Subject: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Spoony on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 14:31:27 GMT

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How about that?

There isn't one, obviously. Is there a reason why there should not be?

I could host it, or if, say, Crimson wanted to instead that'd be fine - in fact, probably better - but if I were to host it it wouldn't belong to me, it'd belong to the Renegade Community. This forum, as a community, could decide stuff like the rules by having polls, appoint moderators, etc.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Goztow on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 14:35:29 GMT

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Posted by cheesesoda on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 14:59:45 GMT

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Posted by IronWarrior on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 14:59:47 GMT

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+1 agree.

OnTopic: If you guys got a TeamSpeak server up, I'd most probably play, Then we all could use this new tactic called "teamwork"!

If not, back to APB for me.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by danpaul88 on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 16:35:02 GMT

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Sorry, but why do we need MORE servers? Eventually we are going to end up having 1 server for every player online at any given time, which is completely pointless...

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Romaner on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 16:54:21 GMT

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I agree that more servers is not needed. Everyone here already plays somewhere or doesn't play. That time and server could be used in better ways.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Starbuzz on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 17:25:07 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Yeah but a server run by this community would be interesting and may serve to unite us more. (I know that sounds a little cheesy).

Since everyone plays in different servers, the members in this forum rarely run into each other. I don't know about others but to me it will mean a lot if there was a server where everyone from the

forums here would join in and play.

And I agree completely with Spoony...we can decide on the rules and the mods and so on. It will be really interesting and will bring the community closer.

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Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Tunaman on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 17:43:21 GMT

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Maybe have Spoony and Crimson both be admins, and each of them get to choose something like 3 or 4 trusted moderators?

^That's just an example.. We could have more admins, but those are the two that I'm pretty sure would be admins.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by trooprm02 on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 19:17:11 GMT

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Posted by danpaul88 on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 19:22:22 GMT

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Quite a few servers already have a Teamspeak server for players, and I am pretty sure n00bstories is one of them...

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by cmatt42 on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 20:15:59 GMT

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Isn't there already an official community server? That's what they called it. I swear there was, and the majority of the players were German.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Matix101 on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 20:49:17 GMT

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I remember there were a couple of renegade community servers.. lol

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by IronWarrior on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 21:14:39 GMT

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Fucking pointless... even if one was set up, no one would really join it, like I'll said eailer, we all have our home servers that we play in.

And I'll agree with Goztow, we would end up fighting over everything about the server.

Good idea but just not needed.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by Sn1per74* on Tue, 11 Sep 2007 21:16:22 GMT

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Brilliant Idea. There should be single player death match maps too!

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by _SSnipe_ on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 01:17:22 GMT

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u guys should close the servers that are ALWAYS empty

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by scarabguy on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 02:38:57 GMT

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Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by nikki6ixx on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 03:56:04 GMT

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Posted by GsXr1400 on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 07:16:13 GMT

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There's no reason to think that because Spoony is the admin, there will be less n00bs.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by GsXr1400 on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 09:19:54 GMT

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ummmm most cw.cc players would play in his public server than any 1 elses. = less n00bs

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by 3663Nixon on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 11:16:24 GMT

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would be useful to host community network matches - would also draw in those communities that may not be able to find somewhere to host a community match.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Spoony on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 11:29:06 GMT

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who cares if new players join it? If the site is officially aligned to this community rather than any other (or any person), new players will find out about this forum's existence, for one thing.

As for those of you who say there'd be no point - there'd also be no harm, surely? I could set it up in the space of a day or so if I had the blessing of the admins here... and if it ended up being totally unused, we can just get rid of it, who'd care?

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by Ghostshaw on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 12:02:40 GMT

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-Ghost-

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by scarabguy on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 12:14:20 GMT

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Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by trooprm02 on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 16:16:07 GMT

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Troop, go back to work and do your homework.

Rules are there for a reason, being to increase the joy of everyone. At least, that's what a reason should do, else it's pretty pointless.

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Well yes. But this is a community, and like a workplace, you need a general consensus as to how it is run. Perhaps there will be enough people in the middle who will give and take, and experience has shown there usually is. However, you will get the more dedicated gamers getting into arguments with the more casual ones like me. Maps will likely be a contentious issue. Some

people will call for fan-maps, and others will only want the maps that originally came with the game. Every so often I hear people complaining about weapon drops; how will the community decide upon those?

You can always do polling, but there's always some dipstick who believes that the poll is bullshit, and will make his points heard every game, and in every thread.

I honestly think the current system is fine, and offers a good variety of gameplay.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Renx on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 18:59:02 GMT

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I can't see this working. This community is just made up of people from various other communities. Most of those people are likely going to still want to play on the same server they've been playing on for years. Either it wouldn't work, or it would just end up damaging the already existing community servers.

If someone wanted to try it out, I would support it of course. But that is just my opinion.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Genesis2001 on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 19:03:08 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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I've had this idea for a while now, but lacked the money to implement my plan

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Great idea. This would get people to join the server more IMO.

