License Fields

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1. Filling in Boilerplate Fields

Here is what one incarnation of the OFPL boilerplate looks like:

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```

2. The fields

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4. should be a list of contributors to the file, preferably one per line. The preferred format of each line is *Real Name <login@email.address>*

3. Complete example

So a filled out copy of the boilerplate text might look something like this:

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```