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To go with our improved disk code, users will have to reformat their drives. I have asked the people from SCM to write this conversion program to allow us time to complete other improvements. The otherwise simple task of modifying the format utility is logically made more complicated by the software interleaving and possibly the bad track areas. Should we hold onto the software interim release or make the changes to a newer one now? Does this impact of the security during the transfers?

Any thoughts or suggestions appreciated. April 1st would today take sometime

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