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<b>Committee:</b> Landmarks Commission	<b>Meeting Date:</b> 1/8/2024
<b>Item Number:</b> ID#24-10610	
<b>Subject:</b> <b>Update, discussion, and possible action on the pending application to adjust the boundaries for the individual National Register listing for the Senator William and Henrietta Blair House.</b>	

**Details:** Cultural Resource Management has completed the application to amend the boundaries of the individual National Register listing for the Blair House and submitted it to the State Historic Preservation Office. Staff provided a copy of the application for the Landmarks Commission to discuss at the December meeting. At that meeting the Landmarks Commission decided to draft a letter opposing the application.

The State Historic Preservation Office sent its accepted copy of the nomination, along with official notice, on December 13<sup>th</sup>. The notice explains the Landmarks Commission's responsibility in this case. The explanation from Jason Tish, which was sent prior to the December meeting and is also attached to this agenda, is very similar. The nomination, along with any comment, will be reviewed by the State Historic Preservation Review Board at its meeting on February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025.

Jennifer Wall drafted a letter from the Landmarks Commission opposing the nomination. The Landmarks Commission can either accept the letter as it is written, request modifications to it, or reject it. Any changes to the letter can be reviewed by the Landmarks Commission for final approval at its meeting on February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025. The Cover Sheet staff prepared for the December meeting is also attached to this agenda. It includes a summary of information the Landmarks Commission should consider in determining its response.

When the Landmarks Commission has settled on a response, City staff will transmit the letter, along with the response from Mayor Reilly, to Ian Gort at the State Historic Preservation Office.

**Relevant Secretary of the Interior Standards:** N/A

**Paint and Repair Grant info:** N/A



**Staff Recommendation:** N/A