

INFINITE ATOM TECHNOLOGIES LLC

Community Guidelines

Standards for the Atomic Community

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These Community Guidelines govern participation in all community features of infinite-atom.com including the public forum, Partner Showcase, Partner Lounge, event map, spotlight system, and all other community areas. These guidelines supplement the Acceptable Use Policy, Terms of Service, and Partner Terms of Service. Participation in community features constitutes acceptance of these guidelines.

// 1. THE STANDARD

The Atomic Community is built around Ohio makers, creators, and vendors. The standard is simple: be someone your community is glad to have. Build people up. Share knowledge. Support each other. This is a community of people who make things — treat it like one.

// 2. WHAT THE COMMUNITY IS FOR

- Sharing your work, products, processes, and maker journey
- Finding events, discovering vendors, and connecting with other Ohio makers
- Asking questions, getting help, and helping others
- Celebrating milestones — first product, first sale, first event
- Constructive discussion about craft, business, and the maker ecosystem
- Coordinating at events and building relationships beyond social media

// 3. REQUIRED STANDARDS

3.1 Respect

Treat every member of the community with basic human respect. Disagreement is fine. Personal attacks, mockery, targeted harassment, and sustained negative behavior toward any community member are not. This applies in public forums, the partner lounge, event coordination, and all platform communication.

3.2 Honesty

Be honest about your products, your business, your inventory, and your intentions. Do not misrepresent what you sell, what events you plan to attend, or who you are. The community depends on accurate information.

3.3 Minimum Content Standards

Community content must meet minimum word counts to ensure meaningful participation:

- Forum reply: 8 words minimum

- New forum thread: 25 words minimum
- Partner Showcase post: 20 words minimum
- Stall product description: 8 words minimum
- Event submission description: 10 words minimum

Posts that exist only to farm points, spam the forum, or fill space will be removed without notice.

3.4 Event Commitment

If you claim a vendor spot at a physical event through the Platform, you are making a commitment to the event organizer and to other vendors. If you cannot attend, provide advance notice. No-call no-show results in a -30 point penalty from both Season and Lifetime points. This policy exists to protect the community's credibility with event organizers.

// 4. ZERO TOLERANCE

The following result in immediate permanent ban with no appeal:

- Any content sexualizing, exploiting, or endangering minors
- Doxxing — publishing private personal information about another person without consent
- Credible threats of physical harm against any person
- Coordinated harassment campaigns against any individual or business
- Deliberate fraud against customers, partners, or event organizers
- Impersonation of Infinite Atom staff or other community members

// 5. PARTNER LOUNGE STANDARDS

The Partner Lounge is a private space for paying partners only. What happens in the lounge stays in the lounge — do not screenshot, copy, or share lounge content outside the lounge without explicit permission from the original poster. The lounge is a space for candid business discussion. Treat it accordingly.

The lounge is not a place to coordinate against other partners, organize pricing schemes, or engage in any behavior that would be illegal in a business context. Antitrust considerations apply.

// 6. SPOTLIGHT & POINTS INTEGRITY

The points system and weekly spotlight are community-driven and based on real participation. The following are prohibited:

- Creating fake accounts to generate points
- Coordinating with others to artificially boost each other's point totals
- Spamming forum posts to reach minimum word counts without genuine contribution
- Filing false no-call no-show reports against other partners
- Any other attempt to manipulate the points or spotlight system

Detected manipulation results in point resets, temporary or permanent suspension, and potential account termination.

// 7. ENFORCEMENT

7.1 Actions Available

Infinite Atom may take any of the following actions in response to guideline violations, at our sole discretion:

- Content removal without notice
- Warning issued to account
- Temporary suspension from community features
- Point deduction
- Permanent ban from community features
- Full account termination
- Legal action where applicable

7.2 Reporting

Report guideline violations to infiniteatomtech@gmail.com. Include the content, its location, and a description of the violation. False reports are themselves a violation of these guidelines.

7.3 Appeals

Appeal content removal or account actions by contacting infiniteatomtech@gmail.com within 14 days of the action. Appeals are reviewed within 5 business days. Appeal decisions are final. Infinite Atom's moderation decisions are made at our sole discretion and are not subject to further review after the appeal process.

// 8. THE SPIRIT OF THE COMMUNITY

Rules exist for the edge cases. The spirit of the Atomic Community is simpler: this is Ohio's maker network. Show up, contribute, be real, and help it grow. Every member who does that makes the whole thing better for everyone.

// CROSS-REFERENCE

This policy is part of Infinite Atom Technologies LLC's comprehensive legal framework. It should be read in conjunction with the Terms of Service, Privacy Policy, Acceptable Use Policy, Partner Terms of Service, DMCA Policy, and all other platform policies. All policies are incorporated by reference into each other. The full legal framework is available at infinite-atom.com/terms and from infiniteatomtech@gmail.com.

// MODIFICATIONS

Infinite Atom Technologies LLC reserves the right to update this policy at any time. Material changes will be communicated to registered users with a minimum of 14 days written notice before taking effect. Continued use of the Platform after the effective date of changes constitutes acceptance of the updated policy.

// GOVERNING LAW & ARBITRATION

This policy is governed by the laws of the State of Ohio. Any disputes arising from or related to this policy are subject to binding arbitration in Fairfield County, Ohio as described in the Terms of Service. Class action waiver applies.

// CONTACT

For questions about this policy: infiniteatomtech@gmail.com

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