

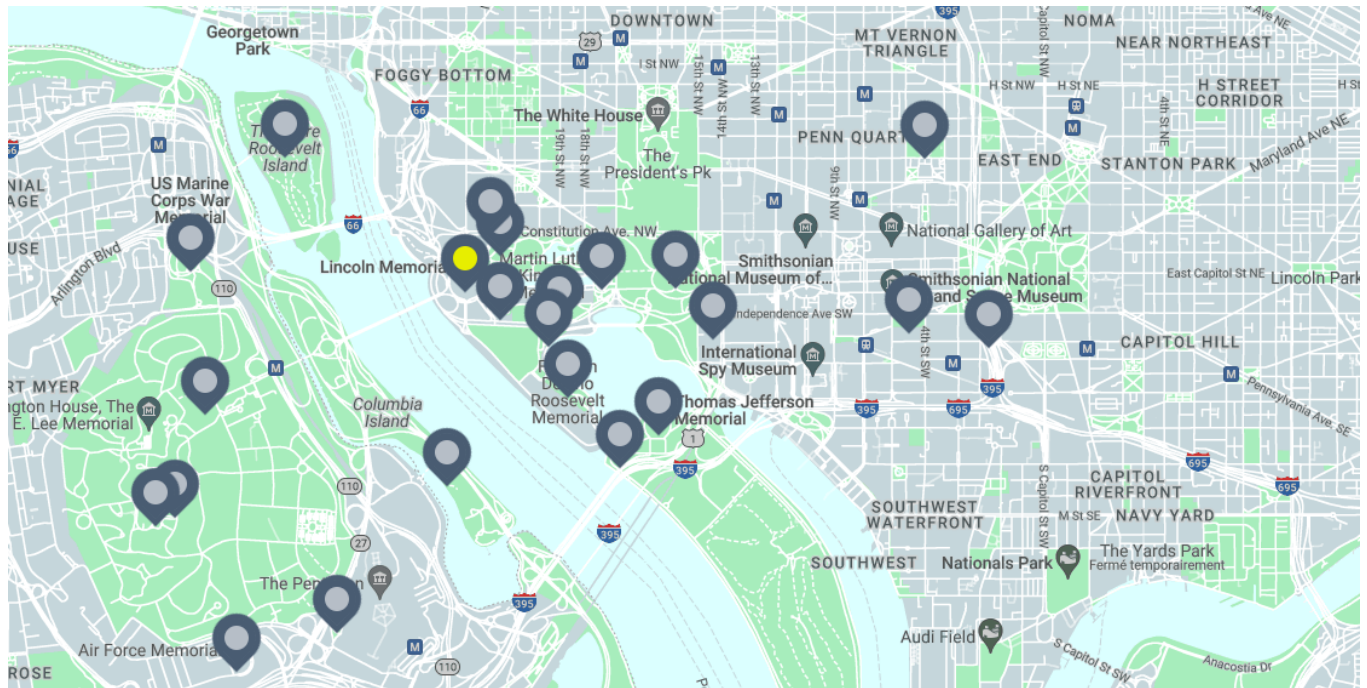
Memorials in Washington DC.

A memorial is public space created to remember, commemorate, instruct, uplift, or to heal. As the nation's capital, Washington, DC is home to many monuments and memorials honoring individuals and events of national significance. A successful commemorative work can create a better understanding of the past.

In recent years, a national conversation has emerged that questions and challenges the nature and purposes of memorials both existing and new. Who and what do we honor—and why? How do elements of design, which can sometimes be controversial, and setting interpret and enhance a memorial's meaning and power?

