

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

DATE: June 24, 2013

RE: 2325 Fogarty Avenue (permit application # 6449)

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

An application was received for the removal of **(2) Strangler Fig trees**. A site inspection was done on June 21, 2013 and documented the following:

Tree Species: Strangler Fig (*Ficus aurea*)



1. Diameter: 14" dbh





Location: 40% (foundation issues with roots)

Species: 100% (on protected tree list)

Condition: 60% (fair)

Total Average Value = 66 %

Value x Diameter = **9 replacement caliper (dbh) inches**

2. Diameter: 9.5" dbh







Location: 40% (issues with roof of house next door and fence)

Species: 100% (on protected tree list)

Condition: 50% (fair, being overshadowed by larger ficus nearby)

Total Average Value = 63%

Value x Diameter = **6 replacement caliper (dbh) inches**

Recommendations: Recommend the removal of both strangler figs with a total replacement of 15 caliper inches.



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City of Key West Tree Commission

Tree Permit Application

PO Box 1409
Key West, FL 33040
Phone: 305-809-3764
Fax: 305-809-3978

RE#: _____

Alt Key: _____

Home/Property Owner: J. Doug Brown Date: 6-18-2013

Mailing Address: 2325 Fagerty Ave. Key West, FL 33040

Owner Signature: _____ Owner Ph#: (305) 295-8308

Represented by: Kenneth King Rep. Ph#: (305) 296-8101

Represented by mailing address: 1602 Lolo St Key West, FL 33040

Attendance at the Tree Commission meeting on the date when your request will be discussed is necessary in order to expedite the resolution of your application.
A letter of representation from the owner must accompany this application if the owner is unable to attend.

Letter of Representation ()

Tree(s) Address: 2325 Fagerty Ave Cross/Corner Street: 5th St.

Common Name(s): 2 Stranger Fig Ficus Scientific Name(s): _____

Species Type(s) (check all that apply): () Palm () Flowering () Fruit Shade

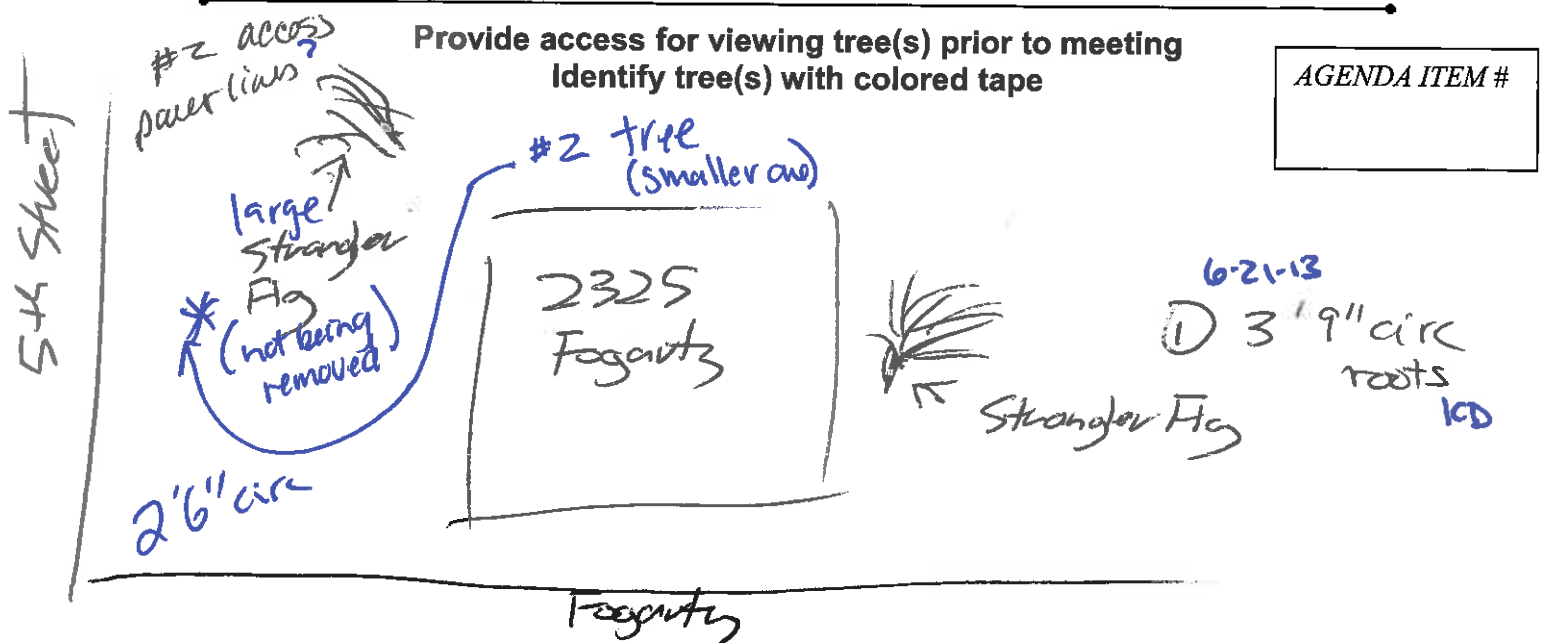
Reason(s) for Application (check all that apply):
 REMOVE () TRANSPLANT () HEAVY MAINTENANCE
() Tree Health () New Location () Branch Removal
() Safety () Same Property () Crown Cleaning/Thinning
 Other / Explain () Other / Explain () Crown Reduction

Reason(s) for request:
The tree on the right side of the house is doing root damage. The tree on the left side of the house is growing into the building next door. The big Stranger Fig in the back stays.

Replacement plant material must be Florida Grade #1. Replacement of a palm with a native palm is required. Replacement of a canopy tree with a native canopy tree is required. If you need assistance with replacements, please call the Landscape Department at 305-809-3723. If this process requires blocking of a city right-of-way, a separate ROW Permit is required. Please contact Diane Nicklaus 305-809-3951.

ltr of authorization OK

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



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Tree Species Strangler Fig

Circumference ① 45" circ $\div 3.14 = \text{diameter}$ ① 14"
② 30" circ ② 9.5" dbh

Location _____ % Species _____ % Condition _____ % Total Average Value _____ %

Avg. value _____ X _____ Diameter = _____
Replacement Inches

LOCATION: OLD CITY HALL, 510 GREENE STREET, 5:00 p.m.

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() TABLED () APPROVED () DENIED () FURTHER ACTION

COMMENTS:

AUTHORIZATION LETTER

J. Doug Brown

(owner address)

2325 FOGARTY

Key West, FL 33040

Dear Tree Commissioners:

This letter is authorization and confirmation that I, J. Doug Brown, have
(owner name)

retained Kenneth King to represent me in the matter of obtaining a
(representative name)

permit from the City of Key West for my property at 2325 Fogarty Ave
(tree address)

You may contact me at (305) 295-8308. Thank you.
(telephone number)

J. Doug Brown
Signature

City of Key West Tree Commission
McCoy Indigenous Park
1801 White Street
Key West, FL 33040