



Arboriculture Tree Report

10635 SW 63rd Ave, Pinecrest

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Report

I. Introduction

This is a single-family residential property. My assignment is to evaluate all trees and palms on site for health and condition.

II. Property Involved

The property involved is known as 10635 SW 63rd Avenue, Pinecrest, FL 33156. I arrived on site 10-17-2024. The trees/palms are located throughout the property.

III. Data Collection

The property/trees were evaluated by site visit to determine environmental conditions, species, size (DBH and height) condition as a percentage and pictures.

IV. Limiting Conditions

This “Arboriculture Report” includes only the listed trees, landscape conditions in the immediate area where the tree is located, and conditions caused by or attributable to the trees on this property. We did not evaluate and make no evaluation or conclusions regarding any other part of the landscape or other items of this property.

Limits of the Assignment

1. This report is not intended as and does not represent legal advice and should not be relied upon to take the place of such advice.
2. This report is limited to documenting the condition of the tree on the dates given. Care has been taken to obtain all information from reliable sources. All data has been verified insofar as possible; however, the consultant can neither guarantee nor be responsible for the accuracy of information provided by others.
3. Loss or alteration of any part of this report invalidates the entire report.
4. Sketches and photographs used in this report are intended as visual aids only and are not necessarily to scale.

V. Discussion

A landscape is not a forest, woods, or other wild habitat. It is intended to be a planned and controlled environment. Trees can cause considerable damage to structures when not planted in the right locations based on species and mature size. Trees should be planted with adequate green space for mature tree size both above and below ground in-order to prevent conflicts with structures above and below ground. The appearance and value of a landscape suffer, and the property devaluates due to poor tree selection and placement.

Poorly planned landscapes also give rise to possible property damage, bodily injury and other negative circumstances and unnecessary expenses

Professionally designed and professionally maintained landscape, plants, shrubs, and trees traditionally stabilize and/or increase property values.

Trees growing in groups depend on each member of the group for stability of their root systems, wind breaks and shade. They work as one unit and appear as one from an aerial view. The loss of one or more from the group can and does have a detrimental effect on health, stability as well as aesthetics.

Most tree roots grow out horizontally from the tree in the top 6-12 inches of soil. A mature tree's roots can spread 2-3 times the diameter of the tree's crown or canopy.

Critical Root Zone (CRZ)

For existing trees, there is a minimum amount of area, above (for the trunk and crown) and below ground (for soil health and the root system vitality) that is required to protect trees and preserve tree health. This area is identified as the Critical Root Zone (CRZ) and is generally agreed to be equivalent to the soil area below ground and the space above ground defined by the tree's dripline, or the greatest extent of the branches. Significant risk of catastrophic failure exists if structural roots within this given radius are destroyed or severely damaged. Limits of disruption are based upon tree diameter (DBH) at 4.5 feet above the ground. We define the Critical Root Zone for all trees as the circular area above and below ground with a radius equivalent to the greater of 6 feet or 1.0 feet for every inch in trunk diameter at 4.5 feet above the ground. For example, a tree with a trunk diameter (DBH) of 10 inches has a CRZ of 10 feet (10 inches x 1.0) around the tree. While the radius of the CRZ is 10 feet, the diameter of the entire CRZ is 20 feet.

Generally, the full Perimeter (PCRZ) is considered the optimum amount of root protection for a tree. (The ICRZ is identified as the inner half of the CRZ radius). As root impact occurs within the PCRZ, greater post care will be required for the tree to remain alive and stable. The absolute maximum disturbance allowed must still leave the ICRZ undisturbed if the tree is to have any chance of survival.

The CRZ (Critical Root Zone) is calculated at 1" of root for each inch of trunk diameter at or near breast height (dbh). This gives the radius of the CRZ.

Example:

