

## Re: OT: Mozilla lost tons of email

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- *From:* Eeyore <[rabbitsfriendsandrelations@xxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:rabbitsfriendsandrelations@xxxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* Sat, 11 Nov 2006 19:41:40 +0000
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Jim Thompson wrote:

On Sat, 11 Nov 2006 16:02:38 GMT, Joerg  
<[notthisjoergsch@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx](mailto:notthisjoergsch@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx)> wrote:

Hello Jeff,

If you get really desperate:

[http://groups.google.com/groups/search?q=ingroup:mozilla.support.\\*+lost+OR+disappeared+](http://groups.google.com/groups/search?q=ingroup:mozilla.support.*+lost+OR+disappeared+)

Done that, too. The only useful hint that I got out of a similar search was that all the mails in the large inbox file might have been flagged deleted. According to a Mozilla bug hint shown by Google the recovery from that would be utterly painful, editing some kind of code snippet "back to normal" in zillions of places in that large file. Oh man, I hope there is an easier way.

Some of us, using UltraEdit, could edit "back to normal" in "zillions of places" in a matter of seconds ;-)

Almost any text editor ought to be able to do that.

Graham

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