

Re: Prevent Wallpaper Changes

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Try one of these, depending on desire:

Specific user:

HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Policies\Active-Desktop

DWord Value: NoChangingWallPaper

Settings: 1 = Can't change Wallpaper. Other Desktop tab features available.

Also disables Set as Background on the context menu.

0 = Can change Wallpaper

HKEY_CURRENT_USER\Software\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Policies\System

DWord Value: NoDispBackgroundPage

Settings: 1 = Desktop tab not available in Display Properties

0 = Desktop tab available

All Users:

Group Policy | User Configuration | Administrative Templates | Desktop | Active Desktop

and set Wallpaper lock-out type.

"Alias" <Alias@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
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Hello all,

Is there a way to prevent users from changing the desktop wallpaper in WinXP. My company has one computer which is used by several different dispatch personnel. Our director has a special wallpaper with company logo that should never be changed, but people change it anyway.

Is there a way to keep the same wallpaper visible and prevent other users from changing it?

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