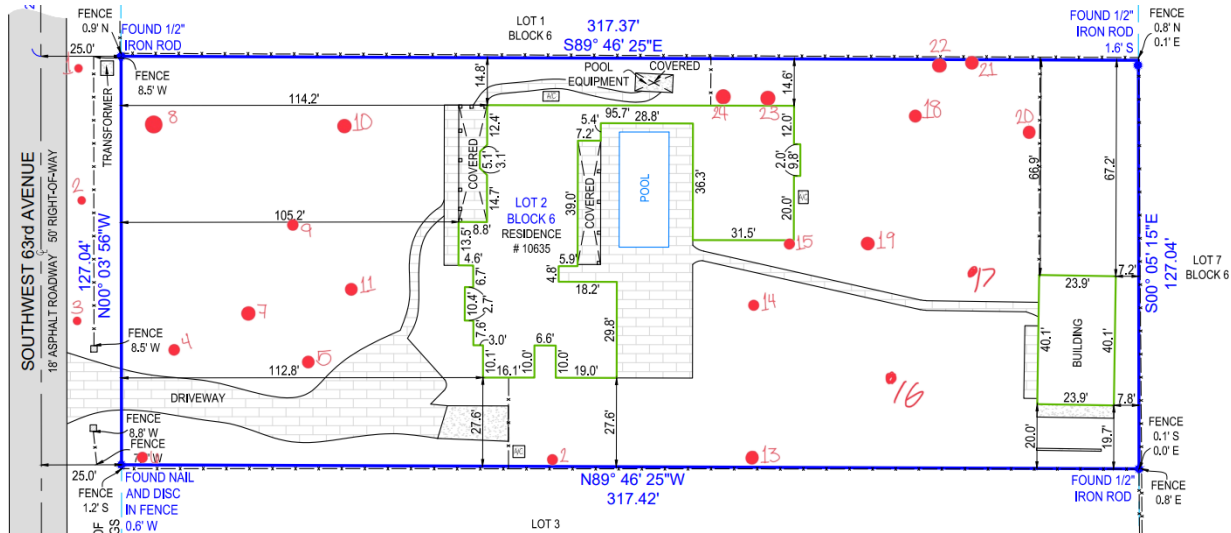
Tree Diameter		CRZ		Tree Diameter		CRZ	
2" diameter	2' radius			16" diameter	16' radius		
4" diameter	4' radius			20" diameter	20' radius		
6" diameter	6' radius			24" diameter	24' radius		
10" diameter	10' radius			30" diameter	30' radius		
12" diameter	12' radius			40" diameter	40' radius		

The CRZ of a tree, also called the "tree protection zone", is often defined as an imaginary circle on the ground that corresponds with the "dripline" of the tree. However, the dripline is very irregular and misleading, so the trunk diameter is referred to.

This is a generally accepted method for measuring CRZ, root systems do vary in depth and spread based on size of tree, soil quality, water table, species, and other related factors such as root obstructions.

