitution cannot be reasonably amended, a reasonable alternative may be determined by Moderation.
4. The Constitution must clearly define a government.

Outside Servers and Subreddits

Members may create additional Discord servers and subreddits for Democraciv, such as party Discords. The rules for Democraciv apply, and these may not be used for cheating. These servers must be accessible to Moderation on request, if the creators wish for Democraciv guidelines to apply to them.

Democraciv Streaming and Social Media Guidelines

Democraciv's video channels may be used for game Streams, community events, election broadcasts, news, or other videos by the Democraciv community. Social media may be used for news, notifications, and discussion of Democraciv-related topics.

- All community rules in Democraciv apply to videos and social media.
- No sharing of the Twitch Stream key. A unique key can be provided to streamers.
- All game music must be muted during the stream. Any music used in videos must be public domain or Creative Commons. We've had issues with

outrageous copyright claims in the past over in-game music, and don't want any more videos pulled or muted over this.

- The channels may not be used for harassment or illegal activities.
- Streams and videos may be monitored by Moderation. This means Moderators have the right to sit in during streams, and may take action on videos that violate the rules.
 - A moderator may not use this privilege to sit in on streams for political reasons.
- Other Demogames may be promoted within reason, but social media and videos are never to be used for spamming or harassment.