

Redmine - Feature #17288

Use Watcher Count as a poor man's Voting system on redmine.org

2014-06-24 14:31 - @ go2null

Status: New	Start date:
Priority: Normal	Due date:
Assignee:	% Done: 0%
Category: Website (redmine.org)	Estimated time: 0.00 hour
Target version:	
Resolution:	
Description	
<p>This request is to implement, with existing functionality, a simple Voting system for redmine.org by hacking/reusing/abusing the Watchers functionality.</p> <p>In vanilla Redmine, there is a Watcher's section in the sidebar that has the Watcher count for the issue, in addition to listing all the Watchers. However, it is controlled by the <i>View Watchers</i> permission.</p> <p>Watchers (2) Jane Doe John Doe</p> <p>This proposal is to expose the Watcher Count. Here are two possible implementations.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Always display the Watchers (X) header.2. Add the Watcher Count to the Watch/Unwatch "button".<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. <i>This would be great to have on other objects such as Wiki pages, Forum messages, etc.</i> <p>To make it available beyond redmine.org, displaying the Watcher Count could be controlled with a new permission - View watcher count.</p> <p>PS: <i>Not sure whether to categorize this under "Issues" as the idea applies to other Redmien objects, especially Plugins on redmine.org.</i></p> <p>Related Features Feature #1011 - Add voting to tickets Feature #6945 - Add a voting system to help users help admins identify popular features/defects</p>	
Related issues:	
Related to Redmine - Feature # 1011: Add voting to tickets	New 2008-04-07
Related to Redmine - Feature # 6945: Add a voting system to help users help a...	New 2010-11-19

History

#1 - 2014-07-20 18:13 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Category set to Website (redmine.org)

#2 - 2014-07-20 18:15 - Toshi MARUYAMA

- Related to Feature #1011: Add voting to tickets added

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- Related to Feature #6945: Add a voting system to help users help admins identify popular features/defects added

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For issues, it would also be great if the **Watcher Count** could be added to the Issues list, thus allowing easy sorting.

#5 - 2018-01-01 17:16 - @ go2null

See message#51899 which has a manually curated list, where this functionality would make such a list trivial.