

STAFF REPORT

DATE: April 28, 2015

RE: 700 Amelia Street (permit application #7364)

FROM: Karen DeMaria, Urban Forestry Manager,
City of Key West

An application was received for the removal **of (1) African Tulip tree**. A site inspection was done on April 21, 2015 and documented the following:

Tree Species: *Spathodea campanulata* (African Tulip)







Original base
of tree—tree
fell during a
hurricane and
regrew





African tulip tree canopy competes with large sapodilla and other large canopy trees in immediate area.

Diameter: **13.7"**

Location: 40% (original, main stump on property line)

Species: 50% (not on protected or not protected tree list)

Condition: 40% (tree uprooted in past and regrew on side, competing for canopy space with other trees)

Total Average Value = 43%

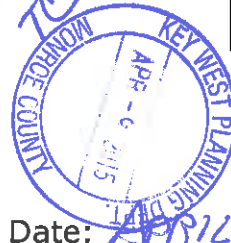
Value x Diameter = 5.9 replacement caliper inches

Recommendations: Recommend approval of the removal of (1) African Tulip tree located at 700 Amelia Street, to be replaced with 5.9 caliper inches of FL#1 native dicot or fruit trees.

Application



May TC



7364

Tree Permit Application

Date: APRIL 9, 2015

Please Clearly Print All Information unless indicated otherwise.

Tree Address 700 AMELIA ST.
Cross/Corner Street CALAIS ST.
List Tree Name(s) and Quantity AFRICAN TULIP — ONE —
Species Type(s) check all that apply () Palm () Flowering () Fruit () Shade () Unsure
Reason(s) for Application:

(☒) REMOVE (☒) Tree Health () Safety () Other/Explain below
() TRANSPLANT () New Location () Same Property () Other/Explain below
() HEAVY MAINTENANCE () Branch Removal () Crown Cleaning/Thinning () Crown Reduction

Other/Explain LOT IS HEAVILY TREED. MATURE SAPPODILLA (2),
MASTIC, GUMBO-LIMBO, POINCIANA (5) AND PALMS TAKE
Reason for Request UP MOST OF LOT. THE AFRICAN TULIP BLOCKS CONSTRUCTION
IN THE AREA LEFT TO BUILD ON.

Property Owner Name GEORGE HALLORAN
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Property Owner Mailing Address GEORGEHALLORAN@GMAIL.COM
Property Owner Mailing City KEY WEST State FL Zip 33040
Property Owner Phone Number (305) 296-6108
Property Owner Signature George Halloran

Representative Name _____
Representative eMail Address _____
Representative Mailing Address _____
Representative Mailing City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Representative Phone Number () _____ - _____

NOTE: A Tree Representation Authorization form must accompany this application if someone other than the owner will be representing the owner at a Tree Commission meeting or picking up an issued Tree Permit.

Tree Representation Authorization form attached ()

<<<<< Sketch location of tree in this area including cross/corner Street >>>>>

Please identify tree(s) with colored tape



= CANOPY

THIS TREE WAS BLOWN OVER IN THE PAST, AND THE TRUNK NOW LIES ON THE GROUND FOR THE FIRST 15', THEN GOES UP.

If this process requires blocking of a City right-of-way, a separate ROW Permit is required. Please contact 305-809-3740.

NO ROW PERMIT NEEDED