

## **AMENDMENT I**

### Hoge Ecosystem

#### *Section A: Ecosystem Management*

Any and all ecosystem projects (“Project”) shall be run autonomously and separately from Hoge Finance. Each Project will delegate at least one representative to interface with the Leadership Team and report periodic updates to the Leadership Team at least once per two weeks, irrespective of whether there are no developments or not.

#### *Section B. Ecosystem Inclusion*

Any and all projects that desire to join the Hoge Ecosystem must meet the following criteria and conditions:

1. Apply to join the Hoge Ecosystem by filling out an application to be available on the Hoge Finance homepage. Initial vetting will be made by the Leadership Team to determine if the applying project conforms to the general vision and standards of Hoge and they will evaluate the legalities of said project. Any applying project found to be violating the general vision and standards or otherwise violating any legal matters may result in a rejection at the discretion of the Leadership Team. Any such project may reapply after 30 calendar days if said issues related to the rejection are corrected.
2. Any Project that is applying to the Hoge Ecosystem must deliver tangible benefits to Hoge. Examples of tangible benefits can include continuous revenue to Hoge, directly and continuously augmenting the Hoge brand name or other such benefits to be at the discretion of the Leadership Team. These requirements will be reviewed by the Leadership Team upon the applying team demonstrating *how* their Project brings tangible benefits and value to Hoge.

3. Upon application and successful initial review of a Project, said Project will be granted an opportunity to present to the Hoge community at large their project in at least two voice/video AMAs and one written AMA. These AMAs will be on a social media platform as determined by the Leadership Team and notice of them will be pinned for visibility and will be posted on all of Hoge's social media channels.
4. A community snapshot vote will be presented to the community within 30 days. Said vote must meet all the standards of any community vote by passing a quorum vote of 10% of circulating supply.
5. If a successful snapshot vote favors the Project, said Project will begin integration into the Hoge Ecosystem as described further in Section C. If a vote fails or otherwise fails to meet quorum, the Project will be granted two more chances in subsequent votes, each of which must be at least 30 calendar days from the former. If a Project fails three times to get a favorable vote, the applying Project may apply again as described in the first step of Section B after a minimum of 30 calendar days.

### *Section C. Ecosystem Integration*

If a Project's snapshot vote is successful, they will officially join the Hoge Ecosystem and thus gaining access to, at least, the following benefits:

1. The Project will be featured on the Hoge Finance webpage as a partner of Hoge and be listed in the Ecosystem section of the webpage.
2. The Project can officially request assistance from Hoge Finance in the form of funding or resources. Any funding that is requested in excess of \$500.00 USDT will be funded by the warchest wallet and as such must pass a Snapshot vote. Any funding that is requested under the limit of \$500.00 USDT may be granted via the Leadership wallet at their discretion. Any resource that is requested will be

directed to the Leadership Team which will make every reasonable effort to grant said request but ultimately be at the discretion of the Leadership Team.

3. Accepted Projects will be allowed to join all of Hoge's social media channels including, but not limited to, any and all AMAs. All Projects will be allowed to mention, discuss and engage in any and all conversations within Hoge's social media channels with the explicit exception of excessively promoting purchasing of tokens, coins or other commercial items offered by a respective Project. Each social media channel will reasonably decide on their own merits what constitutes *overly promoting* according to their own standards and respective social media managers.

#### *Section D. Ecosystem Exclusion*

Any project wishing to withdraw from the Hoge Ecosystem must request **in writing** via email that they no longer wish to be a member. Their presence will be removed from the Hoge Finance webpage within 48 hours. Following the removal of a Project from the Hoge Ecosystem, a project shall not have any rights whatsoever to utilize, advertise on, be represented on, or be mentioned on any Hoge social media channels wherein said measures will be enforced by respective social media managers. Any pending issues concerning a Project that has requested to be withdrawn shall be reasonably prioritized and expedited by the Leadership Team.

Any Project which violates the general vision and standards of Hoge, and/or if any Project is proven to violate any legal issues will first may be removed immediately from the Hoge Ecosystem. However, before any removal actions on any Project commence, the Leadership Team will notify the Project representative and reasonably attempt to place corrective measures. If no corrective measures are taken, a written notice will be conveyed to the Project representative within 48 hours. Any and all pending issues that are open-ended will be immediately terminated. All social media managers will be informed accordingly and said Project shall not have any rights whatsoever to utilize,

advertise on, be represented on, or be mentioned on any Hoge social media channels wherein said measures will be enforced by respective social media managers.

Any Project that is deemed to otherwise violate any other ancillary issues as determined by the Leadership Team as representatives of the Hoge community may be removed from the Hoge Ecosystem. However, before any removal actions on any Project commence, the Leadership Team will notify the Project representative and reasonably attempt to place corrective measures. If no corrective measures are taken, a qualified majority vote among the Leadership Team will initiate removal of the project and a written notice that will be conveyed to the Project representative within 24 hours and a written statement will be presented to all Hoge social media channels within 24 hours. Any and all pending issues that are open-ended will be immediately terminated. All social media managers will be informed accordingly and said Project shall not have any rights whatsoever to utilize, advertise on, be represented on, or be mentioned on any Hoge social media channels wherein said measures will be enforced by respective social media managers.