Categorical Exclusion Form

Project: Install parking meters
PEPC Project Number: 50026
Project Description:

The National Mall and Memorial Parks (NAMA) is proposing to install parking meters. The proposed locations include Madison Drive between 3rd and 14th Streets, Jefferson Drive between 3rd and 14th Streets, the north and south sides of Constitution Avenue from 15th to 22nd Streets, Ohio Drive from Inlet Bridge to 23rd Street, Parkway Drive, West Basin Drive, the Tidal Basin parking lot, and south of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial in parking lots A, B, and C. The current parking scheme is inadequate for a large urban park.

Metering public parking will accomplish the following three goals for NAMA: • Manage the public parking turnover and discourage commuter parking in visitor spaces. • Encourage visitors and commuters to use mass transit and other transportation alternatives. • Allow NAMA to use parking revenue for visitor transportation-related activities.

This project will require approximately 80-90 multi-space meters (for over 1000 parking spaces) similar to those used elsewhere in the City.

Project Locations:

Location

County:	N.A.	**State:**	DC
District:		**Section:**	
Geo. Marker:		**Other:**	

Mitigation(s):

- No mitigations identified.

Describe the category used to exclude action from further NEPA analysis and indicate the number of the category (see Section 3-4 of DO-12):

C.5 Installation of signs, displays, kiosks, etc.

Explanation:

On the basis of the environmental impact information in the statutory compliance file, with which I am familiar, I am categorically excluding the described project from further NEPA analysis. No

exceptional circumstances (e.g. all boxes in the ESF are marked "no") or conditions in Section 3-6 apply, and the action is fully described in Section 3-4 of DO-12.

Superintendent: _____ Date: 4/23/2014

NPS Contact: _____ Date: 4/18/2014