



Commemorative Works Committee Meeting

February 26, 2020

Agenda

2:00 Welcome and Call to Order

2:05 Administration and Updates

- Approval of December 11, 2021 Minutes
- Location Strategy Public Meeting Recap
- Commemorative Works Committee Membership

2:15 Application Review

OP staff will review the analysis and recommendation related to the following projects, and CWC members will discuss and vote on the recommendation. The staff report and application have been included in the meeting packet at a pre-read for CWC members.

- Application #1: Bust of Huseyn Javid
- Application #2: Statue of Abraham Lincoln

2:55 Wrap Up and Next Steps

3:00 Adjourn

Location Strategy Public Meeting Re-Cap

Participation

62 attendees

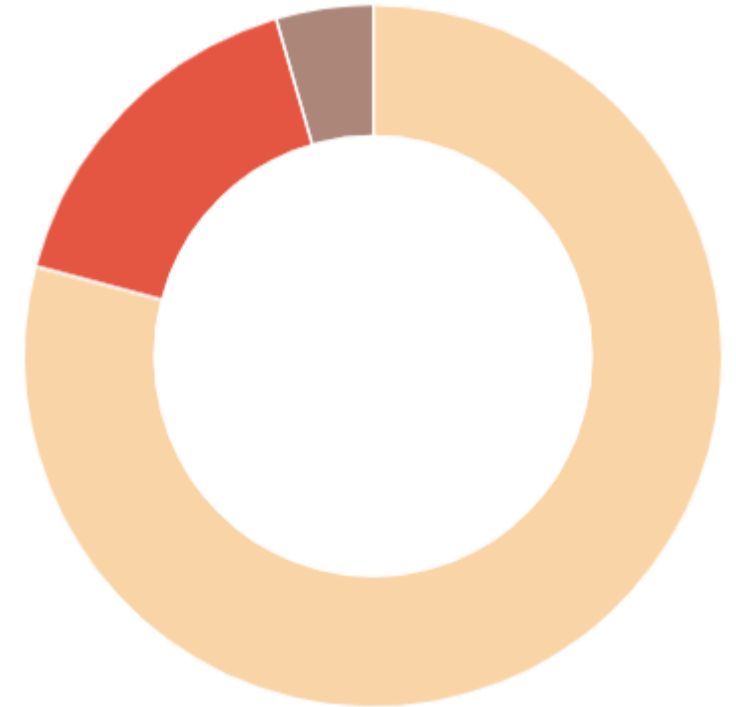
197 survey participants

251 comments



What are the most important neighborhood and public space benefits that should be designed as part of a commemorative work?

Are you interested in having a commemorative work in your neighborhood?



- 79% Yes. I would like a commemorative work in my neighborhood
- 16% Maybe. I'm not sure if I would like a commemorative work in my neighborhood
- 4% No. I would not like a commemorative work in my neighborhood

Changes to CWC Membership

Council legislation Bill 23-0233 will be in effect in March 2021, and will require changes to the composition of the CWC, as follows:

DC Agency Members

- Office of Planning, Director (Chair)
- Department of Parks and Recreation, Director
- Historic Preservation Review Board, Chair
- Commission on the Arts and Humanities, Chair

Public Members (3-year terms)

- 2 Citizen Members Appointed by the Mayor
- 3 Citizen Members Appointed by District Council Chair

OP is developing a transition plan for the existing CWC members, to be announced in Spring 2021

Commemorative Work Review Process

The sponsor of a commemorative work is responsible for all necessary reviews and approvals. Office of Planning staff can advise sponsors during the review process.



Pre-Application Coordination

Meet with the Office of Planning (OP), the agency designated to process and review commemorative works applications, to discuss the review process before completing a commemorative works application (posted on OP's website). 4 to 6 weeks



Submit Application and Complete Initial Concept Review

Submit application to Commemorative Works Committee (CWC) for Concept Review. 4 weeks



Complete Required Reviews

May include impacted District agencies, utility companies, Advisory Neighborhood Commissions, and other District and Federal review bodies. 4 to 8 weeks



Commemorative Works Committee Final Review

Meet with the CWC for a final review of the application before it makes a recommendation to the Mayor and District Council. 4 to 8 weeks

Estimated Time for Completing Review is 4-7 Months

Next Steps for Final Approval and Permitting

Seek Mayor and Council Approval of a Resolution or Bill Authorizing the Commemorative Work

Work with the Mayor or District Council member to submit legislation for consideration and final action.



After Mayor and District Council Approval, Complete Permitting and Other Requirements to Construct the Commemorative Work

Apply for and receive all necessary building and public space permits through DCRA and DDOT.



