# QGIS Application - Feature request #5215 Save text annotations as shapefile

2012-03-21 08:26 AM - Giovanni Manghi

Status:	Open		
Priority:	Normal		-
Assignee:			-
Category:	Map Canvas		
Pull Request or Patch supplied:		Resolution:	
Easy fix?:	No	Copied to github as #: 14951	
Description			

It would be very useful to allow save text annotation as shapefile (point layer) where the text of the annotations is placed inside the shape table of attributes.

## History

### #1 - 2012-03-21 01:07 PM - aperi2007 -

Yes this is really interesting.

Some the shapefile has max 255 chars and don't allow carriage returns.

I guess a simple but good solution could be to remove all the CarrigeReturn and clip the string to 255 chars max.

Again I geuss the shapefile could have also the coordinates X Y saved in two field "X" , "Y".

## #2 - 2012-10-06 02:18 AM - Pirmin Kalberer

- Target version changed from Version 2.0.0 to Future Release - Nice to have

#### #3 - 2017-05-01 12:50 AM - Giovanni Manghi

- Easy fix? set to No