# Community SIP call #37 Topic: Open discussion

Friday 17th March 2023





# BACKGROUND



# What is a SIP?

#### SIP stands for: Stacks Improvement Proposal

A SIP is the standard method employed to promote ideas, changes and improvements to the Stacks protocol, a "formal document" to introduce "new features or processes to the network". SIPs can change anything from consensus rules to community standards or development processes within the protocol. (e.g. SIP-012)

#### Ratified SIPs

- SIP-000: The Stacks Improvement Proposal Process
- SIP-001: Burn Flection
- SIP-002: The Clarity Smart Contract Language
- SIP-003: Stacks P2P Network
- SIP-004: Cryptographic Commitment to Materialized Views
- SIP-005: Blocks, Transactions, and Accounts
- SIP-006: Clarity Cost Execution Assessment
- SIP-007: Stacking Consensus
- SIP-008: Clarity Parsing and Analysis Cost Assessment
- SIP-009: Standard Trait Definition for Non-Fungible Tokens
- SIP-010: Standard Trait Definition for Fungible Tokens
- SIP-012: Burn Height Selection for a Network Upgrade to

Stacks 2.05 Introduce New Cost-Limits





### What this call is about?

Update overall
SIP status

\*Share your idea/proposal

Collaborate to improve Stacks

- share ideas & see how the SIP community can help you develop it further
- make your case why your SIP should be considered / prioritized
- Gauge interest or <u>feedback</u> on your proposal
- Share general governance & blockchain improvements you'd like to see



# SIP STATUS UPDATE



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#### Early Ideas





#### Request for Comments (RFC)













#### Accepted stage

#### \*Please submit SIP ideas!

#### **Activation-in-Progress stage**

SIP-018: Signed Structured Data (Marvin)

\*Awaiting for Stacks 2.1 to go live

SIP-019: Notifications for Token Metadata Updates (Rafael & Matthew)

\*awaiting 2 more adopters (3 metadata indexers)

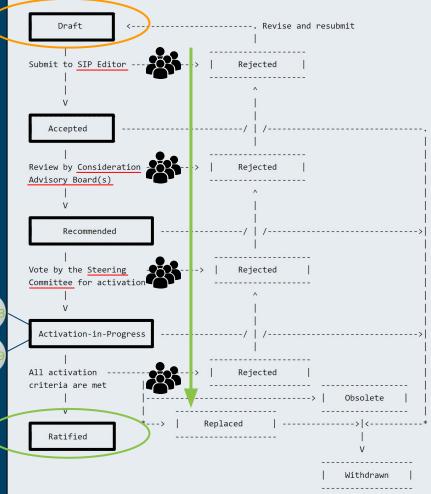


#### \*Ratified\*

Awaiting for Stacks 2.1 to go live to ratify SIP-015, 20, 18



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# Stacks 2.1 go live 🔥 21st March approx.



HeroGamer / 4 — Stacks 2.1 live mid-March @herogamer... · 13h

Mid-March~end of March Stacks 2.1 live.

■ JakeBlockchain.btc - Built on Bitcoin Podcast @JakeBl... · 18h Stacks 2.1 upgrade has a target activation date.

#Bitcoin block height 781,551 (currently 776890) ETA roughly ~30 days.



# RE-STACK your \$STX if you are stacking



Xverse - Ordinals Support LIVE! @xverseApp · 42m

4/ 3 What do I need to do?

All current pool users will have their STX unlocked by the protocol after the upgrade.

You will need to RE-STACK with the pool to participate in the next cycle.

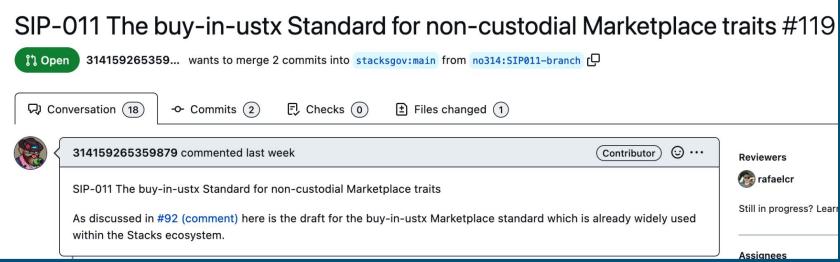
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- Pull Request initiated
- Rafael (SIP Editor) gave a quick first pass
- SIP Editors will discuss how to agree for it to be "Accepted" any concern?
- Help take workload off core eng reviewers

## SIP Editors - early RICE evaluation for SIPs

#### Stacks SIP process RICE scoring log sheet

Description: XXX This is an example spreadsheet for prioritizing project ideas using the RICE scoring system.

