

# **NO BILLIONAIRES AT FOSDEM**



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SUNDAY 11:45 AM**

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**Does the FOSDEM community want to platform people who...**

### **Were complicit in Twitter's far-right takeover**

Jack Dorsey walked away with a billion dollars from the sale of Twitter to Elon Musk, putting the platform at the disposal of the far-right and contributing to the rise of hate, harassment, violence, and terror around the world. This drove thousands to flee to the Fediverse, externalizing thousands of dollars in costs onto our volunteer communities.

### **Make a habit of mass layoffs**

Elon immediately laid off 3,700 of the people who made Twitter worth so much to Jack in the first place, and Dorsey followed his lead at Block, laying off 1,000 employees after posting record profits on a revenue of over \$5B in 2024.

### **Profit from climate change and money laundering**

Last year Block announced that they were pivoting to Bitcoin and AI, infamously irresponsible technologies in the era of climate collapse, and made manufacturing Bitcoin miners their core business priority. Now, just a few weeks after settling with the feds for \$175M for facilitating fraud on Cash App, Dorsey and his colleagues plan on using FOSDEM's biggest stage to present themselves as good actors in FOSS and sell us a new "AI agentic framework".

**FOSS is political. Is this YOUR politics?**

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