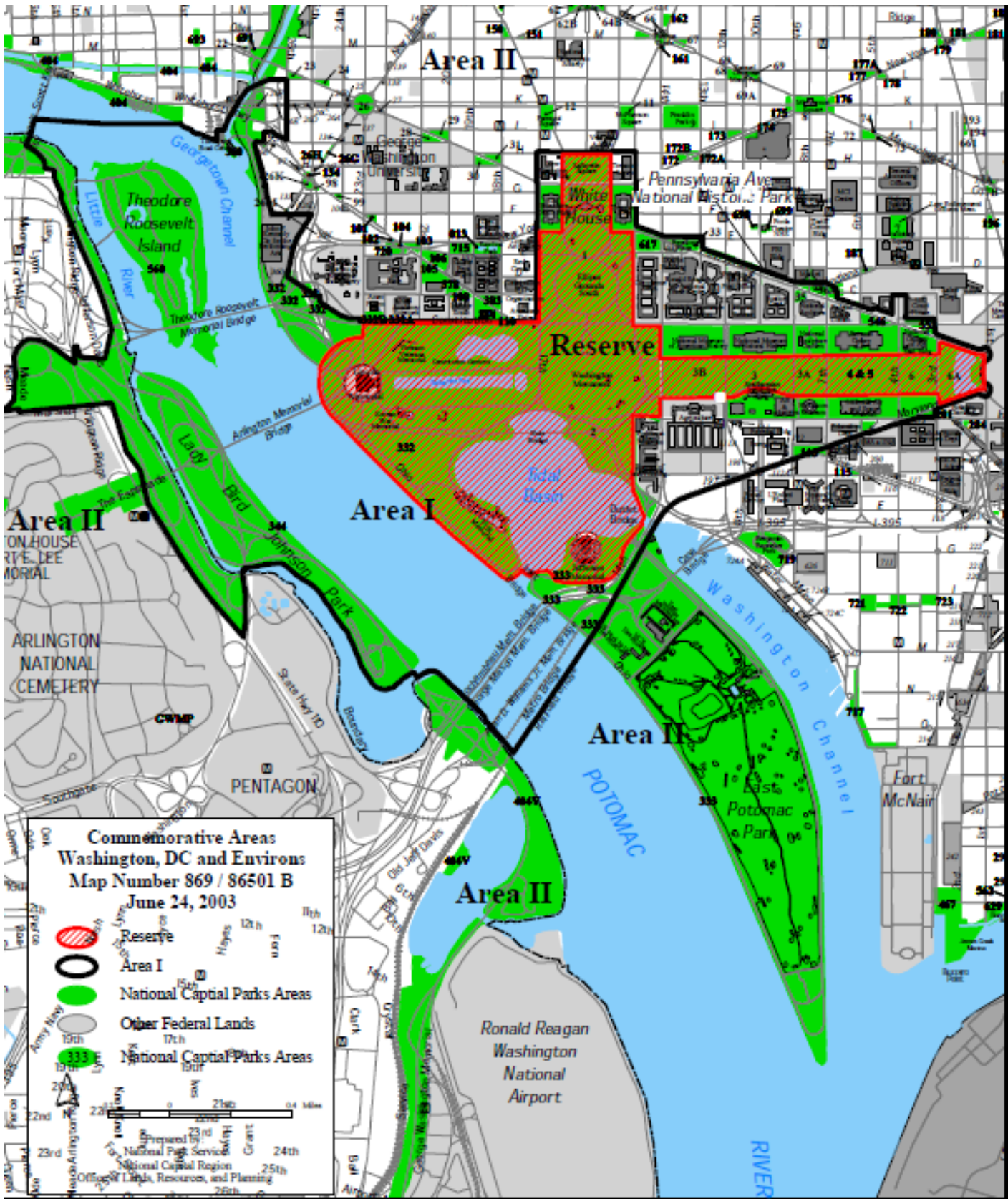
Map of the main memorials in Washington DC

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LIST OF MEMORIALS IN WASHINGTON DC :

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adams • African American Civil War • American Veterans Disabled for Life • Belmont–Paul Women's Equality National Monument • Mary McLeod Bethune • Boy Scout • James Buchanan • John Carroll • D.C. War • Albert Einstein • Emancipation • Dwight D. Eisenhower • John Ericsson • David Farragut • First Division • Thomas Gallaudet • James A. Garfield • Kahlil Gibran • Samuel Gompers • Ulysses S. Grant • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Holocaust Museum • Holodomor Genocide • Andrew Jackson • Japanese American Patriotism During World War II • Jefferson Memorial • Lyndon Baines Johnson Grove • John Paul Jones • Marquis de Lafayette • Law Enforcement Officers • Lincoln Memorial • Martin Luther King, Jr. • Korean War Veterans • George Mason • George Meade • Peter Muhlenberg • National Statuary Hall Collection • Navy – Merchant Marine • Nuns of the Battlefield • Peace Monument • John J. Pershing • 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three Soldiers • Jean de Rochambeau • Franklin Delano Roosevelt • Theodore Roosevelt Island • Taras Shevchenko • Statues of the Liberators • Oscar Straus • Robert A. Taft • Titanic • United States Navy • Victims of Communism • Vietnam Veterans • Vietnam Women's • Washington Monument • Daniel Webster • World War I • Second Division • Signers of the Declaration of Independence • The Extra Mile • World War II • Rainbow Pool
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In 2003 Congress established the "Reserve where no new memorials are permitted.