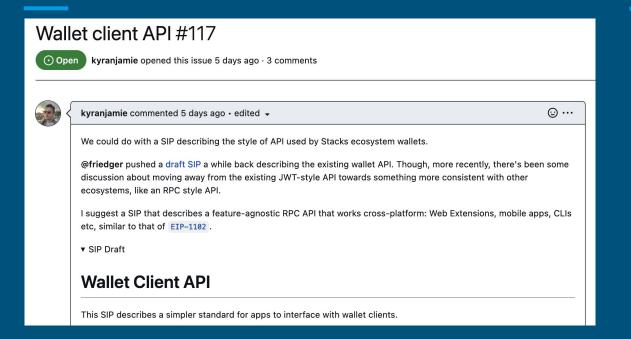
For more details, about the methodology: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1cHtJrdxMV z70QRJZmbG0B968Upsl tlfBLsQowLh70/edit#

| Owner                     | Project name                        | % of network   | Reach   | <u>Impact</u>   | Confidence  | <u>Effort</u>  | RICE score                    | Date scored  | Who scored      |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|---|---|---|--|-------------------------------|--|-----------------|
| Enter SIP<br>owner's name | Insert SIP number & name            | Insert a % of<br>network that will<br>be impacted by<br>this SIP | How many<br>people will this<br>feature impact?<br>Number of<br>people per year | Pick a number,<br>higher the more<br>impactful<br>Massive — 3x<br>High — 2x<br>Medium — 1x<br>Low — 0.5x<br>Minimal — 0.25x | How easy it<br>would be to<br>implement?<br>Higher % the<br>more confident<br>you are about its<br>feasibility. | Insert a number<br>for how many<br>"person-months"<br>required.<br>Anything less<br>than 1 month is a<br>0.5 | Score will be auto populated. | Pick a date when it was scored                         |                 |
| e.g. Rafael               | e.g. SIP-019 - Metadata Updates     | e.g. if  | e.g. reaches 40000<br>per year (10K per<br>quarter)                             | e.g 2, as it will be<br>used by<br>marketplaces, and<br>therefore affects all<br>NFTs in the<br>ecosystem                   | e.g. 80%  | e.g. type "2" for it<br>takes two people to<br>complete using one<br>month time                              |                               | e.g. score was<br>discussed as a<br>gropu on 3/15/2023 |                 |
| Template                  | Template                            |  | 0   | Pick a ▼  | Pick a % ▼  | 0  |                               | 3/15/2023  |                 |
|                           |                                     |  |   |   |   |  |                               |  |                 |
| Rafael                    | SIP-019 - Metadata                  |  |   | •   | •   |  |                               |  |                 |
| Werner                    | SIP-011 - list microSTX trait       | 90%  | 250,000   | 2 ▼   | 100% ▼  | 2  | 250,000                       | 3/16/2023  | Group effort or |
| Werner                    | SIP-022 - List any token type trait | 90%  | 300,000   | 2 ▼   | 80% ▼   | 3  | 160,000                       |  |                 |
| Werner                    | SIP-023 - ??                        |  |   | 2 ▼   | 50% ▼   | 1  | 0                             |  |                 |
| Setzeus                   | Non-custodial NFT Staking           |  |   | 1 ▼   | 50% ▼   | 3  | 0                             |  |                 |
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#### Web Client API SIP

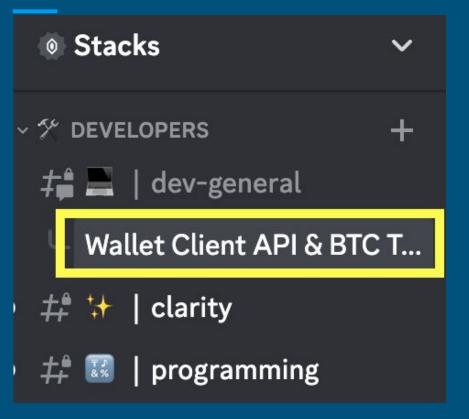


Need wider discussion in the Ordinals world





#### Web Client API - discussion



- Wallet providers

- All builders who
  might be making
  "BTC" calls to interact
  with their apps
- Supports BTC L1 & L2,
   Ordinals



# Future SIP requesting early feedback

### RFC: L1 Speed Improvements 🎤



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10h

Hey folks,

This is an outline of a set of proposals for the L1 Working Group to make the Stacks blockchain faster. All of these require a hard fork to execute, so there will eventually be a SIP that proposes them. I'm putting this outline here to solicit early feedback on the design. This is by no means a final draft. These proposals, if deemed acceptable, will eventually find their way into a SIP.

