## Foreman - Bug #5178

# Users API requires parameters to be wrapped

04/14/2014 01:32 PM - Thomas McKay

Status: Closed Priority: High

Assignee: Joseph Magen

Category: API
Target version: 1.6.0

Difficulty: Fixed in Releases: Triaged: Found in Releases:

Bugzilla link: 1087372

Pull request: https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/p

ull/1441

#### Description

Cloned from https://bugzilla.redhat.com/show\_bug.cgi?id=1087372

Description of problem:

Calling

@api = ApipieBindings::API.new({

:uri => HammerCLI::Settings.get(:foreman, :host),

:username => HammerCLI::Settings.get(:foreman, :username),

: password => HammerCLI:: Settings.get (: foreman, : password),

:api\_version => 2

})

@api.resource(entity type).call(:create, entity hash)

expects different level of hash encapsulation for different entity types:

• for entity type :organizations :

@api.resource(:organizations).call(:create, entity\_hash)

the entity\_hash is expected to be a simple hash of organization attributes {:description=>"Imported 'Red Hat IT' organization from Red Hat Satellite 5", :name=>"Red Hat IT"}

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• for entity type :users :

@api.resource(:users).call(:create, entity\_hash)

the entity\_hash is expected to be a simple hash of user attributes embedded/wrapped into a extra higher level hash with a single :user key: {:user => user\_hash} {:user=>{:location\_ids=>[], :firstname=>"another", :role\_ids=>[], :lastname=>"another", :login=>"another", :mail=>"root@localhost", :auth source id=>1, :organization ids=>[5], :password=>"another gfolvwxr"}}

Similarly the return values of these API calls are not consistent:

- when creating an organization, the return value is an organization hash embedded in a higher level hash with one "organization" key {"organization" => organization\_hash} {"organization"=>{"apply\_info\_task\_id"=>nil, "updated\_at"=>"2014-04-14T09:21:50Z", "description"=>"Imported 'Red Hat IT' organization from Red Hat Satellite 5", "default\_info"=>{"system"=>[], "distributor"=>[]}, "id"=>2, "deletion\_task\_id"=>nil, "owner\_auto\_attach\_all\_systems\_task\_id"=>nil, "ancestry"=>nil, "created\_at"=>"2014-04-14T09:21:49Z", "service\_level"=>nil, "title"=>"Red Hat IT", "name"=>"Red Hat IT", "ignore\_types"=>[], "service\_levels"=>[]}}
- when creating a new user, the API return value is a simple user\_hash. {"locations"=>[], "lastname"=>"another", "firstname"=>"another", "roles"=>[{"name"=>"Anonymous", "id"=>8}], "updated\_at"=>"2014-04-14T09:26:32Z", "admin"=>nil, "last\_login\_on"=>nil, "usergroups"=>[], "organizations"=>[{"title"=>"Red Hat IT", "name"=>"Red Hat IT", "id"=>5}], "created\_at"=>"2014-04-14T09:26:32Z", "mail"=>"root@localhost", "id"=>4, "auth\_source\_id"=>1, "auth\_source\_name"=>"Internal", "login"=>"another", "auth\_source\_internal"=>{"type"=>"AuthSourceInternal", "name"=>"Internal", "id"=>1}}

Version-Release number of selected component (if applicable): sat6-Satellite-6.0.3-RHEL-6-20140404.0-Satellite-x86 64-dvd1.iso

This is a request to unify to API parameter and return value encapsulation.

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# Related issues: Related to Foreman - Bug #6248: Some JSON responses are still nested in a roo... Closed 06/17/2014 Related to Foreman - Bug #4181: V2: Api docs in foreman should not specify a ... Rejected 01/24/2014

07/17/2014

07/20/2014

Related to Foreman - Bug #6674: Can't create a host via the API because param... **Duplicate**Related to Foreman - Bug #6696: API v2 - specify the key in which the paramet... **Closed** 

#### **Associated revisions**

#### Revision c980e9a8 - 07/15/2014 10:23 AM - Joseph Magen

fixes #5178 - unify API parameters and return values. User creation should not require payload wrapped with 'user' root

## History

#### #1 - 04/14/2014 01:40 PM - Thomas McKay

- Project changed from Katello to Foreman
- Category set to API

Incorrectly put in katello project; fix is predominantly required in foreman to bring apipie params into compliance with documented style.

#### #2 - 04/14/2014 01:41 PM - Adam Price

- Priority changed from Normal to High

#### #3 - 04/15/2014 11:11 AM - David Davis

The first part of this bug (requiring params be nested) is the same as http://projects.theforeman.org/issues/4181.

The second part of this bug is a new issue.

#### #4 - 05/13/2014 12:34 PM - Joseph Magen

- Status changed from New to Ready For Testing
- Assignee set to Joseph Magen

PR 4181 is docs only, so it's not related to this.

This bug was caused by password [filtered] attributes not being wrapped, so POST /users didn't work unless the Hash was wrapped. Now it should work.

https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/1441

#### #5 - 05/13/2014 12:49 PM - Joseph Magen

- Target version set to 1.8.3

## #6 - 05/19/2014 12:41 PM - Anonymous

- Target version changed from 1.8.3 to 1.8.2

## #8 - 05/22/2014 01:33 PM - Dominic Cleal

- Subject changed from unify API parameters and return values to Users API requires parameters to be wrapped

Return value of the taxonomy controllers has been moved to #5580, it's an unrelated issue.

## #9 - 06/03/2014 02:54 PM - Bryan Kearney

- Status changed from Ready For Testing to Closed

Downstream bug is fixed, closing this.

#### #10 - 06/03/2014 02:56 PM - Dominic Cleal

- Status changed from Closed to Ready For Testing

Please don't close issues that have open pull requests, irrespective of bugzilla states.

### #11 - 06/11/2014 02:53 PM - Anonymous

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- Target version changed from 1.8.2 to 1.8.1

#### #12 - 06/24/2014 08:25 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Related to Bug #6248: Some JSON responses are still nested in a root node added

#### #13 - 06/24/2014 08:25 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Related to Bug #4181: V2: Api docs in foreman should not specify a root node for POST/PUT added

## #14 - 07/07/2014 07:21 AM - Anonymous

- Target version changed from 1.8.1 to 1.8.0

## #15 - 07/15/2014 10:24 AM - The Foreman Bot

- Pull request https://github.com/theforeman/foreman/pull/1441 added

# #16 - 07/15/2014 11:01 AM - Joseph Magen

- Status changed from Ready For Testing to Closed
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

Applied in changeset c980e9a8917cc9fdee5835732428462e22fa3f5b.

## #17 - 07/21/2014 04:48 AM - Dominic Cleal

- translation missing: en.field\_release set to 10

## #18 - 07/21/2014 04:49 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Related to Bug #6674: Can't create a host via the API because params aren't correctly wrapped added

#### #19 - 07/21/2014 04:55 AM - Dominic Cleal

- Related to Bug #6696: API v2 - specify the key in which the parameters would be wrapped rather than passing model name added

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