RADIX DAO · WHAT GOVERNANCE TALKED ABOUT

Radix DAO Weekly

The week in governance, without the scroll-back

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Telegram + RadixTalk

COMMUNITY MOOD · DAY BY DAY

5/10 · same as last week



Previously: the x402/CAIP Temperature Check passed quorum, Daffy flagged a Constitution Proposal within four weeks, and L prepared to release the OTER governance platform.

Governance talk this week centred on the council's communication gap — Phil Gibson criticized 34 days without an RAC update — and on transition progress, where a detailed update from BassPhil confirmed the Operating Agreement is approved and the Marshall Islands filing is days away. A technical debate also continued on how much governance can be automated.

474
MESSAGES

153
PEOPLE TALKING

Monday
BUSIEST DAY

0
NEW MEMBERS

MESSAGES / DAY



peak 110/day · most active: [illegible]

WHAT THE ROOM TALKED ABOUT

RAC communication standards

Phil Gibson criticized the council for going 34 days without an update and asked for communication guardrails to be built into the permanent RAC election. Others replied that RAC members work in their free time and recent progress shows things are moving.

driven by Phil Gibson, projectShift, J W

DAO transition progress and timeline

BassPhil posted a detailed update: the Foundation approved the Operating Agreement, tranche 2 of the grant is received, the Marshall Islands submission is expected within days, and the Charter nears final form ahead of a high-threshold ratification vote. Timan said the v3 codebase will be open-sourced on the radixdao GitHub this week.

driven by BassPhil, Timan, Daffy

Automating DAO governance

Daffy questioned whether an optimistic-oracle governance system fits Radix, noting treasury proposals rarely suit pure automation. L said the system targets milestone escrow, formula-derived payouts and parameter changes, not one-shot payments, and argued a working system invites better feedback than a proposal.

driven by Daffy, L, Seven

Permanent RAC candidacies grow

BassPhil reported at least 7 people have declared interest in the 7-seat permanent RAC, which can only be elected after Charter ratification. Giles Morris announced his candidacy in the forum's volunteer-delegate thread, and Majority Judgment voting is being implemented into the Consultation App.

driven by BassPhil, Giles Morris

THE BOTTOM LINE

REMEMBER THIS

The Foundation has approved the Operating Agreement and the Marshall Islands filing is expected within days, with at least seven people already interested in the permanent council.

NEXT WEEK

Watch for: the Marshall Islands submission, the open-sourced v3 codebase, and the promised round of DAO updates.

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From the council & the crowd

What the tracked voices said, and the week's best exchanges.

COUNCIL & INSIDER WATCH

No council room extracts this week, but BassPhil posted a comprehensive update in main chat: the Operating Agreement is approved, the Marshall Islands filing is days away, the Charter nears final form, and the permanent RAC election can only follow Charter ratification. projectShift said the RAC would find something to post despite there being little to report.

projectShift TRANSITION RAC

Called for civility during the week's heated exchanges, defended the RAC's communication record, and praised the DAO governance design as adversarially built and likely to become a template.

"I'm willing to bet we'll have the best god damn DAO 6 months in to running it and it will be copied as a template for future ones."

Daffy DAO CONTRIBUTOR

Questioned how far governance automation can go, and explained that AI-assisted development is safe when paired with proper testing, QA and manual review.

Timan DAO SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

Said the v3 codebase will be open-sourced on the radixdao GitHub before the end of the week, and expected DAO-related updates by the weekend.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

"Is it safe to let AI work on software that is important to the DAO?"

Yes, provided there is a good development process with testing, QA and manual code review; the hard part is validating the quality of the person driving the process.

ASKED BY MARKUS · ANSWERED BY DAFFY

DEBATE OF THE WEEK — HOW ACCOUNTABLE SHOULD THE COUNCIL BE

ONE SIDE

A council named for accountability cannot go 34 days without an update; communication standards should be enforced through the election rules.

THE OTHER

Members volunteer their free time, there is currently little to report, and relentless criticism discourages capable people from standing.

Still open — expect a rematch.

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Around the ecosystem

What shipped and launched, and the week's best lines.

HEARD IN THE ROOM

> *"What's funny is we get more DAO updates from Daffy and Timan who aren't even in the DAO."*
>
> — PHIL GIBSON

> *"This community is sometimes too funny, it should be studied"*
>
> — PROJECTSHIFT

> *"It wasn't built instead of the conversation, it was built to have a conversation about. A working thing people can poke at gets better feedback than a proposal describing one."*
>
> — L

THE PULSE

The mood: Frustrated but progressing — communication complaints ran up against genuinely encouraging transition news.

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The tracker

What the room expects to happen — and how last week's calls went.

PREDICTION TRACKER

PENDING — **DAO launches in around a month**
foxylady and Daffy reiterated this week that a vote requiring 10% of total supply should happen within a month.

PENDING — **Constitution Proposal runs within four weeks**

NEW — **Marshall Islands submission filed within days**

NEW — **Charter ratification vote within a month**

WORTH A CLICK

Volunteer delegate thread
radixtalk.com/t/rfp-volunteer-delegate-candidate-on-the-permanent-rac-

Where permanent RAC candidacies, including Giles Morris's, are announced.

radixdao GitHub
github.com/xstelea/consultation_v2/tree/main/packages/shared

Shared-logic package from the consultation dApp, open-sourced this week.

JARGON, DECODED

Operating Agreement — The legal document setting out how the DAO LLC is run, which the Foundation must approve before the Marshall Islands filing.

Majority Judgment — A voting method being added to the Consultation App in which voters grade candidates rather than pick one.

LINKS

THE CHAT THIS DIGEST READS
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Hyperscale Weekly

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