TREE COMMISSION TREE REMOVAL REPORT CITY of KEY WEST

PROPERTY: 1410 Von Phister ROW

APPLICATION NUMBER: T2025-0093

REQUEST: Property owner is seeking removal of (1) Royal Poinciana (Delonix regia).

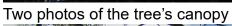
APPLICATION SUMMARY: An application was submitted to remove one Royal Poinciana tree from City ROW in front of 1410 Von Phister. The tree is completely hollowed due to subterranean termites.

TREE ASSESSMENT and PHOTOS:



A photo of the tree overall









A photo of the hollowed trunk and a photo of damaged bark





A photo of a 5ft stick in the lowest hollow area and a photo of of the stick going up into the trunk





A photo of the 5ft pole in the other hollowed trunk

Diameter: 30"

Condition: 30% (the tree is in very poor health, the tree is producing seed pods, but the bases of each

trunk are completely hollow)

Location: 70% (growing in ROW, very visible tree, but growing in power lines)

Species: 100% (on City of KW protected tree list)

Tree Value: 67%

Required Mitigation: 20.1 caliper inches

RECOMMENDATION: The tree's base and trunks are completely hollow and are causing a safety concern. I see where a large limb fell within the last couple of years, causing the hole in the last photo. This tree should be removed and replaced with a healthy tree.

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Application



Tree Permit Application