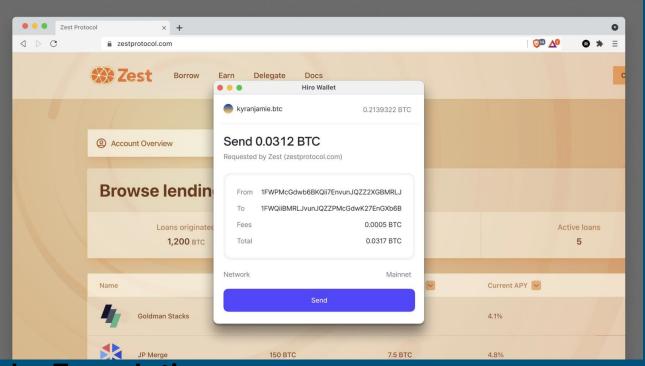
# Open Floor

Questions

- Gauge interests
- Ideas/proposals
   Feedback/Improvement

- Q. How should we handle SIP/BIP standard development e.g. Wallet Client API? Q. Offer an example a sBTC task being worked on?
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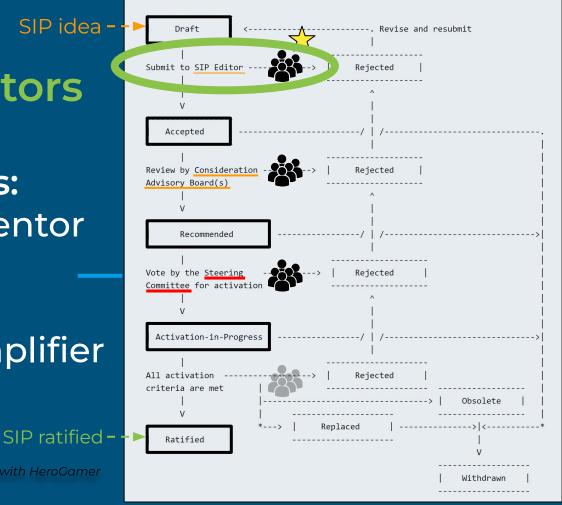
# Wallet APIs Why now?





### Call for: SIP Editors

- Responsibilities:
  - Technical mentor
  - Reviewer
  - Welcomer
  - Educator/amplifier





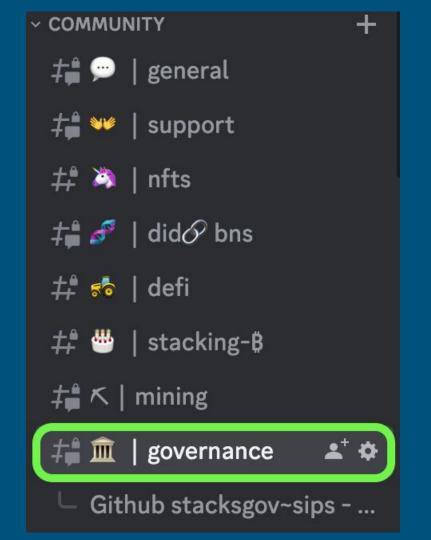
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# You can find us here in discord:

#governance

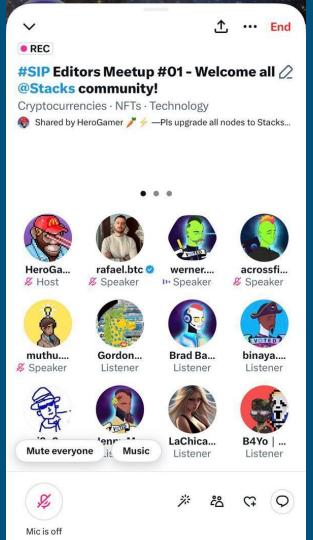
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### SIP Editors now on:

**#Twitter Space!** 





# Topics covered in this call

Open Discussion EcosystemDAO SIP voting process & criteria Safe Transfer SIP General SIP process SIP Voting I VOTED sticker SIP-019 Notification for Metadata update Stacks 2.1 upgrade Taproot integration SIP for Non-custodial NFT Staking Standardization of Bitcoin derivation Path **Stacks Code of Conduct** Consideration Advisory Boards (CABs) **sBTC Mining Decentralization** 



# Thanks everybody for coming! See you next week!



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# Back up slides

# Who are the CABs?

17 CAB members + 7 WG members from all across Stacks community.. More to come..





 If I've missed you or 2) if you are interested, or 3) if you think someone would be suitable, please message me! Stacks Forum ideas, reviews, comments

Github stacksgov/sips

# How can I get involved?

Consideration **Advisory Boards** (CAB)

**SIP Editors** 

Many ways!

More in the future!

**Testnet code** mentors

**SIP Writers** 



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# Near future

- Inviting and assemble the CAB members & provide guides to activate the CABs
- **☐** Inviting Steering Committee member (s)
- Start liaizing about Stacks 2.1 upgrade SIP promo/education, voter turnout etc.
- Integrating SIP stages labelling on Stacks Forum
- Integrating SIP channel in Stacks discord
- **□** Labelling of SIP issues on Github
- **□** Template questions for:
  - **☐** Brainstorm ideas on Stacks Forum & SIP channel
  - ☐ Community SIP presentation
- Input into EcosystemDAO (that can help navigate, educate and enhance SIP voting)
- Stacks Foundation