

Redmine - Feature #13512

Add a way to make specific issues visible to a user

2013-03-18 19:16 - Kyle Leber

Status:	Closed	Start date:	
Priority:	Normal	Due date:	
Assignee:		% Done:	0%
Category:	Administration	Estimated time:	0.00 hour
Target version:			
Resolution:	Duplicate		

Description

I have a role defined with issue visibility set to "Issues created by or assigned to the user". It would be great if I can make a certain issue visible to that user by adding them as a watcher. As it is, they can't see any pre-created issue without me assigning it to them.

Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Feature #13511: Add a way to restrict access to the "Act...	Closed
Related to Redmine - Feature #12666: Involvement boolean for Custom Field 'Us...	New
Related to Redmine - Defect #22977: A project member has no access and gets n...	New
Is duplicate of Redmine - Feature #8488: Create an 'Involve' mechanism to pri...	New

History

#1 - 2013-03-18 19:17 - Kyle Leber

Sorry, forgot this:

Environment:
Redmine version 2.0.3.stable
Ruby version 1.8.7 (x86_64-linux)
Rails version 3.2.6
Environment production
Database adapter MySQL
Redmine plugins:
redmine_mylyn_connector 2.8.2.stable

#2 - 2013-03-18 19:26 - Daniel Felix

Maybe there could be a new permission? But I'm not sure.

A better way would be to give the user the ability to set a special user who has certain permissions?

#3 - 2013-03-19 21:56 - Anonymous

I think this is essentially the same as [#8488](#). Though that issue was looking to extend visibility for private issues, in practice we're talking about the same action—a new kind of involvement in addition to author/assignee.

It also somewhat relates to one of my own feature requests (selfplug+10!), [#12666](#), for this to be part of configuring the user-type custom field. Specifically, an optional check box when setting up a custom field that, when checked, means the user(s) selected in the list are involved in the issue.

Permissions don't really need to be any more complex than existing workflow tools.

#4 - 2015-09-24 10:34 - Alexis Parent

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#5 - 2015-10-28 17:21 - Pavel Konstantinov

+1 required for me too

#7 - 2016-07-12 16:17 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Related to Defect #22977: A project member has no access and gets no notification, when being a watcher of the issue added

#8 - 2020-04-20 16:30 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Related to deleted (Feature #8488: Create an 'Involve' mechanism to private issues)

#9 - 2020-04-20 16:30 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Is duplicate of Feature #8488: Create an 'Involve' mechanism to private issues added

#10 - 2020-04-20 16:45 - Marius BĂLTEANU

- Status changed from New to Closed

- Resolution set to Duplicate

Closing this as duplicate of [#8488](#) where we can track a method to achieve this without using the existing watchers functionality because according to Jean-Phillippe Lang's comment from [#7412#note-13](#):

watchers were designed for notification purpose only. A user who unwatches a private issue would lost access to it. It may be quite confusing for many users.