# Redmine - Feature #13555

## Project level watchers and notifications

2013-03-22 05:38 - Dipan Mehta

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| **Status:** | New | | **Start date:** | |
| **Priority:** | Normal | | **Due date:** | |
| **Assignee:** | | | **% Done:** | 0% |
| **Category:** | Email notifications | | **Estimated time:** | 0.00 hour |
| **Target version:** | | | | |
| **Resolution:** | | | | |

### Description

Current Redmine is great in terms of defining and filtering what I want to watch and not-watch. This works great for me as a developer to keep a good focus on things I am involved in.

However, when a project manager wants to keep appraise to events towards other people the workflow is not that much automatic.

## Here are few challenges:

1. Every time an issue is registered - watchers needs to be added for the same.
2. There is no watch events when Attributes of project changes
    - New members added/removed, attributes of project's change, etc.
    - New document etc.
3. Entire group cann't be a watcher (as of now) to add all these passive users as watchers in on-click.
4. Changes in the roadmap which involves comprehensive change rather than per issue updates.

Typically, this results in ambiguity as to why did I got this message but didn't got the other one? (specially from customer or external team point of view)

## Solution:

It would be best that project manager can define 'project level watchers' - which added once, all new activities around the project (new issues, Roadmap changes, project attribute changes etc.) should keep coming uniformly.

I think this would be certainly useful when there are large number of teams in different projects and many project's in the organization.

### Related issues:

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| Related to Redmine - Feature #1707: Sending e-mail to roles involved on statu... | **New** | **2008-07-29** |
| Related to Redmine - Feature #4386: Select all for watchers | **New** | **2009-12-11** |

## History

**#1 - 2013-03-25 03:46 - Dipan Mehta**

Any feedback on this?

Also, set [#1707](#) as a related feature.

**#2 - 2013-07-22 14:17 - André Bachmann**

I also wish for a feature in Redmine which allows me to add groups as watchers. Using groups as assignees is working, but adding groups as watchers isn't.

**#3 - 2019-02-11 04:50 - Go MAEDA**

*- Category set to Email notifications*