

Summary of Primary Effects	Contextual Building Alignment	Washington Monument Orientation	Free Form	Terrace Roof/ Amphitheater	Enframing	Notes
	Alternative 1	Alternative 2	Alternative 3	Alternative 4	Alternative 5	
<b>Spatial Organization</b>						
★★★	Alters spatial organization of Original Appropriation No. 3 (Washington Monument Grounds), removing a section of open turf lawn and altering the legibility of the site.					
★★★	Alters historic boundaries of Original Appropriation No. 2 (the Mall) and Original Appropriation No. 3 (Washington Monument Grounds) by extending the row of Smithsonian Museums.					
★★	Alters setting of Original Appropriation No. 1 (President's Park), causing a loss of symmetry designed to flank the Ellipse.					
<b>Land Use</b>						
★★	Alters free/informal public gathering space and recreational spaces to more defined/formal spaces.					
★★	Adds new building element to the Washington Monument Grounds and removes public open space					
<b>Vegetation</b>						
★	Removes section of open turf lawn and potentially effects street trees (both above ground and root structure) due to construction.					
★	Potential effect if new plantings are not consistent with current character of the site					
<b>Buildings and Structures</b>						
★★★	Diminishes visual impact of Washington Monument, Monument Lodge, and Bulfinch Gatepost					
★★★	Provides intrusion to setting of the Federal Triangle, competing with the south portico of the Department of Commerce Building, and alters the relationship of the streetscape/setback along Constitution Avenue.					
★★	Provides intrusion into setting of U.S. Auditor's Complex, altering the visual relationship with the open space of the Washington Monument Grounds and view of the Department of Commerce building.					
★★	Provides intrusion into setting of the U.S. Department of Agriculture building, altering the visual relationship with the open space of the Washington Monument Grounds and view of the Department of Commerce building.					
<b>Views and Vistas</b>						
★★★	Provides intrusions to all multi-directional views within Monument Grounds and along principle streets and avenues.					
★★★	Alters views along 14th Street.					
★★★	Restricts views along Constitution Avenue, blocking full view of Monument shaft, and restricting view of the Federal Triangle.					
★	Provides intrusion to view of Washington Monument from the Mall as you approach 13th Street.					
★	Provides intrusion to views from south edge of the Seventeenth Street historic district.					
★	Provides intrusion to views from the Lincoln Memorial					
★	Provides intrusion to views from Arlington National Cemetery					
★	Provides intrusion to views from the Jefferson Memorial.					
★	Provides intrusion into viewshed from the Old Post Office Tower and alters the visual relationship with the Federal Triangle and the Mall.					

★★★ Major Effect: The serious adverse effect would diminish overall integrity, or alter a character defining feature(s) of the National Register eligible/listed property.

★★ Moderate Effect: The effect is apparent and would diminish overall integrity, or would alter a character defining feature(s) of the National Register eligible/listed property.

★ Minimal Effect: The effect is detectible, but slight, and would not diminish overall integrity, or affect the character defining feature(s) of the National Register eligible/listed property.