Timeline may vary

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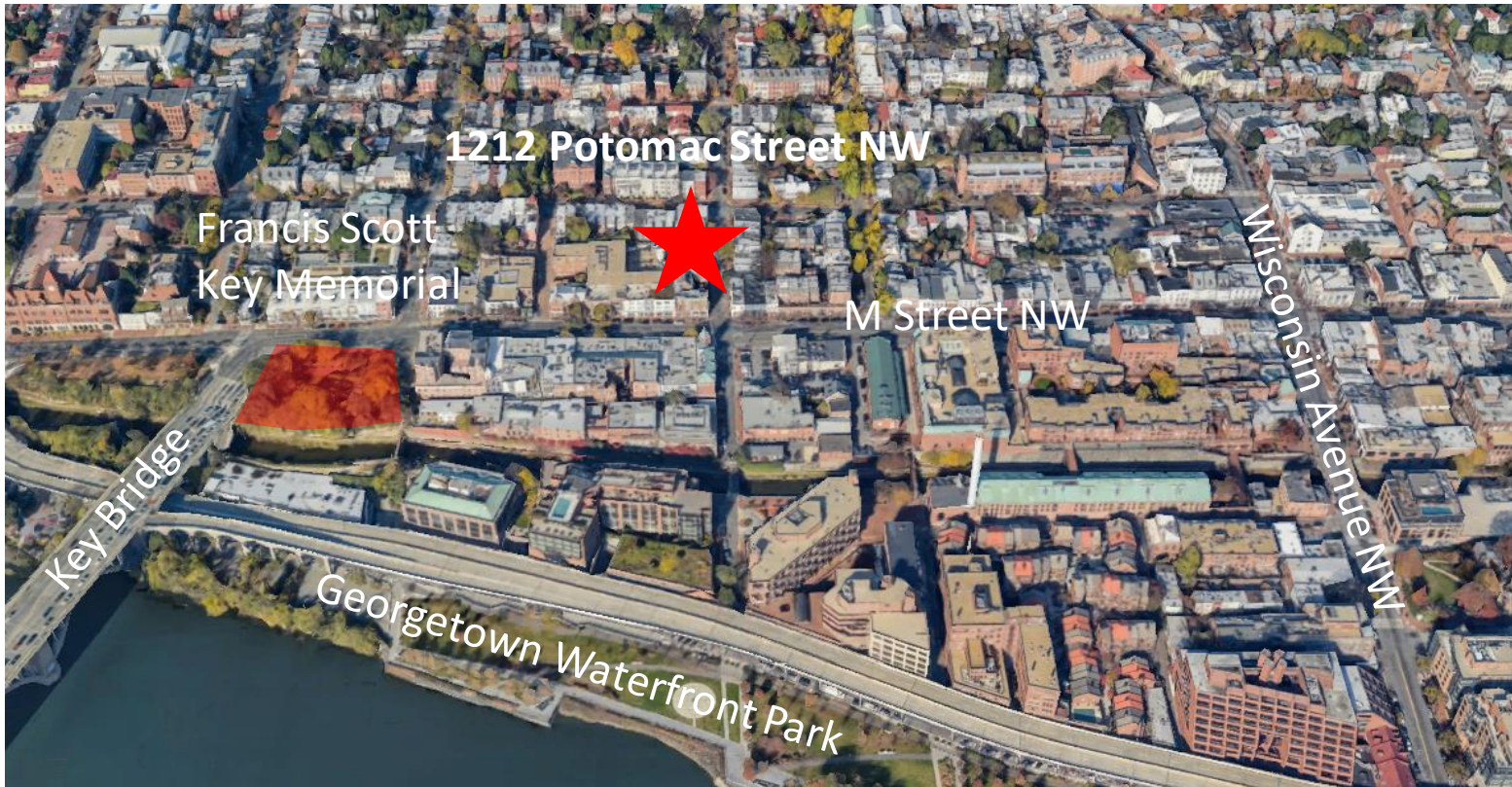


