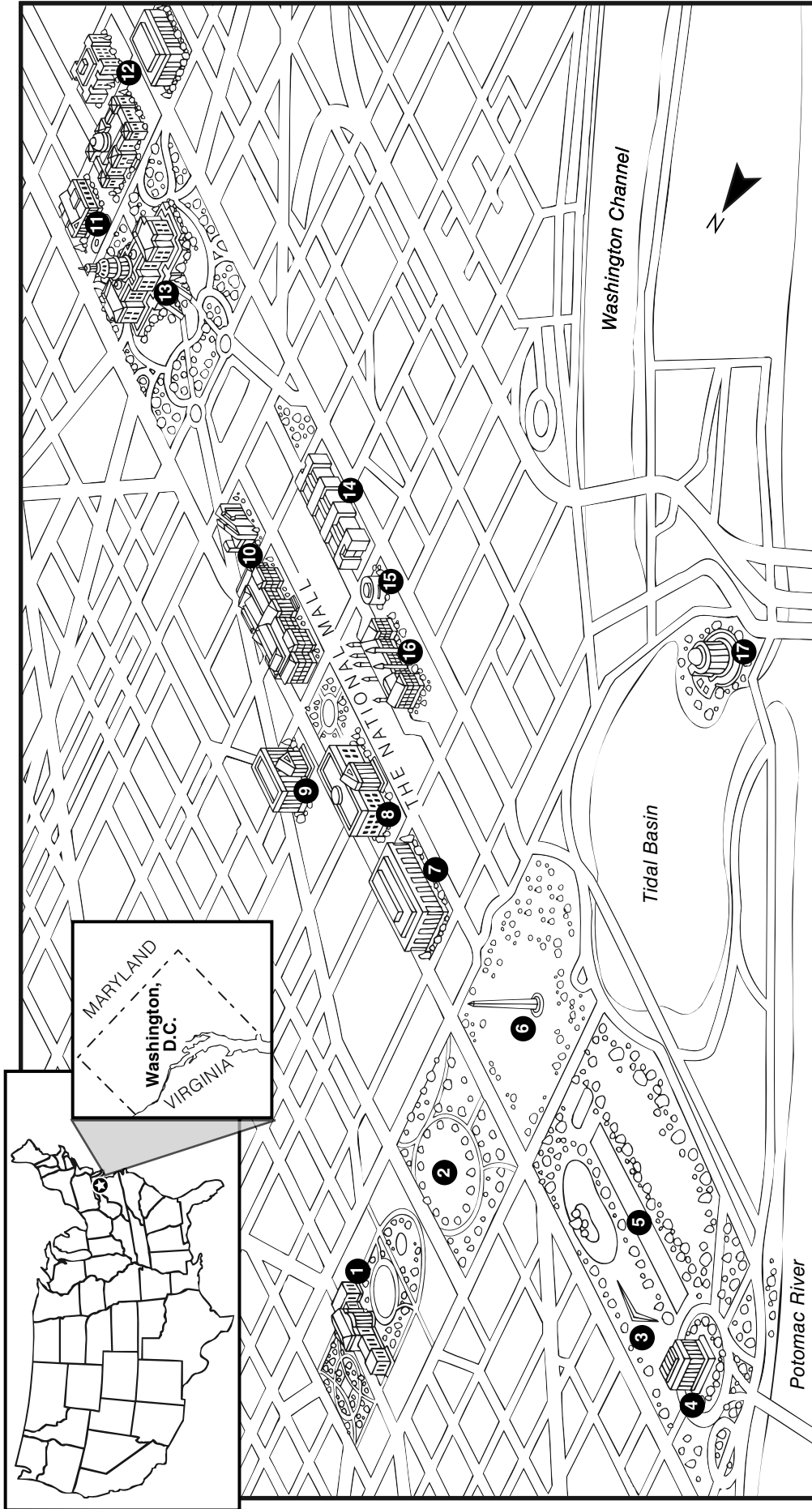


# A National Symbol: Washington, D.C.



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| 1. White House               | 7. National Museum of American History | 13. U.S. Capitol                  |
| 2. The Ellipse               | 8. National Museum of Natural History  | 14. National Air and Space Museum |
| 3. Vietnam Veterans Memorial | 9. National Archives                   | 15. Hirshhorn Museum              |
| 4. Lincoln Memorial          | 10. National Gallery of Art            | 16. Smithsonian Institution       |
| 5. Reflecting Pool           | 11. Supreme Court                      | 17. Jefferson Memorial            |
| 6. Washington Monument       | 12. Library of Congress                |                                   |



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## Monday

1. What do the initials *D.C.* stand for in Washington, D.C.?

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2. Washington, D.C., is located between which two states?

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## Tuesday

1. The president of the U.S. lives and works in which building? What is the address of this building?

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2. The Smithsonian Institution is the headquarters for many museums. Name four labeled museums on the National Mall.

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## Wednesday

1. The National Mall is a park-like area. Which two buildings act as the east-west borders for the Mall?

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2. What is the Ellipse, and which two buildings flank this area?

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## **Thursday**

1. Which labeled memorial honors veterans of a war?

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2. Capitol Hill rises 88 feet (27 m). Which three important labeled government buildings stand on the hill?

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## **Friday**

1. Name three labeled memorials that honor a famous person. Why are these people being honored?

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2. Two historic documents—the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence—are archived in which building?

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## **Challenge**

Washington, D.C., is called a national symbol, or a cultural landmark, for the country. Why? Write your answer on the back of the map.