

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

DATE: March 1, 2012

RE: 1730 Flagler Avenue

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

An application was received for the removal of two (2) Brittle Thatch Palm stems.
A site inspection was done on February 23, 2012 and documented the following:

Tree Species: Brittle Thatch Palm (*Thrinax morrisii*)



Diameter: 10" dbh – two (2) stems 5" dbh each

Location: 60% - between house and fence

Species: 100% - Specially protected tree

Condition: 60% - fair health due to compacted growing space

Total Average Value = 73.3%

Value x Diameter = replacement caliper (dbh) inches

.733 x 10" dbh = **7.3 "replacement caliper (dbh) inches**

Recommendations: Staff recommends approval due to the tight growing space and continued damage to house.