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What Happened to the Dead End in Beta?
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Posted by Ghenghis Ska - 2006/01/20 13:07

I was sitting there are lunch earlier mapping out the location of next Tuesdays adventure with some graph paper. (1 square is a DF 2x2 section of DF for making layouts and figuring out what you need) and there was a spot where i was thinking that Dead End from Beta would go great... then i was thinking how long is it... then, hey there is no Dead End in Beta!

I seem to remember there was a longish hallway that ended in a Dead End in the original pixtures of Beta.

Did it get cut with the addition of the much requested 6 inch walls? Will we ever see it?

There any chance of getting a Dead End piece in a future set, I'm thinking a nice short one would be great. Like the Short passage, but closed off on one end, While a plain wall would be GREAT, also one that looks maybe like a Double sided Hatch (i.e. each side is designed to look something like a door). While that is less of an issue with more doors in Beta...

A short ending would be great...

# What Happened to the Dead End in Beta? Posted by Stefan - 2006/01/20 14:32

Never was a dead end in any original designs...unless Jeff slipped one in there without me knowing...but a hatch type piece would be kool...

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Posted by Ghenghis Ska - 2006/01/20 15:04

Huhm... i guess i was mistaken, I remember seeing this picture and a few like it, yonks ago

http://i24.photobucket.com/albums/c5/GhengisSka/GQ4Picture.jpg

And the thing in the lower right corner, which now could be a L corner from this picture, where it is cut off, but in the ones i saw before where it was full, i swore before it was a Dead end...

## What Happened to the Dead End in Beta? Posted by jkratzer - 2006/01/20 17:23

That's okay, Ska: For the longest time, I could have sworn there was a semi-curved desk-kinda-thingy

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there in the room on the left side of the picture. I finally figured out, just now(!), that it's a hatch frame, with the door pulled out, and laid on it's face as a countertop!

Now, I don't know WHO thought of that use for a door-frame (Stefan-n-n; have you been playing again?), but it's a very 'inwentif' idea.

See ya!
Jim
What Happened to the Dead End in Beta? Posted by RabidFox* - 2006/01/20 23:56
GS, I understand your confusion now.
I am very sorry to say GS that Stefan is right; there is no SF dead end. At least there is not to my knowledge nor does this pic show one. I do not remember where I saw the larger pic, but I do not possess a copy to prove what I am about to say.
What I DO know GS is that what appears to be a dead end is a portion of an "L" passage. Sorry.
I guess you do not need to e-Mail me back with the pic if this is the one you were speaking of earlier GS.
I would love an SF dead end too GS. May be soon, eh?
What Happened to the Dead End in Beta? Posted by Ghenghis Ska - 2006/01/21 08:24
Eh all i know is i thought there was a dead end some place But i didn't save any of the older pictures that were around before the hack.
What Happened to the Dead End in Beta? Posted by jkratzer - 2006/01/22 09:06

GS, RF;

I know the Cavern set, the MM WA1, and (I think!) the Narrow Passages all have a dead end piece. I particularly remember the cheering when the Caverns got it, I think it was in Cavernous Passages (I'm just too lazy to go all the way down to the basement, start ripping boxes open, and check, then come

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back up). That may be the source of the confusion.

However, RF, you're correct about the picture; that IS an L-corner that looks dead-ended.

And, with that, I suspect this thread has come to a dead end.

See ya guys! Jim