

STAFF REPORT

DATE: February 27, 2020

RE: 1100 Blk 17th Street Median (even side)
(permit application # T2020-0069)

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

An application was received requesting the removal of (1) Sea Grape tree located in the 17th Street Median across the street from 1106. A site inspection was done and documented the following:

Tree Species: Sea Grape (*Coccoloba uvifera*)



Photo showing tree location.



Photo of entire tree.



Photo showing trunk and base of tree, view 1.



Photo of tree trunk and canopy, view 1.



Photo of tree canopy, view 1. Notice decay in central branches.



Photo of tree canopy, view 2.



Photo of tree trunk and base of tree, view 2.



Close up photo of tree trunk.



Photo of trunk and canopy area with decay.



Close up photo of decay area.



Photo of another view of decay area in canopy.



Photo of canopy, view 3.



Photo of tree canopy, view 4.



Photo of tree February 20, 2020 when section broke off.

Diameter: 28"

Location: 70% (near roadway, in park area)

Species: 100% (on protected tree list)

Condition: 50% (overall condition is fair to poor, decay in trunks and canopy, tree keeps dropping limbs, to remove cross branches and decay in canopy would remove entire center of canopy)

Total Average Value = 73%

Value x Diameter = 20.4 replacement caliper inches

Application



2020-0069

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FEB 25 2020

CITY MANAGER

Tree Permit Application

1100 BIK 17th St Median (even side)

Please Clearly Print All Information unless indicated otherwise. Date: 2-24-20

Tree Address

17th St Median (across from 1106) 17th

Cross/Corner Street

N/A

List Tree Name(s) and Quantity

1- Sea Grape

Species Type(s) check all that apply

() Palm () Flowering () Fruit (X) Shade () Unsure

Reason(s) for Application:

(X) Remove

(X) Tree Health (X) Safety () Other/Explain below

() Transplant

() New Location () Same Property () Other/Explain below

() Heavy Maintenance Trim

() Branch Removal () Crown Cleaning/Thinning () Crown Reduction

Citizen Complaint - would like tree removed

Additional Information and

Explanation

One trunk section fell over in high winds 2-21-20.

Several areas of decay in trunk + canopy. Tree has been dropping large branches the past two years. Was once a much larger tree. Canopy services requests removed.