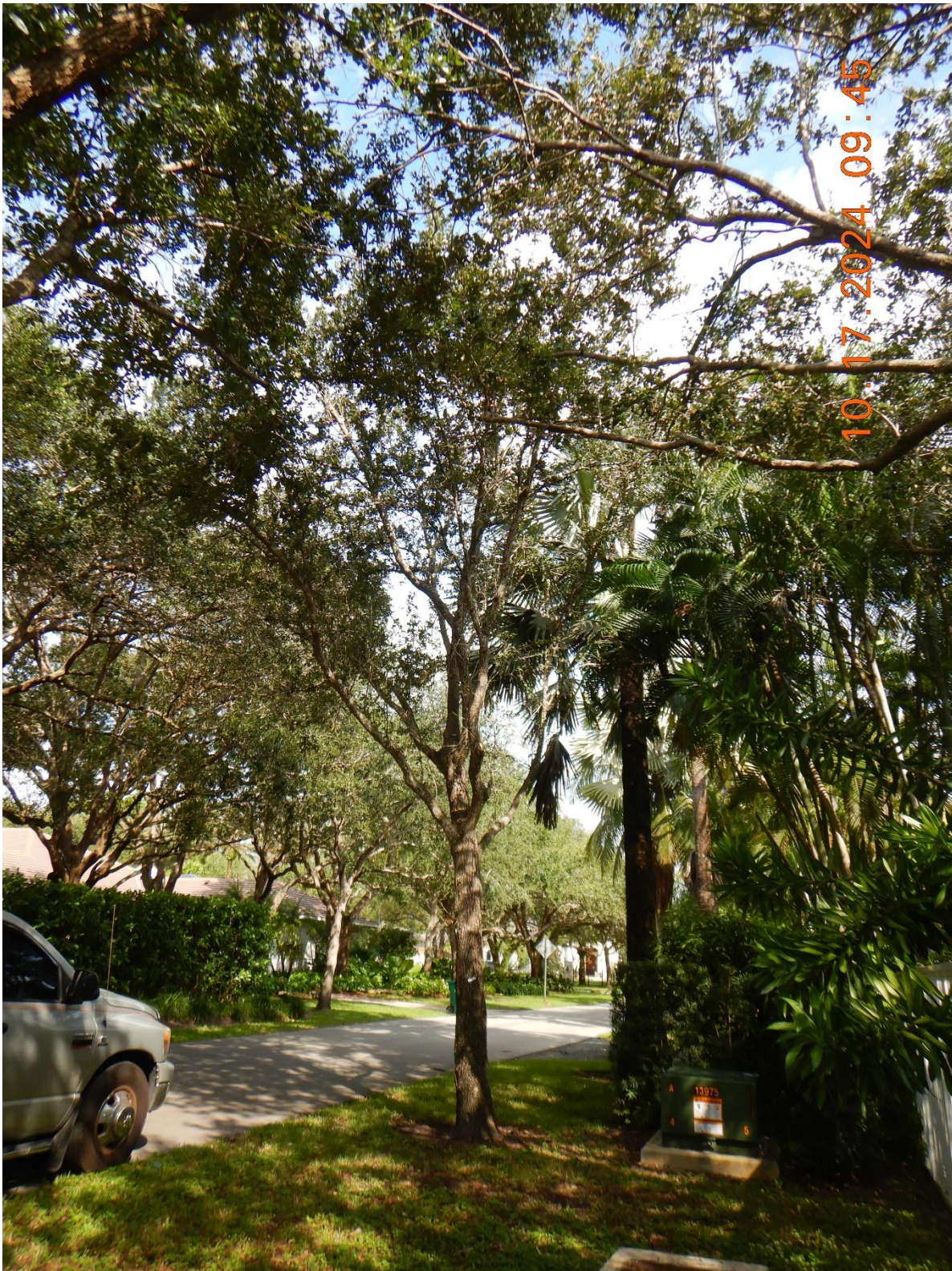
VI. Conclusions and Recommendations

Please see survey with tree locations, excel spreadsheet and pictures below. All trees accessible have been tagged with numbers that correspond with report and survey.



Tree #	Common name	Botanical name	DBH INCH	CRZ FT	ICRZ FT	Height OA	CANOPY SQ FT	Condition	Notes
1	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	12.5	12.5	6.25	30	30x28	70%	Co-canopy, restricted roots on the West side of the trunk road is 5.5ft away
2	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	14.5	14.5	7.25	32	36x26	60%	Co-canopy, restricted roots on the West side of the trunk road is 5.5ft away, co-dom
3	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	15	15	7.5	35	38x33	70%	Co-canopy, restricted roots on the West side of the trunk road is 5.5ft away, co-dom
4	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	11	11	5.5	28	32x18	50%	Sub-canopy, co-dom
5	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	23.5	23.5	11.8	35	55x35	70%	Co-canopy, driveway pavers are approximately 10ft away from the trunk on the south side
6	Gumbo limbo	Bursera simaruba	13	13	6.5	28	26x26	50%	The canopy leans towards the neighbors property
7	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	16	16	8	30	42x38	70%	Co-canopy
8	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	17	17	8.5	30	36x36	80%	
9	Live oak	Quercus virginiana	18	18	9	35	46x36	70%	Co-canopy
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12	Live oak	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	24	24	12	35	42x42	60%	Co-canopy
13	Live oak	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	32	32	16	45	58x33	50%	Co-canopy, non-symmetrical canopy
14	Live oak	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	25	25	12.5	35	42x42	70%	Multi co-dom
15	Pigeon pea	<i>Cajanus cajan</i>	6	6	3	12	22x22	70%	Multi-stemmed
16	Live oak	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	18	18	9	35	60x46	50%	Girdling roots, co-canopy
17	Live oak	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	16.5	16.5	8.25	35	60x52	60%	Co-canopy, co-dom
18	Live oak	<i>Quercus virginiana</i>	31	31	15.5	45	60x60	60%	Co-canopy, multi-co-dom with inclusion, poor structure
19	Mango	<i>Mangifera indica</i>	5	5	2.5	15	18x18	70%	Co-dom
20	Avocado	<i>Persea americana</i>	2	2	1	18	8x8	70%	
21	Yellow elder	<i>Tecoma stans</i>	2.5	2.5	1.25	15	16x12	60%	Co-canopy
22	Pigeon pea	<i>Cajanus cajan</i>	2	2	1	10	14x9	40%	Sub-canopy
23	Pigeon pea	<i>Cajanus cajan</i>	2	2	1	11	11x9	30%	Planted less than 1ft away from structure
24	Pigeon pea	<i>Cajanus cajan</i>	4.5	4.5	2.25	12	14x15	20%	Planted less than 1ft away from structure, previously heaved



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Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

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