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Core Working Group

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Agenda

1. 15.04a
 - Planning
2. JIRA Components
3. Vote
 - Core WG Process
 - JIRA Process
4. Review Action Items

15.04a Planning

- Ticket to include
 - Current list firmed on 4/30 Core WG Triage meeting
 - Any additional items requested require additional discussion
 - JIRA Filter
 - <https://jira.allseenalliance.org/issues/?jql=fixVersion%20%3D%20%2215.04a%22>
- Next steps
 - Allow time for additional validation testing
 - Release decision will be made on the late 6/4 Core WG Triage meeting

JIRA Components

- Components
 - DDAPI
 - AllJoyn JS
 - OpenWRT Feed
 - Peer Group Manager (this already existed)
 - Router/SCL (to be used for bugs in the alljoyn.git project)
 - Security Manager
 - Thin Core Library
 - SCONS – this last is the only one that doesn't correspond to a particular git project.
 - Question: Should SCONS be a label?
- Unmaintained components
 - Proposal: Add “Unsupported” to components not maintained
 - Example: PeerGroupmanager component could be renamed to “unsupported” or “not maintained” and this could be for bugs reported in projects that aren't currently maintained: PGM, DevModules, and about_tcl.
- **Core WG agreement** on names, keeping SCONS as a component, and creating “unmaintained” component.

Vote on process pages

- https://wiki.allseenalliance.org/core/overview/wg_process
 - Need proposal for process to change APIs and present to TSC
 - Discuss this proposal at next week's Core WG call
- https://wiki.allseenalliance.org/core/overview/jira_process
- Send email to Core WG that this will be marked as V1 on 5/7
 - Comments are due by 5/5 and incorporated and marked V1 on 5/7
 - Add section for proposing a change to the process to core and JIRA process page

Action Items

- IPv6 discussion
 - Action: Chris (QCE) to set up core WG technical meeting to discuss
 - Action: Dino (MSFT) to send Chris (QCE) suggested times/days for meeting
 - Early May suggested
 - Action: Marcello to share in email affected components before meeting
- Gavin to see if someone from Microsoft can assist with notes from core WG meetings
 - Revisit after 15.04 release
- David to lead team crafting testing proposals
 - Roll end to end proposal into the Core and Base Services release testing proposal for the Alliance
 - David to lead the effort
 - Automated test
 - Release testing
 - Assisting includes Arvind, Marcello, Chris, Dino
- Next week's meeting
 - language bindings for next week's meeting
 - move thurs triage to start at 10 and wg status at 11
 - Discuss proposal to outline the process for changing APIs



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Notes from 14.12

Post Mortem

14.12 Post Mortem Improvement Items (1/3)

- Aligning date & the end game (lockdown) schedule of AllJoyn releases with release schedule of the contributing member companies if it happens to be in close proximity of AllJoyn release
 - **Action:** Arvind to send proposal to Core WG mail list
- Consistent and enforced definition/bar for code freeze
 - Need crisp definitions for "incremental bug bars" (normal, tell, ask)
 - Need approval granularity (approval on merge)
 - Need process for how to deal with large last-minute changes
 - Suggestion – only high priority issues “ask” are added one week before release
 - **Action:**
 - Marcello to send current milestone definition to Core WG mail list
 - Gavin to send proposal to Core WG mail list based on Marcello’s email
- Need processes for breaking changes
 - Regarding protocol, API syntax, behavior
 - Mitigation: Proposed changes should be advertised
 - **Action:** Chris to add the process to this to the existing process draft

14.12 Post Mortem Improvement Items (2/3)

- Need agenda and slides 48 hours ahead of core WG meetings
 - Best effort to send slides by COB Friday
- Need notes from core WG meetings sent more consistently
 - Note: Linux foundation unable to assist
 - **Action:** Gavin to see if someone from Microsoft can assist
- For TSC: PR coordination for releases
 - More an issue for marketing committee
 - **Action:** Chris to discuss this with Philip
- Engage system test during feature testing
 - More members conducting system test is preferred
- Testing needs to be better distributed across members
- E2E testing is needed
 - **Action:** David and Arvind will make a proposal
- More frequently merge feature branches so that deltas can be kept to a reasonable minimum
 - **Action:** Chris to add process to the Wiki process draft

14.12 Post Mortem Improvement Items (3/3)

- May need more frequent but shorter Core WG meetings
 - WG meeting immediately following triage meeting for 30 minutes
 - **Action:** Chris to change Core WG status meetings to 30 minutes after the Thursday triage
- Increase frequency of triage meetings earlier in the process
 - **Action:** Chris to set up biweekly triage 2 weeks prior to branch date
 - For 15.04 it will begin week of March 9
- Define JIRA severity vs. priority process
 - **Action:** David & Arvind to set up discussions to craft proposal
- To be discussed at next meeting
 - JIRA label to identify contributing organization taking ownership of the item
 - Need process for managing the platform matrix
 - Revisit code style guidelines, rules, and enforcement