Property Owner Name

City of Key West

Property Owner email Address

Property Owner Mailing Address

PO Box 1409 KW 33041

Property Owner Phone Number

Property Owner Signature

Representative Name

Karen Sellamia - Urban Forester

Representative email Address

Representative Mailing Address

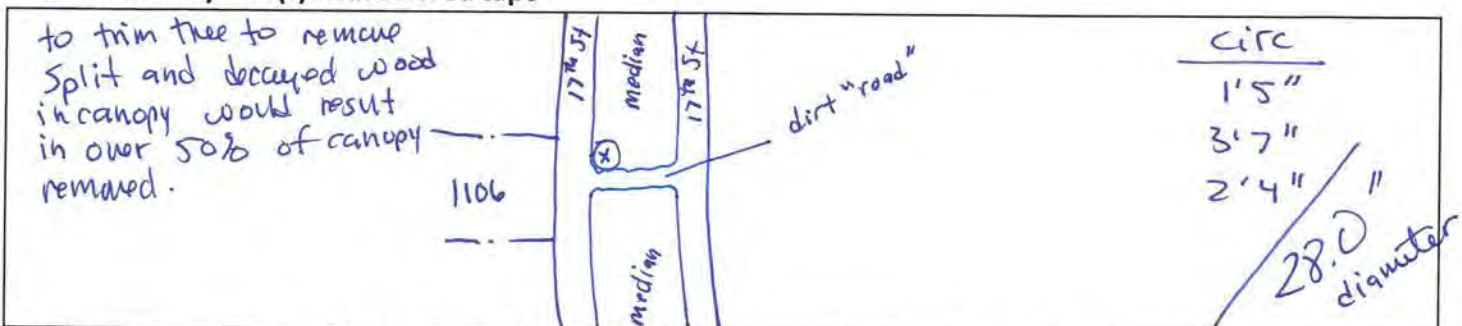
Representative Phone Number

X 3768

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



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

Untitled Map

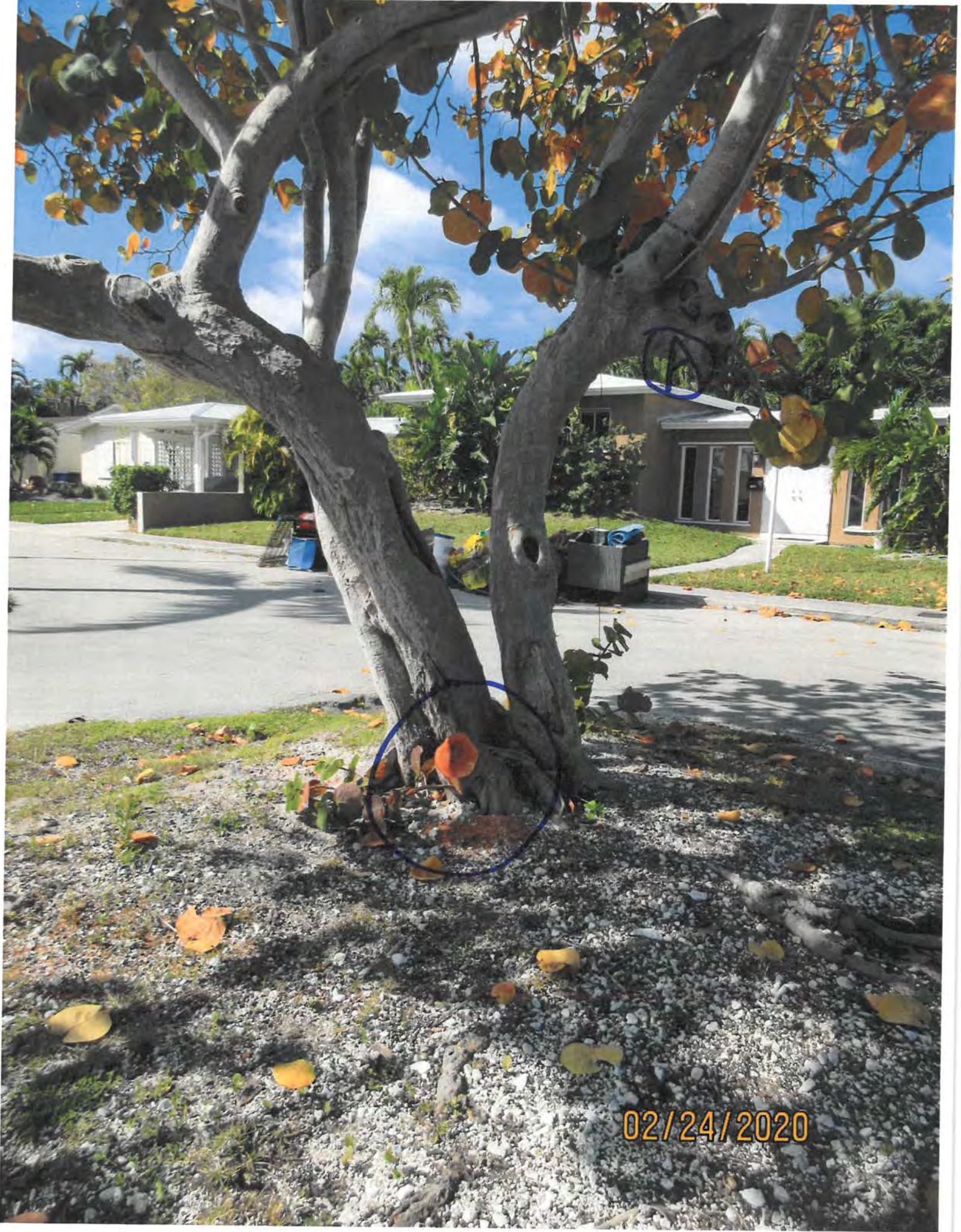
Write a description for your map.

