PNG WG Meeting Minutes

Sep 19th, 2022

Attendees:

(Alphabetical order, black text means attended, red text means missed.)
Chris Blume
Chris Lilley
Chris Seeger
Leonard Rosenthol
Pierre-Anthony Lemieux

Topics & Minutes:

- Status update
 - Cosmin Truta, the libpng maintainer, has returned.
 - GitHub pull request 154, Fix internal and definition links
 - Closes GitHub issue 122, Use ReSpec formatting for internal links
 - Closes GitHub issue 123, Use ReSpec formatting for links to definitions
 - The pull request is marked "work in progress" instead of "ready to review". But it sounds like we are ready to land it and complete follow-up work separately.
 - This is now fixed & closed.
 - o GitHub pull request 174, Reword filtering introduction
 - Contributes toward GitHub issue 11, Filter description unclear
 - There are two definitions of how parts of filters work. Do we think there should be only one? If so, are we comfortable removing a section? (We can preserve the anchor in the other definition.)
 - We can confirm that each section contains only the information it should, which should reduce duplication.
 - o GitHub issue 173, Several [[#blah]]s are broken
 - Is this new? Did ReSpec change? Previously, we decided to use formatting instead so maybe we should just replace them all?
 - Assigned to PAL.
 - GitHub issue 29, Ambiguities about extra sample bits in bKGD, tRNS chunks
 - CB asked if this could be assigned to CL. However, this is similar to other work assigned to CB. Should we reassign?
 - Reassigned to CB.
 - o GitHub issue 97, Natural image resolution, CSS. web compat, and pHYs

- This issue is unassigned and marked blocking-3rd-edition-wd. Can we assign this to someone?
- Assigned to CL.
- o GitHub issue 158, Should unused trailing bytes be allowed in the data stream?
 - We previously discussed this on Aug 8th, 2022. We had agreed to add a note for decoders mentioning that this can happen. But we also wanted to investigate the mid-stream padding further so the note could be well informed.
 - The mid-stream padding just resets the deflate dictionary. It isn't a new deflate stream. As a result, the only trailing padding we need to worry about is indeed at the end of the stream.
 - CB to add note.

Action Items:

- CB to add clarifying notes as previously discussed
 - Closes GitHub issue 96, Out-of-range-palette indices
 - Closes <u>GitHub issue 126</u>, <u>Add notes for things which are deliberately not specified</u>
- CB to remove some unused markup from the spec.
 - Closes <u>GitHub issue 135</u>, <u>Remove </u>
- PAL to fix ReSpec errors & warnings around definitions.
- CB & CL to see about submitting for horizontal review