

Providing Administrative Support Services to GNSO Stakeholder Groups and Constituencies – *Toolkit Update*

Our Agenda



- Quick Review of Toolkit Concept
- Review Community Menu Item Requests and Implications
- Next Steps

Toolkit Concept

- "ICANN should provide appropriate Staff support for constituencies to assist with standardization, outreach and administrative work, which can lower constituency costs and fees."
- "ICANN must find ways to foster free participation in policy processes for all interested parties and to ensure that cost is not a barrier to constituency entry wherever possible."
- Focus on "in-kind assistance" rather than financial aid

Background



• Toolkit recommended by BGC Report - "level the playing field"

 Priorities identified and approved by GNSO Council – but primarily for SGs and Cs

• Useful Community Input received by 15 February

The Toolkit Menu Items

- 1. Background and reference materials for Working Groups
- 2. Face-to-face meetings
- 3. Teleconference Tools
- 4. Meeting Reports
- 5. Community Intros
- 6. Web site hosting and content maintenance
- 7. Possible direct funding/grants
- 8. Organizational record keeping (e.g., statements of interest)
- 9. Maintaining up-to-date member info, mailing/discussion lists
- 10. Supporting community elections

What Are We Learning?



- Popular Services
- Toolkit in Context
- Next Steps

Popular Services



GNSO Toolkit Services Checklist Fiscal Years (FY) 2011-2012

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Service #1: Assembling Background & Reference Materials for V

- F2F Meetings
- Telephone Support
- Website analysis
- Elections

Toolkit in Context:

- Toolkit is being recognized as one of ICANN's basic set of support services for the community – commitment to provide in FY11, FY12 and beyond
- Any expansion of existing services or additional services must be considered in light of FY12 budget goals
- Certain Tools require additional discussions to confirm expectations.

Next Steps:

- Community Calls to Discuss:
- Website Hosting and maintenance best practices
- Website Hosting and maintenance parameters
- Re-examine Comm Work Team recommendations for membership database
- Methods for defining parameters/expectations of/for "organizational recordkeeping"
- Confirm FY 12 Budget Impacts



Thank You