

# IBLSTW PDF 1 | A Snapshot--A Facet 7/27/25

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## Project Vision & Core Goal

Transcription and summary by Plaud

The primary goal is to build a community-driven ecosystem that identifies and solves real-world problems by leveraging members' collective skills, resources, and a shared financial fund. The vision is to empower individuals, launch artists and businesses through a community-first model, and create a self-sustaining system that bypasses traditional corporate and billionaire-centric structures, ultimately cutting out billionaires by enabling the community to decide what it wants, needs, and supports.

## Community Contribution & Data Collection

- **Information Required from Members:** To establish the community's foundation, individuals are asked to provide:
  - **Skills:** A comprehensive list of abilities (e.g., photography, music, graphic design, video editing, motion graphics, audio mixing, singing, guitar, dance, videography, plumbing, electrical, general maintenance, excellent listener, therapist).
  - **Contributions:** What they are willing to offer, such as time, resources, or mentorship.
  - **Needs:** What they require from the community.
  - **Personal Vision:** Dreams or aspirations for their future.
- **Feedback & Complaint System:**
  - A dedicated application will feature a feedback system for users to report anything they feel is "broken" in their lives or the world, including complaints about cell phone providers, relationships, what's upsetting or standing in their way, or things that are more expensive or stressful.
  - This collected data will guide which products, services, and problems the community prioritizes solving **which will be financed through the Fund.**

## Operational Structure: Action Teams

The community will be organized into specialized action teams:

- **Administration, Legal, and Leadership:** Oversees governance, legal frameworks, and overall direction.

- **Tech and Code:** Develops and maintains core technology, including the community application.
- **Algorithm Assistance:** A digital support team focused on boosting the visibility of community content through engagement (liking, commenting, sharing, and generally helping the algorithm see the content).
- **Content Creation and Marketing:** Produces and promotes content for community-backed projects.
- **Creator Collaborations:** Facilitates partnerships between creators, with potential for these collaborations to become permanent groups launched by the community.

## Economic Model: The Fund and Support System

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A central fund supports the community's economic activities, benefiting both artists and businesses.

- **Artist Launch Model:**
  - The community's marketing and algorithm teams fully support launching new artists.
  - A percentage of the artist's revenue is contributed to the central fund.
  - Artists are supported until they reach a \$5 million cap on the funds they receive, which they are then heavily assisted in investing intelligently.
  - Revenue beyond the \$5 million cap is reinvested into the fund to support the next community-backed artist.
- **Business Partnership Model:**
  - The community partners with and creates companies and product owners who agree to the same \$5 million cap.
  - Products and services developed using the anonymized community data are presented to the community for approval in a "Shark Tank" style entertainment format, where the community directly decides whether to support them ('yes, I want this service' or 'no, that's stupid').
  - Once approved, products receive full support from the community's marketing, tech, algorithm assistance, administration, legal, and leadership teams, and potentially creator collaborations acting as influencers, ensuring an immediate and engaged customer base and immediate launch.

## Governance and Decision-Making

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The fund and its operations are managed by the community through a structured, transparent process.

- **\*\*Ownership and Structure:\*\***The fund is owned by the people. While a credit union is suggested as a potential model, the final structure will be determined with the help of financial experts from within the community, emphasizing a ‘trust but verify’ approach to ensure accuracy.
- **Leadership Council:**
  - Decisions are guided by councils and sub-councils made up of genuine experts and practitioners from every industry, chosen for their common sense and ideals, not based on celebrity status, political affiliation, corporate ties, or personal agendas, but rather tied to science and observations of their industry.
  - Councils are intentionally diverse, ensuring representation of all faiths (genuine believers), racial diversity, gender diversity, and a range of ideologies (e.g., conservative Christians, LGBTQ individuals, hippie Democrats, corporate Democrats, urban folk, rural folk).
- **Decision-Making Process:**
  - Councils analyze community-collected data to propose solutions.
  - Proposals with consensus are presented to the people for final approval.
  - If consensus isn’t reached, both ideas are presented to the people for decision, shifting the focus from candidates or parties to problems and solutions, with a funding mechanism to bring these solutions to fruition.
- **\*\*Community Veto Power:\*\***The people retain ultimate authority. Any leadership decision can be vetoed with a **70% majority vote** from the community.

## Next Steps

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Collect information from all interested individuals regarding their skills, potential contributions, needs, and personal visions.

Form initial action teams (Admin/Legal, Tech, Algorithm Assistance, Marketing, Creator Collaborations) based on collected member skills.

Begin developing the dedicated application to house the feedback system, voting mechanism, and community platform.

Identify and consult with financial experts within the community to determine the best legal structure for the fund (e.g., credit union).

Start identifying and selecting diverse experts to form the leadership councils and sub-councils.

Use community questions to create additional content that clarifies the vision and mechanics.

Publicly share information and proposals to encourage constructive public comment and verification.

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## Project Vision: A Community-Driven Collaboration Platform

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A new initiative is underway to develop an application aimed at fostering community and friendship, specifically for individuals seeking meaningful connections and **collaboration**. The platform's core functionality will enable users to connect based on shared interests, skills, complementary abilities, and collective aspirations, with an impetus towards action. Acting as a "tinder for friends," the system allows users to find and collaborate with others who share their passions, such as musicians forming a band. The vision also includes mentorship, enabling experienced individuals to guide groups. Participants and guides are rated like Uber Drivers.

## Community Engagement and Content Generation Model

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The project prioritizes active community participation, encouraging individuals to contribute their unique skills and resources. Contributions may include providing views, comments, editing services, social media management, or simply being a supportive listener. This collaborative environment is designed to generate organic content through user-led collaborations, which will be showcased to the wider community in a "talent type show" format. **FUN**. This approach creates significant opportunities for user-generated content (UGC) and authentic community storytelling, highly valuable for public relations and marketing.

## Economic Framework and Growth Strategy

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The platform features a unique economic model: a \$5 million cap on funds **over living expenses for individuals**, with all additional proceeds reinvested into the community fund. Artists participating in collaborations will receive full community support, as well as opportunities to gain fans and access an engaged audience. This artist-centric, community-funded approach offers a compelling narrative for brand positioning and social impact. While the initial focus is on digital interactions, the long-term strategy includes facilitating in-person meetups within cities once there is sufficient user density, supporting scalable growth.

# Platform Integrity and User Trust

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To ensure a safe and trustworthy environment, the platform will implement security measures, including optional background checks for users who wish to be verified. This allows their label to be safe or labeled otherwise, providing an added layer of assurance for community members. Maintaining user trust and safety is essential for the platform's reputation and sustained growth.

## Next Steps

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Watch the explanatory video outlining the project's next steps, which is very informative.

Complete the survey to share your skills, needs, and aspirations, as it will determine who can do what, who needs what, and people's dreams.

Identify and offer specific contributions to the community (e.g., views, commenting, editing, social media management, being a supportive listener).

Ask questions where information might be missing and educate the project lead on what you know that they don't.

Engage constructively; avoid negativity, but observing and watching is welcome and still contributes to the project's success.

Consider all the platforms you can think of that are currently engaged in behaviors that are counter to your core beliefs. With this model, what can't we the people replace? Improve? Solve? Capped, compassionate capitalism where those who do great things are still rewarded but now there's a proposed finish line.