Legend



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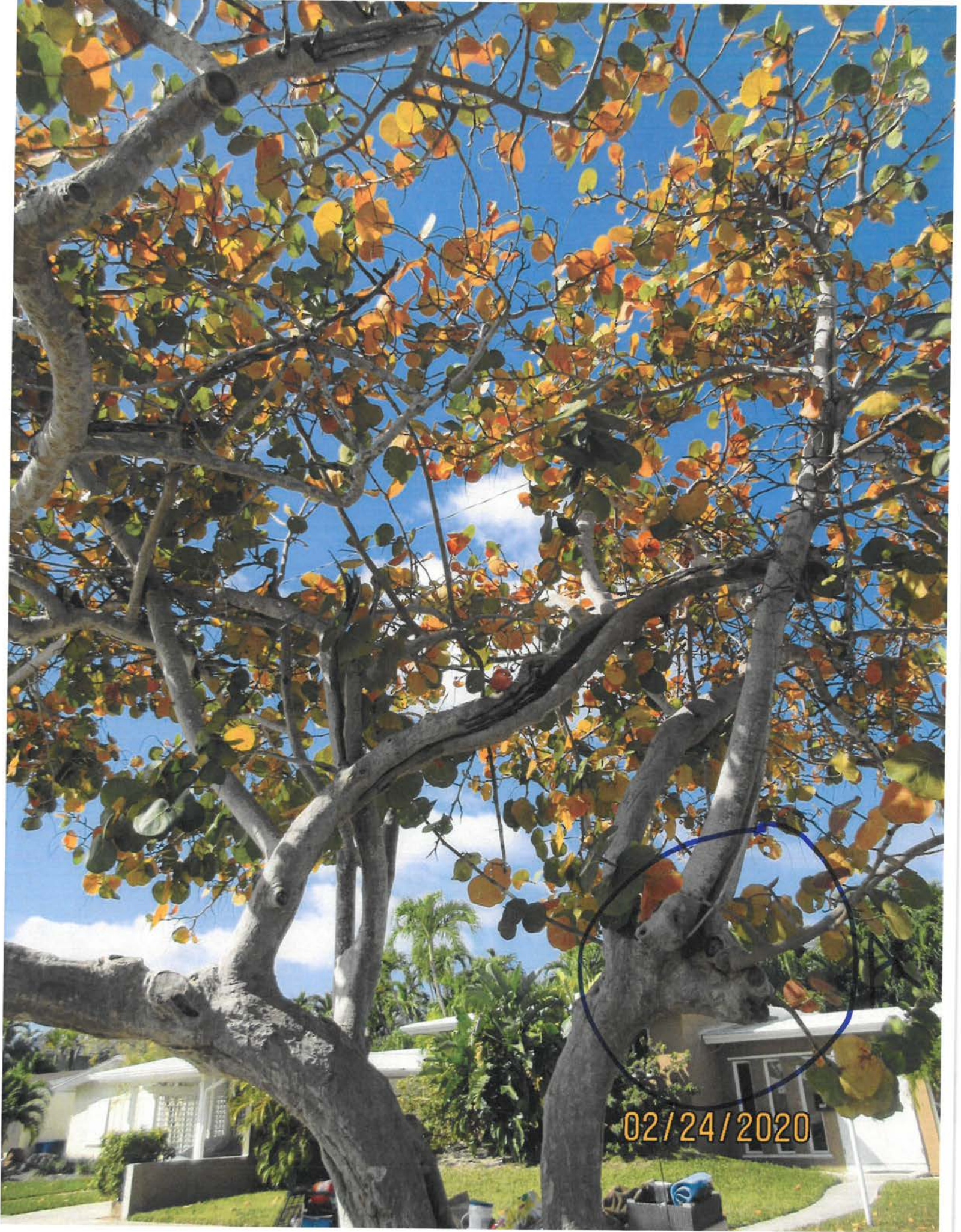




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