



Commission Action

November 7, 2019

PROJECT**National Law Enforcement Officers
Memorial Modification**

Judiciary Square
444 E Street, NW
Washington, DC

SUBMITTED BY

United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

REVIEW AUTHORITY

Approval
per 40 U.S.C. § 8905

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6321

NCPC MAP FILE NUMBER

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APPLICANT'S REQUEST

Approval of comments on
concept plans

ACTION TAKEN

Approved comments on
concept plans

The Commission:

Finds that the existing memorial design maintains clear views through the site; provides spaces for quiet contemplation and integrates well with the surrounding historic buildings by introducing simple, elegant elements.

Notes that the applicant considered different alternatives ranging from adding names on other existing memorial elements to proposing a longer cap stone along the top of the walls of remembrance.

Supports the current proposal as an appropriate design solution for providing additional name space because it incorporates a minimal height addition to the existing memorial, generally maintains views above the walls, preserves areas of contemplation, and integrates well with its surrounding context.

Recommends the applicant prune the row of pleached trees at the bottom of the canopy to maintain the existing views that will be impacted with the taller walls of remembrance.

Julia A. Koster
Secretary to the National Capital Planning Commission

