Subject: Re: AIFF to Wave file conversion
Posted by kerryg on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 03:47:50 GMT
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iTunes will git 'er done for you for free. Go into "preferences" and find the "advanced" tab. Find the "import" sub-tab. Switch that to "wav", OK it, close preferences. Now go back to your main screen and select the file(s) and go to your "advanced" menu in the bar at the top of the screen. Select "Convert to wav".

I don't know if it's header compatible, so you may have to run StripWav, but give them a try "as is" and let us know how it goes.

- K

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Posted by uptown jimmy on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 04:02:35 GMT
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Posted by Rod Lincoln on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 04:27:44 GMT
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Posted by Erling on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 08:10:29 GMT
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A search on internet gave oceans of results, so here are one of the
first freeware I found:
 http://www.softpedia.com/get/Multimedia/Audio/Audio-Converto rs/Aiff-To-Wave-Converter.shtml

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Posted by kerryg on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 16:28:53 GMT
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Subject: Re: AIFF to Wave file conversion
Posted by kerryg on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 22:43:48 GMT

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On 2008-10-30 16:52:09 -0700, "Ted Gerber" <tedgerber@rogers.com> said:

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I am in awe. Bookmarked - and targetted.

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