Application #1: Huseyn Javid

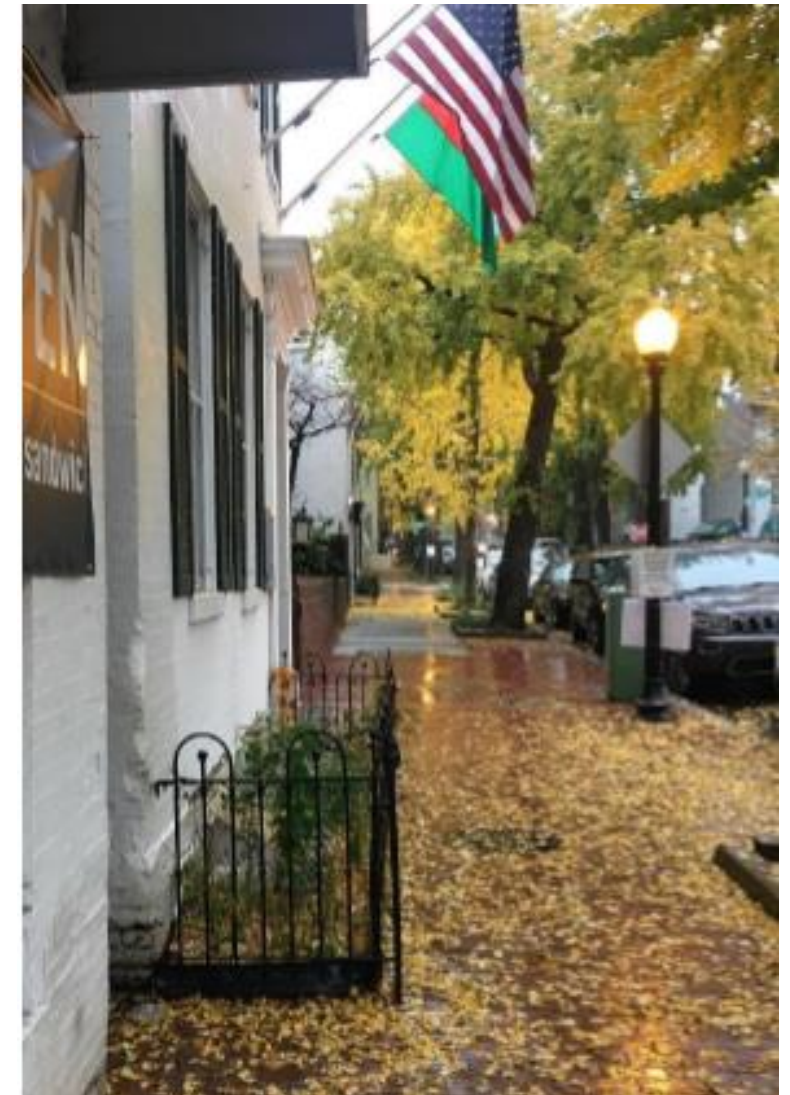
Type: Bust

Location: 1212 Potomac Street NW

Sponsor: Azerbaijani Women of America



Site Location



Commemorative Work Proposed Site

Huseyn Javid

Recommendation

Approve in concept so the applicant can proceed with additional required reviews.

- Additional information needed to complete review:
 - Information is needed on the decorative elements on the column supporting the bust.

