Samsung Galaxy S3 - Bug #472

Fixing No GPS Lock on Samsung Galaxy SIII

11/03/2014 11:30 AM - Daniel Curtis

Status:	Closed	Start date:	11/03/2014
Priority:	High	Due date:	
Assignee:	Daniel Curtis	% Done:	100%
Category:		Estimated time:	0.50 hour
Target version:		Spent time:	1.50 hour

Description

While I was doing some traveling, I decided to use my phone for navigation using OsmAnd. However, when I opened the app I did not get a lock from any of the GPS satellites. While browsing around I found an app that fixed the problem for me, called FasterFix; root is required. How I fixed it was:

- 1. Download and install FasterFix
- 2. Open FasterFix and allow temporary root access (10min.)
- 3. Select North America from the pull-down menu
- 4. Tap Go

This fixed my GPS problem.

UPDATE 1: I updated my ROM to a newer version and some how broke the FasterFix workaround. However I found another app that fixed the issue, called GPS Test. Once installed I opened up <u>Menu -> Update AGPS</u>

History

#1 - 11/03/2014 11:32 AM - Daniel Curtis

- Status changed from New to Resolved
- % Done changed from 0 to 100

#2 - 12/18/2014 11:48 PM - Daniel Curtis

- File com.chartcross.gpstest.apk added
- Description updated

#3 - 12/26/2014 07:19 PM - Daniel Curtis

- Status changed from Resolved to Closed

Files

com.Double.FasterFix.apk	88.9 KB	11/03/2014	Daniel Curtis
com.chartcross.gpstest.apk	1.22 MB	12/19/2014	Daniel Curtis

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