# Redmine - Feature #3706

# Allow assigned\_to field configuration on Issue creation by email

2009-08-03 04:19 - Erica Gallindo

Status: Closed Start date: 2009-08-03

Priority: Normal Due date:

Assignee: Eric Davis % Done: 100%

Category: Email receiving Estimated time: 0.00 hour

Target version: 1.0.0 (RC)

Resolution: Fixed

## **Description**

It's already possible to fetch incoming emails and control the following attributes when creating a issue:

project=PROJECT
 tracker=TRACKER
 category=CATEGORY
 priority=PRIORITY
 identifier of the target project
 name of the target category
 name of the target priority

Is it possible to control the *assigned\_to* field too? I'm already using Redmine to control a distributed development process (about a hundred users) and at this moment we need a way to register (as a Redmine issue) all the support e-mails we are receiving from external users. All these emails must be assigned to a specific Redmine user for helping our user support process.

I'm testing the trunk version (rev 2835) which already include the great job described in <a href="http://www.redmine.org/projects/redmine/repository/revisions/2789">http://www.redmine.org/projects/redmine/repository/revisions/2789</a>.

#### Related issues:

Related to Redmine - Feature #5573: Allow issue assignment in email

Related to Redmine - Feature #5594: Improve MailHandler's keyword handling

Closed

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## History

## #1 - 2009-08-03 10:58 - Mischa The Evil

- Tracker changed from Patch to Feature

#### #2 - 2009-09-15 08:05 - Marcin Trendota

Vote for it;)

I would do it by myself if only i knew ruby (or have time to learn it)...

# #3 - 2009-11-28 13:16 - Jean-Philippe Lang

- Category changed from Email notifications to Email receiving

## #4 - 2010-01-29 14:46 - Emils Klotins

Marcin Trendota wrote:

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Likewise, it would so much help setting up automated issue entry in some cases.

## #5 - 2010-02-08 02:36 - Erica Gallindo

When I first suggest this, I wasn't aware how to use categories for this purpose. Now, I know it's possible to control the assigned\_to field using categories. When a category is created it is possible to configure a redmine user for that. Thus, simply chosing a category for an issue when its is created will automatically fill the issue "assigned\_to" field with category configured user.

## #6 - 2010-03-29 20:50 - Enderson Maia

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I suggest that the CC: field could be used as a assigned\_to: , and CC: just for watchers.

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So a message with:

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to: <redmine@example.com>, <user@example.com>
cc: <somebody@example.com>, <someone@example.com>
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would be created a issue assigned\_to: <user@example.com> and <somebody@example.com>, <someone@example.com> for watchers.

In this case using < redmine@example.com> as the incoming e-mail, I just don't know how Redmine could make this distinction.

Another option would be to make allow-override accept the assigned\_to: as an option, and the assigner users could be set on the e-mail body.

# #7 - 2010-06-05 05:51 - Eric Davis

- Status changed from New to Closed
- Assignee set to Eric Davis
- Target version set to 1.0.0 (RC)
- % Done changed from 0 to 100
- Resolution set to Fixed

Added support for setting an issue's assigned to field via email. It will take a user's email address, login, or full name. r3764

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