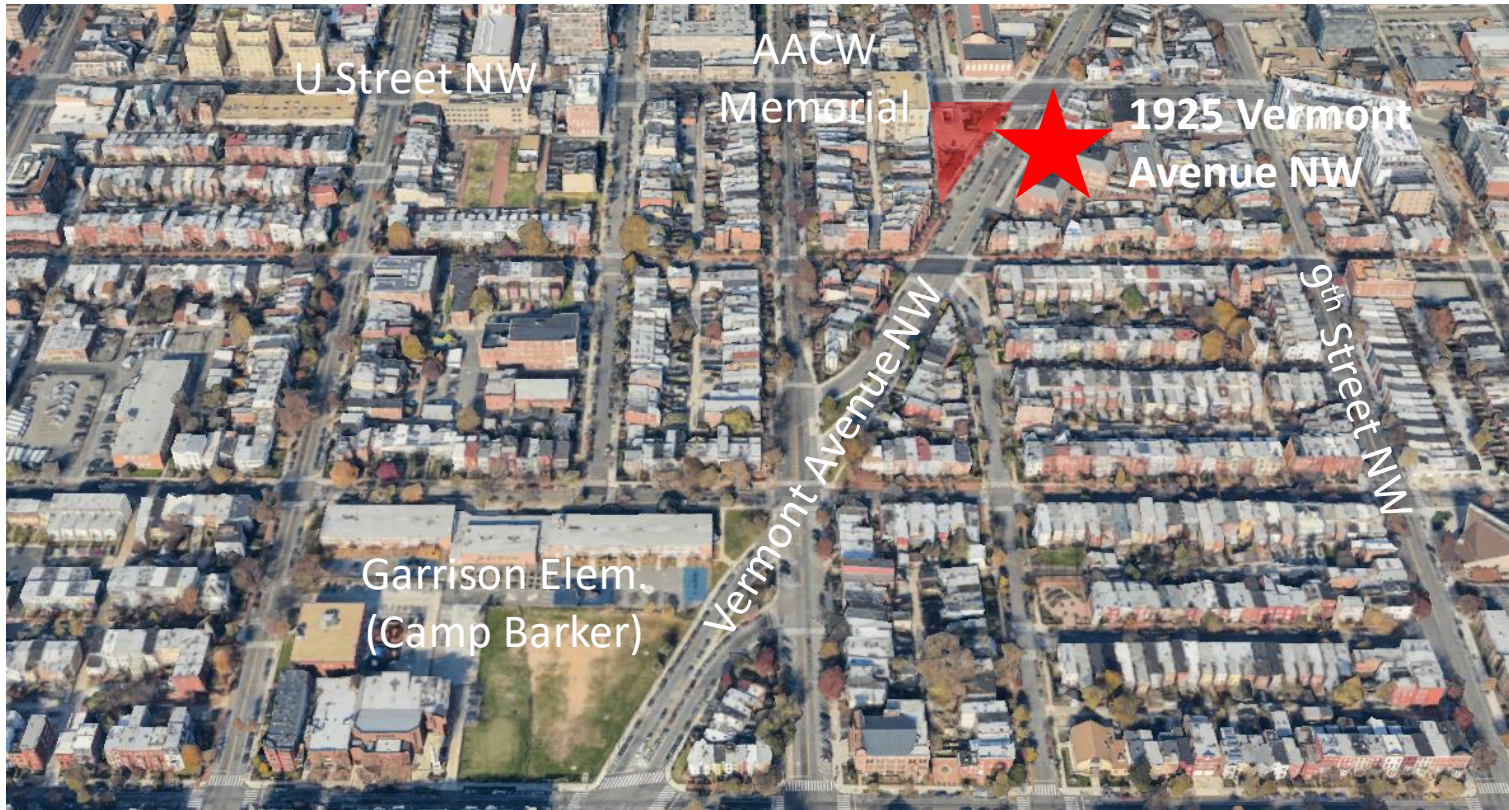


Application #2: Lincoln: The Emancipation Proclamation Freedom and Union

Type: Statue

Location: 1925 Vermont Avenue NW

Sponsor: African American Civil War Memorial Freedom Foundation



Site Location



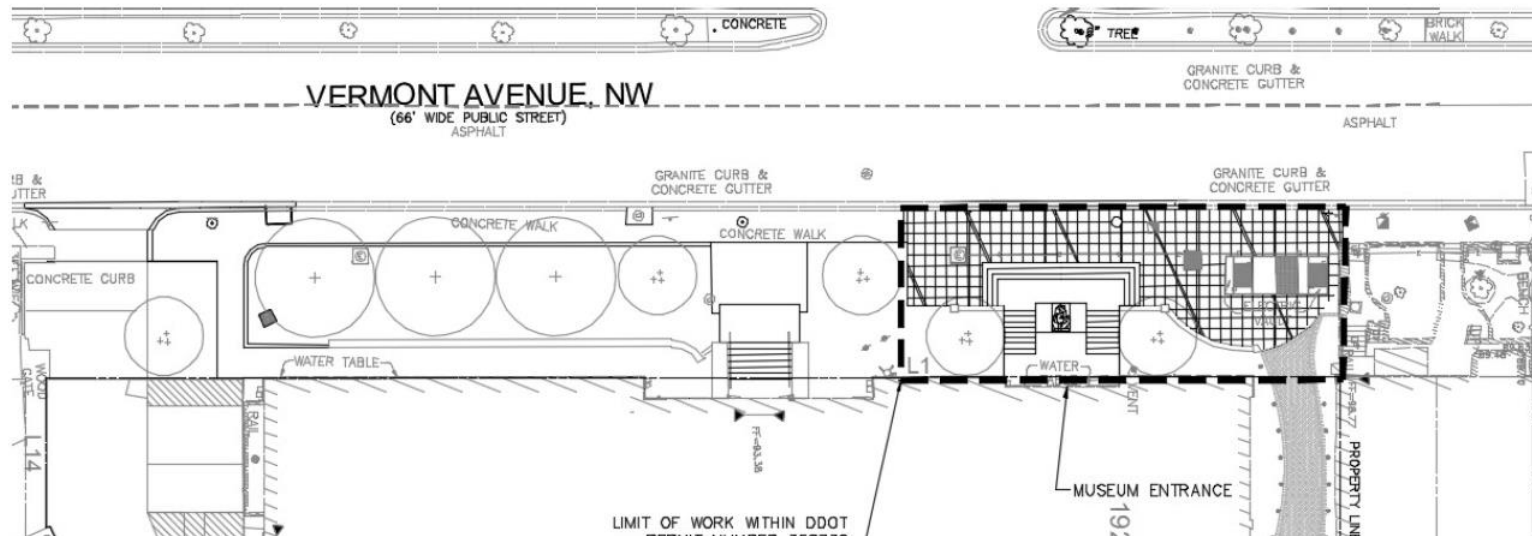
Commemorative Work Proposed Site

Lincoln: The Emancipation Proclamation Freedom and Union

Recommendation

Approve in concept so the applicant can proceed with additional required reviews.

- Additional information needed to complete review:
 - Drawings of the statue showing the statue, base, and podium; and,
 - Information on the purpose and use of the steps where the statue is located



Wrap Up and Next Steps