

### Using TrueType Fonts in Preference to Bitmapped Fonts

If a document uses a font that is available as both a TrueType font and a bitmapped font, the default behavior of the **Font Manager** is to use the bitmapped font when your application opens the document. This default avoids problems with documents that were created on a computer system on which TrueType fonts were not available.

You can use the **SetOutlinePreferred** procedure to choose which type of font the **Font Manager** should use in a document. If you call **SetOutlinePreferred** with TRUE as the value of the outlinePreferred parameter, the **Font Manager** chooses TrueType fonts over bitmapped fonts. The **GetOutlinePreferred** function returns the setting that indicates whether the **Font Manager** prefers TrueType fonts, and you should save the setting with the current document. When the user opens the document, call **SetOutlinePreferred** with this value so that your application chooses the proper fonts.

If only one type of font is available, the **Font Manager** chooses that type of font to use in the document, no matter which type of font is preferred.