

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

DATE: September 28, 2012

RE: **618 Grinnell Street**

FROM: Paul Williams, 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 September 26, 2012 and documented the following:

Tree Species: Gumbo Limbo (*Bursera simaruba*)





Diameter: **13 inches DBH**

Location: 60% - In fence and utility area

Species: 100% - On protected tree list

Condition: 40% - Tree is in poor health

Total Average Value = 67%

Value x Diameter = replacement caliper (dbh) inches

.67 x 13" DBH = **9 replacement caliper (dbh) inches**

Recommendations: **Staff recommends approval of the tree removal permit.**



AGENDA ITEM #

City of Key West Tree Commission

Tree Permit Application

PO Box 1409
Key West, FL 33040
Phone: 305-809-3764
Fax: 305-809-3978

Home/Property Owner: Christopher B. Mario Date: 9-10-12

Mailing Address: 20 Greenhouse Dr. Princeton, NJ 08540

Owner Signature: CB Mario Owner Ph#: (609) 924-2400

Represented by: DANS Tropical Trees Rep. Ph#: () 296 7200

Represented by mailing address: #4 Evergreen Ct.

Attendance at the Tree Commission meeting on the date when your request will be discussed is necessary in order to expedite the resolution of your application.

A letter of representation from the owner must accompany this application if the owner is unable to attend.

Yes Letter of Representation ()

Tree(s) Address: 618 Grinnel Cross/Corner Street: Angella

Common Name(s): Gumbo Limbo Scientific Name(s): _____

Species Type(s) {check all that apply}: () Palm () Flowering () Fruit () Shade

Reason(s) for Application {check all that apply}:

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|--|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMOVE | () TRANSPLANT | () HEAVY MAINTENANCE |
| () Tree Health | () New Location | () Branch Removal |
| () Safety | () Same Property | () Crown Cleaning/Thinning |
| () Other / Explain | () Other / Explain | () Crown Reduction |

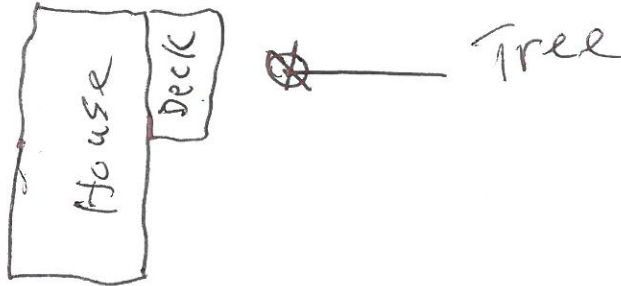
Reason(s) for request:

Replacement plant material must be Florida Grade #1. Replacement of a palm with a native palm is required. Replacement of a canopy tree with a native canopy tree is required. If you need assistance with replacements, please call the Landscape Department at 305-809-3764.

<<<<< Sketch location of tree in this area including cross/corner Street >>>>>

Provide access for viewing tree(s) prior to meeting
Identify tree(s) with colored tape

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Tree Species _____

Circumference _____ $\div 3.14$ = diameter _____

Location _____ % Species _____ % Condition _____ % Total Average Value _____ %

Avg. value _____ X _____ Diameter _____ = _____

Replacement Inches

LOCATION: OLD CITY HALL, 510 GREENE STREET, 5:00 p.m.

FOR TREE COMMISSION USE ONLY.

() TABLED () APPROVED () DENIED () FURTHER ACTION

COMMENTS:

CHAIRPERSONS SIGNATURE/DATE

City Engineer comments if required:

ENGINEER'S SIGNATURE/DATE



THE CITY OF KEY WEST
TREE COMMISSION

Post Office Box 1409, Key West, FL 33041-1409 (305) 809-3764

AUTHORIZATION LETTER

Christopher B. Mario
20 Greenhouse Dr.
Princeton, NJ 08540
Print clearly, name, address

Dear Tree Commissioners:

This letter is authorization and confirmation that I, Christopher B. Mario,
(owner name, print)

have retained Davis Tropical Tree Service
(representative name, address and phone number, print)

to represent me in the matter of obtaining a permit from the City of Key West Tree Commission for my
property at: 618 Grinnell
(tree address, print)

You may contact me at 609-924-2400. Thank you.
(telephone number)

CB Mario

Signature

9-10-12

Date