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Steve Block wrote:

>  
> *Part of the problem with this whole thing is that Thunderbird is a truly*  
> *awful mail client. Yes it generally works and yes it is cross platform*  
> *but it is very poorly put together.*  
>  
> *So yes, Thunderbird does not include a "reply to list" function, and yes*  
> *that's just another problem with a problematic mail client.*  
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After reading most of responses in this thread and being a Thunderbird user I thought about the idea of implementing an extension which makes use of the List-Post or other related headers for the "Reply to List" functionality.

I went up to [lxr.mozilla.org](http://lxr.mozilla.org) to study the code for similar actions and also did a search on [mozillazine.org](http://mozillazine.org) forums. And I found the following:  
<https://bugzilla.mozilla.org/attachment.cgi?id=192713&action=diff>

The patch was added to b.m.o on 14 Aug, and is sitting there for review. Lets hope the the mozilla drivers are quick enough to do a r and sr so as to get the functionality into Thunderbird/Mailnews from the 5yr old bug entry!!

/KS

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