

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

DATE: July 27, 2012

RE: **1401 Simonton Street**

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

An application was received for the removal of **one (1) Pigeon Plum and four (4) Gumbo Limbo trees**. A site inspection was done on July 26, 2012 and documented the following:

Tree Species: Pigeon Plum (*Coccoloba diversifolia*)  
Gumbo Limbo (*Bursera simaruba*)

Diameter: Tree # 1 – Plum = 5” dbh  
Tree # 2 – Gumbo = 8” dbh  
Tree # 3 – Gumbo = 10.5” dbh  
Tree # 4 – Gumbo = 9.5” dbh  
Tree # 5– Gumbo = 8.5” dbh  
**Total dbh 41.5” dbh**

Location: 40% - foundation issues

Species: 100% - all on protected tree list

Condition: 60% - all in fair health

Total Average Value = **67%**

Value x Diameter = replacement caliper (dbh) inches

**67% x 41.5” dbh = 27.8** replacement caliper (dbh) inches

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