

QGIS Application - Feature request #558

Highlight Layers

2007-01-30 02:14 AM - Redmine Admin

Status: Closed	
Priority: Low	
Assignee:	
Category: GUI	
Pull Request or Patch supplied:	Resolution: worksforme
Easy fix?: No	Copied to github as #: 10617
Description	
<p>Allow the user to create layers on the fly where the layer shows a circular or rectangular area. These areas can either be 'drawn' on screen using the mouse, based on a radius or distance from a given lat/long, or based around a point source in a vector layer. The user should be able to also select the colour/texture and give the layer a name.</p> <p>I would use this for identifying/highlighting areas of interest.</p>	

History

#1 - 2008-07-14 11:34 AM - Tim Sutton

Sounds like a nice idea for a plugin. I'm putting this against milestone 2.0.0 though since its not something we will have time to implement within 1.0 release.

Regards

Tim

#2 - 2009-07-16 12:38 AM - alobo -

I would add allowing the user to rotate the feature, i.e., drawing an initial rectangle of a given size that could be interactively refined afterwards, including rotation. I think that this would be best included within the Edit tools.

Agus

#3 - 2009-07-18 10:14 AM - Giovanni Manghi

The latest request seems partially a duplicate of #1787. I leave this note for the developers, for when they will a look at this enhancement.

#4 - 2011-12-25 12:40 PM - Giovanni Manghi

- Status changed from Open to Feedback
- Pull Request or Patch supplied set to No
- Assignee deleted (nobody -)

on the fly layers -> in memory layers plugin

draw regular shapes -> rectangles, ovals, diamond plugin / cad tools plugin

"or based around a point source in a vector layer" -> buffer tool in the vector menu

"The user should be able to also select the colour/texture and give the layer a name" -> you can also for in memory layers

"I would use this for identifying/highlighting areas of interest" -> spatial query tool

I vote to close this ticket, feedback needed.

#5 - 2012-01-02 06:13 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- *Resolution set to worksforme*

- *Status changed from Feedback to Closed*

Closing for lack of feedback and considered that the request is doable on QGIS with the available tools/plugins. Reopen if necessary.