
Subject: Re: DIALOG_PICKFILE bug

Posted by chris_torrence@NOSPAM on Tue, 30 Jun 2015 16:49:18 GMT

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On Tuesday, June 23, 2015 at 3:03:37 PM UTC-6, Paul van Delst wrote:

> On 06/11/15 06:22, superchromix wrote:

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>> This is indeed a bug in Windows, apparently:

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>> <http://stackoverflow.com/questions/6844635/openfiledialog-does-not-show-complete-filename-in-windows-7>

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>> <http://stackoverflow.com/questions/24525606/openfiledialog-puts-off-pre-populated-file-name>

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>> Although a workaround exists, as discussed in the links.

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> So, I guess the lesson here is: don't use Windows for professional code.

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> (har har).

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> But seriously, even though I'm a *nix-only guy, I sympathise.

Yeah, I'm not sure what to do with this bug. I really don't want to put in a keyword to `dialog_pickfile` called `"/WORK_AROUND_WINDOWS7_BUG"`. Besides, then it makes it look all ugly like Windows XP.

So I think I'm going to just sit on this bug and hope that Windows 7 goes away.

Cheers,
Chris
