



Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee

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The Honorable Jack Lew
Secretary of the Treasury
Department of the Treasury
1500 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20220

Dear Secretary Lew:

A public meeting of the Citizens Coinage Advisory Committee (CCAC) was held on Thursday, October 8, 2015 to review proposed reverse designs for the 2017 America the Beautiful Quarter Program.

The 2017 Ozark National Scenic Riverways (Missouri) reverse MO-02 generated the highest score of 25 out of a possible 27 votes. This clean design features a kayaker paddling down a river, observed by a turtle poking its head out of the water. The members felt that this innovative design merged the human and natural world sharing and enjoying the river.



The recommended 2017 Frederick Douglass National Historic Site (District of Columbia) design was DC-01, receiving 21 out of 27 votes. This animated design depicts Douglass lecturing at a podium and this synthesizes the man in representing the site. The Committee felt that the emotion conveyed in this design was more powerful than the designs including his home.

Forward motion coupled with determination led the Committee to choose IN-10 for the reverse of the 2017 George Rogers Clark National Historical Park (Indiana). The design depicts Clark and two companions wading through deep water before their attack on Fort Sackville. This vigorous design received 22 out of 27 votes.

The Committee did not recommend designs for Effigy Mounds National Park (Iowa) and Ellis Island (Statue of Liberty National Monument-New Jersey); instead, we asked the United States Mint to generate additional designs for future consideration.

With best regards, I am



Mary Lannin
Chair

