

## Redmine - Patch #2685

### Display notice when commenting on closed tickets

2009-02-06 00:48 - Brad Beattie

<b>Status:</b> New	<b>Start date:</b> 2009-02-06
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	<b>Due date:</b>
<b>Assignee:</b>	<b>% Done:</b> 0%
<b>Category:</b> Issues	<b>Estimated time:</b> 0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	
<b>Description</b> Consider the following scenario. An issue is opened, resolved and closed. An inexperienced user X doesn't have access to reopen the issue. Instead of creating a new issue and relating it to the old issue, user X instead comments on the issue and reassigns it back to experienced user Y. This closed issue is now assigned to user Y, but they never notice it as its closed.  While we can't prevent poor behaviour like this, we can at least provide some sort of warning message to the inexperienced user.  The attached patch displays a warning if a user comments on a closed ticket.	
<b>Related issues:</b>	
Related to Redmine - Feature #7557: Deny editing of descriptions of closed is...	<b>Closed</b> <b>2011-02-05</b>
Related to Redmine - Feature #13814: No more comments when ticket closed	<b>New</b>

### History

#### #1 - 2009-02-10 00:41 - Brad Beattie

Hrm. Might be better if it was more in line with the warning Redmine.org gives at the moment, using class "nodata" and showing when the user might instead of after they do.

Index: app/views/issues/\_edit.rhtml

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--- app/views/issues/_edit.rhtml      (revision 2361)
+++ app/views/issues/_edit.rhtml      (working copy)
@@ -31,12 +31,17 @@
     <% end %>
   </fieldset>
   <% end %>
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+   <fieldset><legend><%= l(:field_notes) %></legend>
+   <%= text_area_tag 'notes', @notes, :cols => 60, :rows => 10, :class => 'wiki-edit' %>
+   <%= wikitoobar_for 'notes' %>
+   <%= call_hook(:view_issues_edit_notes_bottom, { :issue => @issue, :notes => @notes, :form => f }) %>
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+   <% if @issue.closed? %>
+   <div class="nodata">
+   <%= l(:warning_notes_on_closed_issue) %>
+   </div>
+   <% end %>
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+   <p><%=l(:label_attachment_plural)%><br /><%= render :partial => 'attachments/form' %></p>
+   </fieldset>
+ </div>
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Index: lang/en.yml

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--- lang/en.yml (revision 2361)
+++ lang/en.yml (working copy)
@@ -86,6 +86,7 @@
 error_issue_not_found_in_project: 'The issue was not found or does not belong to this project'

 warning_attachments_not_saved: "%d file(s) could not be saved."
+warning_notes_on_closed_issue: "Notes on closed tickets may go unnoticed even if they are assigned to an individual."

 mail_subject_lost_password: Your %s password
 mail_body_lost_password: 'To change your password, click on the following link:'
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**#2 - 2009-02-19 17:20 - Brad Beattie**

- Assignee set to *Jean-Philippe Lang*

**#3 - 2009-05-05 02:41 - Eric Davis**

- Status changed from *New* to *7*

- Assignee changed from *Jean-Philippe Lang* to *Eric Davis*

I can take this, I'll have to update the patch (pre Rails 2.2.2 i18n) but it shouldn't be too much.

**#4 - 2010-10-25 17:02 - Eric Davis**

- Assignee deleted (*Eric Davis*)

**#5 - 2013-01-13 21:04 - Jean-Philippe Lang**

- Status changed from *7* to *New*

Assigned issue with no assignee back to *New* status.

**Files**

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warning.patch	1.31 KB	2009-02-05	Brad Beattie
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