Allow end user to switch codemirror on in tracker field textareas when the site feature allows

Status
● Open

Subject
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Version
12.x
13.x
14.x

Category
- Usability
- Dogfood on a *.tiki.org site
- Consistency

Feature
Trackers
Edit interface (UI)
Syntax highlighter (Codemirror)

Resolution status
New

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Rating
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Related-to
- 14.x: Comments can't be posted nor edited when codemirror is switched on (or 'disabled but switchable')

Description
When codemirror is on and its default mode is set to "Off (but switchable)", the end user expects to see a button available in tracker item textareas (like in dev.t.o/t5 bug tracker).
But it's not available still.

To see it reproduced:
Log in here:
http://xavi-9794-5064.show.tikiwiki.org/tiki-index.php?page=Contact_us&itemId=1
u: admin
p: 12345

Codemirror has been set to on (with default theme). If you edit the "Contact_us" page you'll see the content highlighted.
However, no highlighting in the tracker text area field.

Maybe the best option would be to allow the tracker admin to set an option for text areas to include the button to toggle the "highlighter" upon user request (as with text areas in wiki pages).
This way, codemirror could be set to "Disabled but switchable" (default preference in new installs), and each user could decide whether to enable highlighting in that text area or not (to prevent side issues in some cases with codemirror on, from happening always in all text areas, etc)

Solution
Maybe the best option would be to allow the tracker admin to set an option for text areas to include the button to toggle the "highlighter" upon user request (as with text areas in wiki pages).
This way, codemirror could be set to "Disabled but switchable" (default preference in new installs), and each user could decide whether to enable highlighting in that text area or not (to prevent side issues in some cases with codemirror on, from happening always in all text areas, etc)

Importance
4

Easy to solve?
8

Priority
32

Demonstrate Bug
Please demonstrate your bug on show2.tikiwiki.org

Version: trunk
Create show2.tikiwiki.org instance

Ticket ID
5064

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Saturday 14 December, 2013 12:10:26 GMT-0000

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Sunday 21 September, 2014 09:28:44 GMT-0000

Comments
The original document is available at
http://dev.tiki.org/item5064-Allow-end-user-to-switch-codemirror-on-in-tracker-field-textareas-when-the-site-feature-allows