

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

DATE: March 2, 2012

RE: 1017 Varela Street

FROM: Paul Williams, Urban Forestry Manager, City of Key West

An application was received for the removal of two (2) Florida Royal Palm Trees. A site inspection was done on February 29, 2012 and documented the following:

Tree Species: Florida Royal Palm (*Roystonea elata*)



Diameter: Tree # 1 – 16.8” dbh
Tree # 2 – 17.3” dbh
Total dbh = 34.1”

Location: 60% - in fence and Utility line

Species: 100% - Specially protected tree

Condition: 60% - fair health

Total Average Value = 73%

Value x Diameter = replacement caliper (dbh) inches

.73 x 34.1" dbh = **25 replacement caliper (dbh) inches**



Tree # 1 base

Recommendations: Staff recommends **approval of the permit**



Tree # 2 base