How can I help?

Thanks for asking. Let's find a place for you!

Join the community

Mailinglists

The Bareos project offers two mailing lists: **bareos-users** and **bareos-devel**

Users

- bareos-users@googlegroups.com

Subscribe here, if you are a user of Bareos and like to discuss the usage of Bareos with the Bareos community. You are always welcome to help other users on this mailing list.

Subscribe by sending an email to bareos-users+subscribe@googlegroups.com

Also you can read it via Googlegroups at https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/bareos-users or by using a NNTP reader (such as Mozilla Thunderbird) and the following server: news.gmane.org

Devel

- bareos-devel@googlegroups.com

Subscribe here, if you are interested in technical details of the Bareos code and plan to modify it. Most Bareos developers will read this mailing list.

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Testing

You have found a bug in a current version of Bareos? You have a feature request?

Please follow the [How to create a bug report.](#)

Bareos Co-Funding

You would like to see a certain feature coming, are not able to develop it yourself, but want to contribute financially instead? Just take a look at the co-funding-page over at bareos.com and pick a project you would like to support.

When you found a security issue

If you want to report a security-related problem, please take a look at our security policy.

If you're a developer, start here:

- Subscribe to the developer mailing list so you can see what happening/being discussed
- Pick something to work on and send patches to the mailing list
  - Start small until you have a broad familiarity with the codebase
  - Unsure what to work on? Take a look at our ideas for projects.

Version Control System

The Bareos project uses https://github.com/bareos/bareos for the parent version control system.

If you like to contribute code, just clone your own copy of the code and do your modifications.

Normal development (everything except bugfixes) will be done against the master branch.

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git clone https://github.com/bareos/bareos.git
cd bareos
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