



Fedora Meeting Status Report

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What happened

- Gathered a few people into a room...
 - Got some random call-in's...
 - Brought out the baseball bats...
 - and eventually...
 - sorted some things out
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- while we had lots of coffee and Krispy Kreme

What came out of it

- Assumptions, action items, and goals
- Some of which were:
 - Build system in Raleigh; got moved to Arizona, to a co-lo
 - Core and Extras needed the same build system
 - release early, release often – Extras will have a different/simpler/open build system
 - Core packages must not depend on Extras at all
 - Other architectures that need supporting (like PPC or Sparc) need Extras build boxes
 - Wiki/slash type system on fedora.redhat.com
 - Want: single spec file to manage a package across all kinds of Fedora's, or RHELs; we need packaging guidelines

More goals

(and you'll see progress for this almost real soon now)

- Build system for Extras will be out in public CVS
 - we want it to be easily replicated on developer machines
- Extras system, needs to be track-able, for security reasons
 - virtualization is something we are thinking about
- Regular meetings with the relevant people, with published meeting minutes will be available
- We are going to **COMMUNICATE!**

Action Items

- Say it again: we need a build system. CVS module should be available soon.
- Gain further internal (Red Hat) acceptance for resources/scheduling, minimizing blindspots to the community
- Leadership document is to be re-written
- Databases and Bugzilla automation to automate approved packages, entries, states – workflow management
- Packaging guidelines
- How can we bless external sites – legal liability
- Website in CVS for external contributors
- Legacy terminology fixed; Alternatives removed
- fedora-maintainers@redhat.com; fedora-maintainers-readonly@redhat.com
 - need to be a package maintainer to be on it
- Fedora Security

Fedora Extras Steering Committee

- Newly created
 - Mixture of Red Hat and community members
 - There'll be a list, and a form of communication that people (YOU!) can contact the Steering Committee
- Warren Togami
 - Cristian Gafton
 - Greg DeKoenigsberg
 - Colin Charles
 - Seth Vidal
 - Enrico Scholz
 - Michael Schwendt
 - Ville Skyttä
 - Dams Nadé
 - Dave Lawrence
 - Jeremy Katz
 - Tom 'spot' Callaway
 - Jesse Keating

Thanks!

- To Red Hat for hosting the meeting (and FUDCon)
- Boston University that decided to host us for FUDCon
- The crazy people that attended the useful meeting:
 - Dave Lawrence
 - Elliot Lee
 - Warren Togami
 - Greg DeKoenigsberg
 - Jeremy Katz
 - Cristian Gafton
 - Bill Nottingham
 - Paul Nasrat
 - Seth Vidal
 - Tom 'spot' Callaway
 - Karen Bennet
 - Michael Tiemann
 - Jesse Keating
 - Havoc Pennington
 - Peter Jones
 - Jack Aboutboul
 - Colin Charles
 - Jef Spaleta/Dams Nade (via bad VoIP connection)
- They're all making a difference to the project for you!