

Legal Team

The [Legal Team](#) handles everything to do with copyrights, licenses, etc. for content and software and helps the [Tiki Software Community Association](#).

Release responsibilities

- Check the licenses of all newly included or updated code.

Urgent

- Protect Trademarks
 - Send letters out to people using our trademark without permission because [if we don't protect, we weaken our position](#)

Tasks (do and cross out)

- Assist for Tiki Software Community Association administrative setup.
- Gather/manage all the official paper work of the association (Incorporation, etc.)
- Write up [privacy policy](#)
- Write up [Terms of Service](#)
- Write up a confidentiality agreement
 - When someone gets admin access to tiki.org (and even more when it's a dump of the data), we would want a confidentiality agreement.

Questions

Tiki footer emails say: "[Tiki®](#), [TikiWiki®](#), and the Tiki logo are registered trademarks of the [Tiki Software Community Association](#).", but I am pretty sure the logo is not covered. Do we keep or change this sentence?

Projects

- Coordinate with Team from WVU Entrepreneurship Clinic of the West Virginia University College of Law for 2013-2014 school year.
- Determine acceptable uses of Tiki [Trademarks](#)
 - Write up something like <http://www.mozilla.org/en-US/legal/fraud-report/index.html>
- Prepare a plan
 - <http://doc.tiki.org/Creative+Commons+Attribution-ShareAlike+License>
- In collaboration with [Finance Team](#) and [Fundraising Team](#), determine if we should become a 501c

Ongoing responsibilities

- Official Association yearly filing with the government (Nelson)
 - If this is this the same as:
 - Maintain TSCA Certificate of Status
 - Procedure: Log in at Oncorp (<https://www.oncorp.com/oncorphome/Pages/index.aspx>), a private company that handles corporate registrations. The log-in credentials are at Clipperz.io in the "Tiki" account. **Note: Credentials didn't work on Sept. 15, 2022 so I've emailed Oncorp for help and will update the info.** - Follow online instructions
 - Most-recent update: 2018 ([dl1952](#))
- About tiki.org usage -> [License](#), [privacy policy](#), [Terms of Service](#), [Copyrights](#), etc

Who

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Related links

- <http://www.harmonyagreements.org/>
- <http://producingoss.com/en/legal.html>
- <http://fossology.org/>
- <http://www.softwarefreedom.org/>
- <http://opensource matters.org/license-trademark-and-copyright.html>
- "Terms of Service; Didn't Read" (short: ToS;DR)
- <http://www.ifosslr.org/>
- <http://contributoragreements.org/>
- <http://collabmark.org/>
- <https://opensource.com/business/16/2/how-choose-brand-name-open-source-project>
- <http://fossmarks.org/>
- <https://opensource.com/business/16/3/kill-off-extra-brand-names>