From: Bowman, Randal
To: Shulman, Stu
Cc: Marcia Cash; Mark Hoy
Subject: Re: My mistake on date - should be July 13 for removal
Date: Monday, July 24, 2017 10:52:56 AM

If you can turn off the OCR that is probably the best - we do not need to read each card when they are posted by groups. Marcia, please let us know immediately if that will complicate your spreadsheet effort.

On Mon, Jul 24, 2017 at 11:49 AM, Shulman, Stu <stu@texifter.com> wrote:

> We are going to load the images and make the PDFs viewable on DiscoverText, but we are going to stop trying to OCR PDFs for now. It is really gumming up the process.
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> Stu
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> On Mon, Jul 24, 2017 at 11:47 AM, Bowman, Randal <randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:
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>> No, Marcia is setting up a spreadsheet process to track how many cards/letters/signatures are in attachments.
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>> On Mon, Jul 24, 2017 at 11:03 AM, Shulman, Stu <stu@texifter.com> wrote:
>>> Is someone actually counting the cards in the images?
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>>> On Mon, Jul 24, 2017 at 11:01 AM, Bowman, Randal <randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:
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>>>> We need to do our best to determine how many post cards there are and what they say. When submitted by groups they usually say how many cards they are attaching and what viewpoint they express..
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>>>> Marcia, did you do your spreadsheet from FDMS or DiscoverText? I think that will be the key on how we proceed.
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>>>> On Mon, Jul 24, 2017 at 10:26 AM, Shulman, Stu <stu@texifter.com> wrote:
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>>>>> OK.
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>>>>> We are learning the issues are related to massive PDFs of scanned postcards. I'm unclear if there is any value to having those in DiscoverText. It definitely slows down the process because we try to OCR all of them, which is a huge waste of computational power.
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>>>>> Do you really need postcards in electronic format on two different information systems (FDMS & DiscoverText)?
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>>>>> Stu
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>>>>> On Mon, Jul 24, 2017 at 9:59 AM, Bowman, Randal <randal_bowman@ios.doi.gov> wrote:

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