TSC Decision Log

As of 07 OCT 2021, the TSC decision log has moved to GitHub. File an issue there.

Outstanding Decisions

These proposals are currently up for discussion:

Title	Status	Blocking
DCI Working Group: Inclusive Naming Proposal	**APPROVED**	
Project maturity metrics / Badging	**PROPOSED**	
DCO Validation During Contribution Review	**PROPOSED**	None blocking, but Besu docs and Fabric docs are regularly impacted
DCO and Pseudonyms	**PROPOSED**	

Hint: Add the `closed` label to the decision if the decision has been resolved or remove the `decision` label if it should not show up in the decision log.

Closed Decisions

Hint: Add the `closed` label to the decision to make it appear here.

Title	Status	Outcome	Minutes Link
Hyperledger Explorer Promoted release v1.0.0	**WITHDRAWN**	Withdrawn by author	
Long Term Agenda - Framing	**RESOLVED**	rejected	16 SEP 2021
Restructure the Greenhouse to avoid confusion	**RESOLVED**	Work completed	
Introduce a mechanism for regular review of a project	**WITHDRAWN**		
What if a top level project does not meet its charter goal?	**RESOLVED**	Addressed with the publication of the guide on how to raise an issue with the TSC	
Eliminate Lab Sponsor requirement	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2021 04 15 TSC Meeting Record
Create Contributor Experience WG	**RESOLVED**	Rejected. People interested in this topic are welcome to join the Greenhouse task force where this topic is regularly discussed. When the Greenhouse task force ends a task force focusing on the Contributor Experience will be created if needed.	
Table consideration of the FireFly proposal for two months	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2021 06 03 TSC Meeting Record - Technical Steering Committee - Hyperledger Confluence
Criteria for entering Incubation	**RESOLVED**	PR Merged	See Incubation entry considerations

Move Hyperledger Quilt to Dormant state	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2021 06 17 TSC Meeting Record
End requirement to use Repolinter	**RESOLVED**	Approved unanimously	2021 06 17 TSC Meeting Record
Amendments to project incubation exit criteria	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2021 09 02 TSC Meeting Record - Technical Steering Committee - Hyperledger Confluence
Move Hyperledger Lab Firefly into a Project in Incubation	**RESOLVED**	The project was approved with 1 abstaining, 3 absent, and 11 approving.	2021 09 23 TSC Meeting Record - Technical Steering Committee - Hyperledger Confluence
Move TSC issues / decision log to GitHub	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2021 10 07 TSC Meeting Record
Common Repo structure	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2020 02 13 TSC Minutes
Add Dormant State to the Project Lifecycle	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2021 05 06 TSC Meeting Record
Working Group Quarterly Reports	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2020 02 06 TSC Minutes
Move Hyperledger Explorer from incubation to active status	**WITHDRAWN**		
Rename Active status and call it Graduated	**RESOLVED**	Approved: 9 in favor, 4 abstains.	08 APR 2021
Move Hyperledger Aries from Incubation to Active status	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2021 02 25
Common labels for contributors a la good first issue	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2021 02 18 TSC Meeting Record
Projects have two quarters to comply with common repo structure	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	28 JAN 2020
Add Insights dashboard reference to quarterly reports	**APPROVED**	Quarterly project reports to include relevant Insights data	
Rollover of projects tied to a single other project	**DEPRECATED**	This proposal was deprecated in favor of a broader one: What if a top level project does not meet its charter goal?	2020 12 03 TSC Minutes
3rd Party Nominations for the TSC?	**RESOLVED**	Nominations shall be posted to the TSC list and confirmed by the nominee in case of nomination by someone else.	2019 10 03 TSC Minutes
Allow projects to use CalVer or SemVer	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2020 09 17 TSC Minutes
TSC Election 2020-2021 Plan	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2020 08 13 TSC Minutes

