

# STAFF REPORT

DATE: March 24, 2016

**RE: 1601 Johnson Street (permit application # T16-7875)**

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

An application was received requesting the removal of **(1) Gumbo Limbo tree**. A site inspection was done on March 23, 2016 and documented the following:

Tree Species: Gumbo Limbo (*Bursera simaruba*)











Diameter: 8.2"

Location: 40% (wrong tree, wrong place-too close to house)

Species: 100% (on protected tree list)

Condition: 40% (poor)

Total Average Value = 60%

**Value x Diameter = 4.9 replacement caliper inches**

**Recommendation: Recommend approval of the removal of one (1) Gumbo Limbo tree at 1601 Johnson Street to be replaced with 4.9 caliper inches of dicot or fruit trees from approved list, FL#1, to be planted on site.**