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Offer the communities "peace" agreements to sorta "merge" with the main community.

Ghostshaw wrote on Wed, 12 September 2007 06:02It will take up time setting it up and managing it...

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All it would take is to set it up (max one hour), get an irc bot, install BIATCH, and run SSGM.

-MathK1LL

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Crimson on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 22:14:15 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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If a few of the scarcely-populated servers wanted to shut down and help run this project, I might consider supporting the idea.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by CarrierII on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 22:19:13 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Or you could take the decent staff from (unfourtunately) failed servers like Xphaze. (:-s)

I'd happily help to maintain it, I know what I'm doing both as a moderator and I've used local copies of the FDS before. Learning BIATCH and the differences betweeen 1.52 and 1.43 in Brenbot won't be too hard.

Edit @ nightma, I could donate a little, it's easier as you're UK based.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by Nightma12 on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 22:26:02 GMT

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I could host this for free if this goes ahead?

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Posted by IronWarrior on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 23:12:58 GMT

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Average ping? O.o lol

(Don't mean to start a flame war, but...) I hear AOHost lags a lot :\

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Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Carrierll on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 07:30:20 GMT

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It will if you're in the US, just as we UK'ers lag in your servers.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Ghostshaw on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 08:38:58 GMT

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AOhost has bigger SFPS issues in my experience....

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Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by EvilWhiteDragon on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 09:27:32 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Nightma12 on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 11:56:22 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Try to get your facts straight... We upgraded our hardware a couple of months ago and havnt had a single lag problem ever since.

www.aohost.co.uk/newbox.jpg << heres a screenshot of our new specs.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by 3663Nixon on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 12:33:50 GMT

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If a UK server is hosted with a LINX member (highly probable - they handle 95/96% of the UK's traffic), this shouldn't be an issue as they have nice links over to telx in NY. As for the rest of Europe- I have no idea!

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by IronWarrior on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 15:24:56 GMT

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I'll don't think lag/ping or anything would be an issue.

Just the server itself, what maps/mods/rules/admins/renguard/biatch/everything will the main issues.

Again, this is pointless, why should anyone of us leave our active servers and play here?

The server would have to offer the player something for them to leave their server and friends for.

This is an good idea, but totaly at the wrong stage in Renegade cycle of life, something like this would had been good at the start of Renegade.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server

Posted by GsXr1400 on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 15:55:13 GMT

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Posted by trooprm02 on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 16:18:27 GMT

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Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Spoony on Thu, 13 Sep 2007 17:04:57 GMT

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I didn't say it would be "like" spoonysrv, I said I'd use the spoonysrv server for it and make whatever changes are appropriate. That was in response to the "too many servers" comment.

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We optimized it to give a low as possible ping to anyone. My own ping is around 30-50.

I myself had a ping of 200+ on average when I once played the jelly servers. Never played there again because of the lag induced by the ping and the general playing style, but that might've been because of the sick number of players.

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But, as that would be modding the server, it would make people cry.

Which is an other reason, it's not gonna work.

If the server can't hold 100 players, then it wouldn't be much of a community would it, with 32 or so players in there...

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I mean, hello, vehicle limit of 7 (yes it's 8 but that includes the harvester)...

Vehicle limit can be anything you want it to be.

But, as that would be modding the server, it would make people cry.

Which is an other reason, it's not gonna work.

If the server can't hold 100 players, then it wouldn't be much of a community would it, with 32 or so players in there...

your forgetting one thing. it will never happen. 100 players plus even 20 vehicles = massive lag! that, and no one will ever agree on any rule, any maps, any mods, or anythign else. it would be a nightmare.

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by GsXr1400 on Fri, 14 Sep 2007 05:01:13 GMT

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Tunaman wrote on Thu, 13 September 2007 12:34EvilWhiteDragon wrote on Thu, 13 September 2007 05:27

Also, weirdly enough, it appears that USA players have less lag problems when playing a euro server then when a Euro player plays on a USA server.

From what I heard this is because USA datacenters don't have high quality links to Europe, while the Euro datacenters do. It has something to do with peering contracts, and that the European hosting companies are willing to pay a bit more for this peering, resulting in better connections.

For Renegade servers this doesn't really seem to be that true.. All of the euro servers I join besides a few(#GW and I didn't even know that Nightma's boxes were actually in Europe) I get 250+ ping, while most Euro players say that they get around 180-190 ping average..

In euro serv meh ping is normally between 60+ in usa its 160+ noramally hittin 180's

Subject: Re: Suggestion: Official Community Server Posted by Xpert on Mon, 17 Sep 2007 19:26:57 GMT

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As good as the idea may sound, this would never work out. Many of us admins and owners of our own communities have our own perspective on how to run and do things in a community. Too many different views would be tossed around and many disagreements will be brought up. It's too hectic. It's already a hard enough job to manage our own seperate communities and servers in this game.