QGIS Application - Feature request #3257
Enhancement: don't show label unless the feature is visible

2010-11-25 05:14 PM - Alister Hood

Status:	Open		
Priority:	Low		
Assignee:			
Category:	Labelling		
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	No	**Resolution:**	
Easy fix?:	No	**Copied to github as #:**	13317

Description

Labels are currently shown for features that are hidden behind other features.

e.g. see the screenshot at [https://trac.osgeo.org/qgis/ticket/3253], where a white polygon has been used specifically to mask other layers.

It would be good if the labelling engine could detect that a feature is invisible, and not label it. Maybe this should be optional.

I guess this might be very difficult to achieve... and if a good solution was implemented for #3253 I think the benefits of this labeling enhancement would be minimal. But I figure it is worth recording the idea anyway.

History

#1 - 2012-07-28 05:19 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Pull Request or Patch supplied set to No

- Assignee deleted (nobody -)

- Category changed from Symbology to Labelling

#2 - 2012-10-06 02:23 AM - Pirmin Kalberer

- Target version changed from Version 2.0.0 to Future Release - Nice to have

#3 - 2017-05-01 12:50 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Easy fix? set to No