



Commission Action

March 1, 2018

PROJECT Thomas Jefferson Memorial - Targeted Accessibility Improvements 16 East Basin Drive, SW Washington, DC	NCPC FILE NUMBER 7937
SUBMITTED BY United States Department of the Interior National Park Service	NCPC MAP FILE NUMBER 1.51(73.10)44660
REVIEW AUTHORITY Approval per 40 U.S.C. § 8722(b)(1) and (d)	APPLICANT'S REQUEST Approval of comments on concept design
	ACTION TAKEN Approved comments on concept design

The Commission:

Supports the applicant's proposed targeted accessibility improvements at the Thomas Jefferson Memorial, consisting of two new ramps on the north side of the memorial, to improve accessibility for all visitors.

Notes that the Thomas Jefferson Memorial currently has only one accessible route to the statuary chamber level, which requires visitors arriving from the north to use a ramp on the south side of the memorial and traverse back to access the lower level entrances.

Recommends the applicant continue to explore their preferred design of new accessible ramps on the north side of the memorial outside the existing historic planters on the Tidal Basin Plaza level.

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Julia A. Koster

Date

Secretary to the National Capital Planning Commission