

## Installer - Feature #19933

### changing the hostname code repetition in foreman-answers.yaml

06/06/2017 02:36 AM - Han Boetes

<b>Status:</b> New	
<b>Priority:</b> Normal	
<b>Assignee:</b>	
<b>Category:</b> foreman-installer script	
<b>Target version:</b>	
<b>Difficulty:</b>	<b>Fixed in Releases:</b>
<b>Triaged:</b>	<b>Found in Releases:</b>
<b>Bugzilla link:</b>	<b>Red Hat JIRA:</b>
<b>Pull request:</b>	
<b>Description</b>	
<p>foreman installation depend heavily on being able to rerun the foreman-installer after problems. This all goes fine until someone decides to change the hostname. I wasn't aware of the file foreman-answers.yaml and thus ran into a lot of unexpected problems.</p> <p>So I would like to suggest to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• change foreman01.example.com to (pseudocode) \$fqdn in the template</li><li>• change foreman01 to \$hostname</li><li>• Provide an option in the installer to change the hostname.</li><li>• Document host to perform hostname changes and warn that puppet keys need to be replaced.</li></ul> <pre># grep foreman01 /etc/foreman-installer/scenarios.d/foreman-answers.yaml 3:  foreman_url: https://foreman01.example.com 12:  servername: foreman01.example.com 52:  server_ssl_cert: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/certs/foreman01.example.com.pem" 54:  server_ssl_key: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/private_keys/foreman01.example.com.pem" 57:  client_ssl_cert: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/certs/foreman01.example.com.pem" 58:  client_ssl_key: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/private_keys/foreman01.example.com.pem" 81:  websockets_ssl_key: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/private_keys/foreman01.example.com.pem" 82:  websockets_ssl_cert: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/certs/foreman01.example.com.pem" 127:  ssl_cert: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/certs/foreman01.example.com.pem" 128:  ssl_key: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/private_keys/foreman01.example.com.pem" 133:  - foreman01.example.com 159:  puppet_url: https://foreman01.example.com:8140 161:  puppet_ssl_cert: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/certs/foreman01.example.com.pem" 162:  puppet_ssl_key: "/etc/puppetlabs/puppet/ssl/private_keys/foreman01.example.com.pem" 167:  template_url: http://foreman01.example.com:8000 222:  dns_tsig_principal: foremanproxy/foreman01@FOREMAN 240:  foreman_base_url: https://foreman01.example.com 241:  registered_name: foreman01.example.com 308:  client_certname: foreman01.example.com 309:  puppetmaster: foreman01.example.com 317:  - foreman01.example.com 329:  - foreman01.example.com 395:  server_certname: foreman01.example.com 404:  server_foreman_url: https://foreman01.example.com</pre>	
<b>Related issues:</b>	
Related to Katello - Feature #17522: Need a server side tool to assist with t...	<b>Closed</b> <b>11/29/2016</b>

#### History

#1 - 06/06/2017 06:28 AM - Daniel Lobato Garcia

- Tracker changed from Bug to Feature

There is <http://projects.theforeman.org/issues/17522> which does this for Katello, I'm guessing the script can be adapted to be used with plain Foreman too (<https://github.com/Katello/katello-packaging/pull/323/files>)

**#2 - 06/06/2017 06:28 AM - Daniel Lobato Garcia**

- Related to Feature #17522: Need a server side tool to assist with the process of changing the hostname of the Katello server added

**#3 - 06/06/2017 12:36 PM - Han Boetes**

Looks like a start indeed. Perhaps a stern warning that all certificates are going to be invalid also those on depending hosts. So quite a bit of work is involved.

**#4 - 06/06/2017 12:37 PM - Han Boetes**

- Subject changed from *chaning the hostname code repetition in foreman-answers.yaml* to *changing the hostname code repetition in foreman-answers.yaml*