TSC Election process approval	**RESOLVED**	The process and timeline shall be proposed by the HL staff to the TSC and affirmed by a vote on an annual basis no later than 1 month prior to the election.	2019 10 03 TSC Minutes
Move HIP process to GitHub	**RESOLVED**	Approved	This was on the mailing list.
Governing Docs to be consolidated into a git repo	**RESOLVED**	APPROVED	2020 05 21 TSC Minutes
Extend labs sponsors to SIG chairs	**RESOLVED**	Rejected	
Common Maintainers management policy	**RESOLVED**	APPROVED	2020 05 21 TSC Minutes
Move the Blockchain Integration Framework (BIF) lab to a Project	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2020 04 30 TSC Minutes
Solang project proposal	**WITHDRAWN**	Temporarily withdrawn by author	
TSC Election voters selection	**RESOLVED**	Passed	2020 02 20 TSC Minutes
Hyperledger Explorer major release v1.0.0	**RESOLVED**	Deprecated	Projects can now produce major releases at their discretion, including while in Incubation. See 2020 01 30 TSC Minutes.
WGs' purpose set to information exchange rather than production of deliverables	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 11 14 TSC Minutes
Should we have a different chat platform?	**WITHDRAWN**	Withdrawn at submitter request	
Forgo Active state requirement for First Major Release	**RESOLVED**	Rejected	2020 01 23 TSC Minutes
Security reporting policy on GH repos	**WITHDRAWN**	No TSC decision needed	
Move Besu from Incubation to Active status	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2020 03 26 TSC Minutes
TSC Election observers	**RESOLVED**	Rejected	2020 03 12 TSC Minutes
Community Diversity metric	**RESOLVED**	Yes. Community diversity metric will not change in the incubation exit criteria.	2019 12 19 TSC Minutes
Replace "Major Releases" with "Promoted Releases"	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2020 02 06 TSC Minutes. Related discussions in 2019 12 19 TSC Minutes, 2020 01 23 TSC Minutes, and 2020 01 30 TSC Minutes.

MAINTAINERS file content	**RESOLVED**	Deprecated	See Repository Structure Task Force
Management of quarterly reports to the TSC	**WITHDRAWN**	No change will transpire	There was a discussion on 05-DEC-2019 but the item was withdrawn at the request of the submitter.
Forgo the Project Lifecycle Incubation state	**RESOLVED**	Rejected. Incubation status will remain in the project lifecycle.	2019 12 19 TSC Minutes
WGs transition to TSIGs	**RESOLVED**	Rejected. Changed the WGs goal instead. See WGs' purpose set to information exchange rather than production of deliverables.	2019 11 14 TSC Minutes
WGs shall be dropped	**RESOLVED**	Rejected. Changed the WGs goal instead. See WGs' purpose set to information exchange rather than production of deliverables.	2019 11 14 TSC Minutes
Task-force extension	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2019 11 07 TSC Minutes
Task-force reporting	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2019 11 07 TSC Minutes
Task-force launch	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2019 11 07 TSC Minutes
Subprojects and project proposals	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2019 11 07 TSC Minutes
Subprojects house keeping	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2019 11 07 TSC Minutes
Subprojects not formally defined	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2019 11 07 TSC Minutes
Task-force formalization	**RESOLVED**	Unanimously approved	2019 11 07 TSC Minutes
Process for new projects that already have a history	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 08 08 TSC Minutes
When to name a Project	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 07 25 TSC Minutes
Projects not required to start as a lab	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 07 25 TSC Minutes
Unlimited Incubation period	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 07 25 TSC Minutes
Steps/Criteria /Policies for Releases after First Major Release	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 09 05 TSC Minutes
Criteria for First Major Release	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 09 05 TSC Minutes
Moving a Project to EOL	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 08 08 TSC Minutes
Inactive Projects	**RESOLVED**	Approved	2019 08 08 TSC Minutes

WGs product	**RESOLVED**	Deprecated	Working Group Task Force
WGs scope	**RESOLVED**	Deprecated	Working Group Task Force
Decision Log	**RESOLVED**	Use New TSC Decision Log page for summarizing all proposal statuses in combination with the new template	2019 10 31 TSC Minutes
TSC Co-chair/Vice-chair	**RESOLVED**	Add a vice-chair who can take over when the chair is not available. The first member to win the election is chair, the second is vice-chair.	2019 10 03 TSC Minutes
TSC Term limits	**RESOLVED**	No limit to TSC term	2019 10 10 TSC Minutes
TSC Term length	**RESOLVED**	Keep TSC term length to 1 year.	2019 10 10 TSC Minutes
TSC Size	**RESOLVED**	Extend the size of the TSC to 15 (pending Board approval), to take effect for the next election.	2019 10 10 TSC Minutes
TSC Quorum	**RESOLVED**	Any TSC member who fails to attend two consecutive TSC meetings will not be counted for purposes of determining quorum requirements as of the third consecutive meeting and until they next attend a TSC meeting.	2019 10 03 TSC Minutes
TSC Membership Diversity	**RESOLVED**	The TSC affirms that there should be no limits or quotas on TSC membership diversity	2019 10 10 TSC Minutes
TSC Election timing	**RESOLVED**	TSC elections shall be conducted in October, leaving September to finalize the data collection to determine who's allowed to vote and take nominations.	2019 10 03 TSC Minutes
TSC Election nominations	**RESOLVED**	Nominations shall be posted to the TSC list and confirmed by the nominee in case of nomination by someone else.	2019 10 03 TSC Minutes
Should the TSC have a secretary role?	**RESOLVED**	no TSC secretary role	2019 10 10 TSC Minutes