## mes Bouquet

From:

Karen DeMaria

Sent:

Monday, January 04, 2016 2:36 PM

To: Cc: James Bouquet Gary Volenec

Subject:

RE: Fruit Trees in Truman Waterfront Park

Jim and Gary:

The trees that jump out at me on the lists that are historical to Key West are Key Lime, Sapodilla, Spanish lime, Tamarind, and Mango. Sapodilla, Spanish Lime and Tamarind are large canopy trees. A lot will depend on the availability of the trees as many are not common in the nurseries.

My recommendations would be:

Key Lime

Mamey Sapote (a variety of this tree is called the Key West Mamey whose genetic parent is growing at the Old Firehouse Museum at Grinnell and Virginia St and just celebrated a 100 yr birthday last year-yes there was a cake for a tree!!)

Mango

Sapodilla

Soursoup

Spanish Lime

Sugar Apple

**Tamarind** 

To add to Kirk's comments, he is right in that the coconut tree is a fruit tree and there are at least 180 being planted at the park. We will also need to add signage regarding picking fruit at your own risk!!

Sincerely,

Karen

From: James Bouquet

Sent: Monday, January 04, 2016 12:15 PM

To: Karen DeMaria <kdemaria@cityofkeywest-fl.gov> Cc: Gary Volenec <gvolenec@cityofkeywest-fl.gov> Subject: FW: Fruit Trees in Truman Waterfront Park

Karen:

Please review and make recommendations for 10 fruit trees(from the Good to Moderate categories) to be placed north of building 103. I would like to report your recommendation to TWAB next Monday.

Thanks,

Jim