

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

DATE: January 20, 2012

RE: 2201 Staples Ave

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

An application was received for the **removal of one (1) Gumbo Limbo Tree**. A site inspection was done on January 20, 2012 and documented the following:

Tree Species: Gumbo Limbo (*Bursea simaruba*)



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Circumference: 40.5" = 12.9" diameter

Location: 40% (Issues with foundation of building and utility lines.)

Species: 100% (tree is on the protected tree list.)

Condition: 80% (Tree appears to be in good health. Does have white fly but that does not effect the overall rating at this time.)

Total Average Value = 73%

Value x Diameter = replacement calipher (dbh) inches =  $.73 \times 12.9" = 9.4"$



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