United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

National Register of Historic Places
Registration Form

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a).

1. Name of Property

historic name ____________________________ Southeast #5, Boundary Marker of the original District of Columbia
other names/site number ____________________________

2. Location

street & number ____________________________ 280 ft. ne. jct. Southern Avenue and Valley Terrace not for publication N/A
city or town ____________________________ Washington vicinity N/A
state ____________________________ District of Columbia code DC zip code 20032 county N/A code N/A

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1986, as amended, I hereby certify that this nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register Criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant nationally statewide locally.

(signature of certifying official) 
AUG 29 1996
State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria.

(signature of commenting or other official) 
State or Federal agency and bureau

4. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby certify that this property is:

[ ] entered in the National Register ____________________________ (See continuation sheet)
[ ] determined eligible for the National Register ____________________________ (See continuation sheet)
[ ] determined not eligible for the National Register ____________________________
[ ] removed from the National Register ____________________________
[ ] other (explain): ____________________________

(Signature of Keeper) 
Date of Action 11-1-96

State or Federal agency and bureau

5. Classification
Ownership of Property (Check as many boxes as apply)

- private
- public-local
X public-State
- public-Federal

Category of Property (Check only one box)

- building(s)
- district
- site
- structure
X object

Number of Resources within Property
Contributing Noncontributing

- buildings
- sites
- structures
2 objects
2 Total

Name of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register 0

Name of related multiple property Boundary Markers of the original District of Columbia

6. Function or Use
Historic Functions
Cat: Other: boundary marker Sub: ____________

Current Functions
Cat: Other: boundary marker Sub: ____________

7. Description
Architectural Classification
N/A

Materials

- foundation N/A
- roof N/A
- walls N/A
- other STONE: Sandstone METAL: Iron

Narrative Description (Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)
8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria (Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing)

X A  Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.

_ B  Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.

_ C  Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.

_ D  Property has yielded, or is likely to yield information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations (Mark "X" in all the boxes that apply.)

_ A owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.

_ B removed from its original location.

_ C a birthplace or a grave.

_ D a cemetery.

_ E a reconstructed building, object, or structure.

_ F a commemororative property.

_ G less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance

COMMUNITY PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT
POLITICS / GOVERNMENT

Period of Significance 1792, c.1916

Significant Dates 1792

_ c.1916

Significant Person

Cultural Affiliation

Architect/Builder unknown

Narrative Statement of Significance (Explain the significance of the property on continuation sheets.)

9. Major Bibliographical References
(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS)

_ preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested.

_ previously listed in the National Register

_ previously determined eligible by the National Register

_ designated a National Historic Landmark

_ recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey  #

_ recorded by Historic American Engineering Record #
Primary Location of Additional Data

X State Historic Preservation Office
___ Other State agency
___ Federal agency
___ Local government
___ University
___ Other

Name of repository: Daughters of the American Revolution, 1776 D Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property less than one acre

UTM References (Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet)

Zone Easting Northing Zone Easting Northing
1 18 328620 4300880 3 __ ______ ______
2 __ ______ ______ 4 __ ______ ______

See continuation sheet.

Verbal Boundary Description (Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)

Boundary Justification (Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

11. Form Prepared By

name/title ______ Eve Lydia Barsoum / Architectural Historian______ organization ______ D.C. Historic Preservation Division______ date August, 1996

street & number ______ 614 H Street NW, Room 305______ telephone 202.727.7360 ______

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.

A sketch map for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative black and white photographs of the property.

Additional items (Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner

(Complete this item at the request of the SHPO or FPO.)

name ______ United States Government______

street & number ______ ______ telephone ______

city or town ______ ______ state ______ zip code ______

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Estimated Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 18.1 hours per response including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this form to the Chief, Administrative Services Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013 -7127; and the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reductions Project (1024 -0018), Washington, DC 20503.
A detailed description of the physical characteristics of the stone is given in the Boundary Markers of the Original District of Columbia Multiple Documentation Form.

Intermediate boundary marker Southeast #5 is situated in an open field approximately 45 feet southeast of the centerline of Southern Avenue and 280 feet northeast of the centerline of Valley Terrace, S.E. The sandstone marker is in good condition. A 3’ x 3’ x 5’ iron fence, in fair condition, surrounds the marker.
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An expanded statement of significance is given in the Boundary Markers of the Original District of Columbia Multiple Documentation Form.

Southeast boundary stone #5 was the twenty-second marker to be located in Maryland. (Southeast #4 no longer exists.) It was laid in 1792. Its fence was dedicated by the Louisa Adams Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution c. 1916.
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In addition to bibliographic listings found in the Multiple Property Documentation Form, see:

Verbal Boundary Description:

The stone is located approximately 45 feet southeast of the centerline of Southern Avenue and 280 feet northeast of the centerline of Valley Terrace, S.E. The fence surrounds the stone.

Boundary Justification:

The boundary stone and fence have historically been situated at this location and maintain historic integrity.