QGIS Application - Bug report #3154

SVG Patterns: References to SVG files should start with pattern/symbol repository when paths are set to relative

2010-10-25 08:49 AM - Andreas Neumann

Status: Closed
Priority: Low
Assignee: nobody Category: Symbology

Affected QGIS version:

Operating System: All

Pull Request or Patch supplied:

Crashes QGIS or corrupts data:

Regression?: No

Resolution: fixed

Copied to github as #: 13214

Description

For SVG pattern fills, currently, the paths are stored relatively to the project file and not relatively to the symbol/pattern repository.

This makes it harder to move projects to a server or different machine that may have a different file/path layout.

It would be good if it could be implemented the same way like SVG symbols:

Current relative behavior with symbols:

<pointsymbol>svg:/abwasser/Oelabscheider Mischwasser.svg</pointsymbol>

Current relative behavior with patterns:

```
<layer pass="0" class="SVGFill" locked="0" > 
cprop k="svgFile"
```

</layer>

I think the "relative" paths should be stored absolutely, but starting from the pattern/symbol repository, with the svg:/ syntax.

History

#1 - 2010-10-31 10:13 AM - Marco Hugentobler

- Resolution set to fixed
- Status changed from Open to Closed

Fixed in commit:2ba62274 (SVN r14464)

#2 - 2010-11-01 03:16 AM - Andreas Neumann

- Resolution deleted (fixed)
- Status changed from Closed to Feedback

I tested this fix on Linux. It works with paths relative from the default system (/usr/local/share/qgis/svg) but not from user-specified paths, set in "Options" --> "Rendering & SVG" --> "SVG paths".

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It would be great if this could work with user-defined paths as well.

In my tests QGIS introduced absolute paths in the .qgs project file, instead of relative ones when picking SVG symbols from a user defined SVG directory.

#3 - 2010-11-05 09:20 AM - Marco Hugentobler

- Resolution set to fixed
- Status changed from Feedback to Closed

Should be fixed in

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