Meeting to build consensus on "Create a new user-facing core theme" idea

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Agenda

- Summarize the idea and goals including the original incentives of the key people
- Demo versus training? The current idea is the demo, but do we benefit from having a demo?
 - We might have to do both to convince the people
- Can the theme be beneficial even if it is the primary goal is not to be a framework?
 What're the advantages of not being a framework?
 - We don't need to make it a framework
- Discuss how we should make the critical decisions on ideas in future. The current process in place lacks any negotiation. Also, we should ensure that both parties are equally responsible for compromising.
- Go through any other outstanding concerns and build consensus.
- Be clear on the audience
 - o Technical evaluator of Drupal would be the main audience

"As long as you are fine with throwing away what you have built, this can be useful for you"

What this theme is for

- A demo for a technical evaluator
 - IT department inside a big company
 - o A self starter inside a smaller company or smaller Drupal agency

What this theme is **not** trying to be:

- A theme that big companies to demonstrate big wow features (but it could eventually become the starting point for such a thing)
- A starting point for production sites
- Update the proposal

Demonstrate Drupal core concepts (not flashy features)
Success = convince people that they can build their idea with Drupal

"Out of the box initiative"