FreeNAS - Bug #24319
Daily report emails: receiving essentially empty
06/01/2017 03:49 PM - Evan Champion

Status: Closed: Duplicate
Priority: Nice to have
Assignee: Suraj Ravichandran
Category: OS
Target version: N/A
Seen in: N/A
Severity: New
Reason for Closing:
Reason for Blocked:
Needs QA: Yes
 Needs Doc: Yes
Needs Merging: Yes
Needs Automation: No
Support Suite Ticket: n/a
Hardware Configuration:
ChangeLog Required: No

Description
Since upgrading to 11.0 I have been receiving essentially empty daily reports, with total content similar to:

Local system status:
3:01AM up 3 days, 22:42, 0 users, load averages: 0.21, 0.14, 0.09

-- End of daily output --

I don't mind getting a daily report if it has something useful e.g. exceptions/alerts/errors, but this is not particularly useful. Can you please review and maybe tweak the daily output so that unless there is an exception it is silent and there is no email?

See in 11.0-RC3/11.0-STABLE with current updates.

Related issues:
Is duplicate of FreeNAS - Bug #24543: Disable daily system uptime report Resolved 06/15/2017

History
#1 - 06/01/2017 04:24 PM - Kris Moore
- Assignee changed from Alexander Motin to Suraj Ravichandran
- Priority changed from No priority to Nice to have
- Target version set to 11.0-U1

#2 - 06/02/2017 06:37 PM - Eric Loewenthal
I'll point out that neither option satisfies everyone. This should be an option in the GUI, to please the "I want pings" and the "it's white noise" camps.

#3 - 06/02/2017 10:15 PM - Evan Champion
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-- End of weekly output --

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I'm in the white noise camp.

Once I've verified the email as working, I only want an email if it requires action/attention. Otherwise I tend to ignore ALL the emails as white noise.