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Election Results: Drupal.org redesign take 3

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Announced end of election:

Actual time election ended: Mon Aug 4 17:47:50 2008

Private election (8 authorized voters)

Actual votes cast: 8

Number of winning choices:

Condorcet completion rule: Beatpath/Schulze/CSSD CIVS Ranked Pairs MAM

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Election description

What should be the first next step for the Drupal.org upgrade? Note that I said first next step and NOT long term solution.

Ranking of the choices

1. **Privately express our concerns with the project module maintainers** (Not defeated in any contest with another choice)
2. *Tied:*
Publicly express our concerns and solicit input from the community, loses to Privately express our concerns with the project module maintainers by 4-2
Hire a developer to work on the upgrade and have him/her submit patches to the project module, loses to Privately express our concerns with the project module maintainers by 4-3
4. *Tied:*
Offer to pay the project module maintainers for completing the upgrade, loses to Publicly express our concerns and solicit input from the community by 4-3
Let Kieran Lal have a budget of \$20k USD to figure this out, loses to Publicly express our concerns and solicit input from the community by 4-3
6. Invite the community to rebuild it from scratch with CCK and Views, loses to Offer to pay the project module maintainers for completing the upgrade by 5-1
7. Do nothing and wait for the Drupal community to upgrade project module, loses to Invite the community to rebuild it from scratch with CCK and Views by 5-1

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Election result details

Preference matrix

The following table shows the results of all pairwise contests between two choices. Each entry shows the number of ballots on which one choice was preferred to another choice.

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
1. Privately express our concerns with the project module maintainers	-	4	4	3	4	6	6
2. Publicly express our concerns and solicit input from the community	2	-	4	4	4	5	6
3. Hire a developer to work on the upgrade and have him/her submit patches to the project module	3	4	-	4	4	6	6
4. Offer to pay the project module maintainers for completing the upgrade	3	3	3	-	4	5	5

5. Let Kieran Lal have a budget of \$20k USD to figure this out	4	3	4	4	-	4	7
6. Invite the community to rebuild it from scratch with CCK and Views	1	0	2	1	2	-	5
7. Do nothing and wait for the Drupal community to upgrade project module	0	1	0	0	0	1	-

Beatpath closure matrix

The following matrix shows the strength of the strongest beatpath connecting each pair of choices. Choice 1 is preferred to choice 2 if there is a better beatpath leading from 1 to 2 than any leading from 2 to 1.

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.
1. Privately express our concerns with the project module maintainers	-	4	4	4	4	6	6
2. Publicly express our concerns and solicit input from the community	.	-	.	4	4	5	6
3. Hire a developer to work on the upgrade and have him/her submit patches to the project module	.	.	-	4	.	6	6
4. Offer to pay the project module maintainers for completing the upgrade	.	.	.	-	.	5	5
5. Let Kieran Lal have a budget of \$20k USD to figure this out	.	.	.	.	-	4	7
6. Invite the community to rebuild it from scratch with CCK and Views	.	.	.	.	.	-	5
7. Do nothing and wait for the Drupal community to upgrade project module	.	.	.	.	.	.	-

Ballot report

	Do nothing and wait for the Drupal community to upgrade project module	Privately express our concerns with the project module maintainers	Publicly express our concerns and solicit input from the community	Offer to pay the project module maintainers for completing the upgrade	Hire a developer to work on the upgrade and have him/her submit patches to the project module	Let Kieran Lal have a budget of \$20k USD to figure this out	Invite the community to rebuild it from scratch with CCK and Views
bert@boerland.com:	7	2	3	1	2	3	3
jeff@viapositiva.net:	6	6	7	6	1	2	7
larry@garfieldtech.com:	7	1	1	3	2	4	5
dries@buytaert.net:	7	2	1	4	3	7	7
angie@lullabot.com:	7	6	1	2	7	4	2
gerhard@killesreiter.de:	7	1	2	7	7	6	5
kieran@gmail.com:	7	7	7	7	2	1	7
jacob@wiredgeek.com:	7	4	5	2	3	1	6

Ballots are shown in a randomly generated order.

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