Subject: Re: WordPerfect for DOS macros
From: Tim Garner <tgarnerca@yahoo.com>
Date: 1/6/2025, 10:36 AM
To: Mark Roth <blogger@eaf.net>

Hi Mark,

Yes, the file was in a strange place in the retroarchive site, so I'm not surprised you couldn't find it. Anyway, thanks for your help with this and for your generosity in donating your collection. I will let you know when the good prof posts it on his site. It should be sometime this month. Yesterday, he told me he is still grading papers. A teacher's work is never done, eh?

I mostly use WP WIN version 2021 these days, but I go back into WP 5.1 and WP 6.2 from time to time to remember their offerings. Much of the functionality is surprisingly current and occasionally better than today's software. After all these years, I still bemoan the decisions and trends that led to Microsoft Word becoming the de facto standard for word processing. I blame Novell for a good deal of that.

Thanks again and take good care,
Tim

On 1/6/2025 5:50 AM, Mark Roth wrote:

> Good morning, Tim.
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> Thank you for the links. The ZIP file retains its original name, which is surprising to me since I couldn't find it despite trying various searches.
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> I want to update my contact information and send you the updated ZIP.
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> I hope 2025 is off to an encouraging start for you,
> Mark
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> PS: I still use WP DOS (on this Win7 ThinkPad) for certain tasks. 🙂
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> On 1/2/2025 3:44 PM, Tim Garner wrote:
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>> Happy New Year to you, too, Mark!
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>> The link to your collection is here: http://annex.retroarchive.org/cdrom/cotc-10-2/EXTRA/MR_WPM10.ZIP.
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>> And Prof. Mendelson's site is: https://mendelson.org/wpdos.
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>> All the best,
>> Tim
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>> On 12/30/2024 7:19 PM, Mark Roth wrote:
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>>> Good evening, Tim.
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>>> Thanks for your reply.
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>>> Could you please point me to my macro collection at retroactive.org? I looked for it this morning and failed to find it. He must have changed the filename.

Also, may I please have a link to Prof. Mendelson's site?

I wish you a very good 2025,
Mark

On 12/29/2024 12:15 PM, Tim Garner wrote:

> Hi Mark,
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> Thanks for getting back to me on LinkedIn. I found your macro collection on the
> www.retroarchive.org website, which has lots of old DOS and other platforms'
> software.
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> I'm putting together a good-sized list of free and donated WPDOS macros, templates
> and packages (such as yours) to send to Prof. Mendelson. He has not asked me to do
> this, by the way, but we have been in contact through email, and he's happy to be
> able to post all these materials to his site for use by the WPDOS diehards.
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> Many thanks for your consideration,
> Tim Garner
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> P.S. Happy (upcoming) New Year!