She Built NYC

Following the launch of the She Built NYC initiative in June 2018, the City conducted an open call that invited the public to nominate women, groups of women, or events in women's history to be considered for new monuments honoring their important role in NYC's history. Following the open call, an advisory committee reviewed the public nominations and provided guidance and recommendations. Taking into account both the eligible nominations from the public and the committee's recommendations, the City has announced a number of new monuments based on additional factors such as location, a commitment to diverse representation, existing publicly-accessible monuments, and site feasibility.

This list remains active and may be drawn from in pursuing future monuments — both publicly- and privately-funded — under She Built NYC.

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Francesca Xavier Cabrini	219
Jane Jacobs	93
Shirley Anita Chisholm	91
Janet Schenck	88
Katherine Walker	68
Emily Warren Roebling	67
Marsha P. Johnson	65
Dorothy Day	61
Bella Abzug	42
Lillian Wald	40
Grace Hopper	37
Nellie Bly	33
Margaret Sanger	33
Augusta Savage	31
Eleanor Roosevelt	27
Frances Perkins	26
Triangle Shirtwaist Fire	26

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Emma Lazarus	25
Sylvia Rivera	21
Clara Lemlich Shavelson	20
Marianne Moore	19
Elizabeth Jennings Graham	17
Audre Lorde	17
Billie Holiday	16
Emma Goldman	13
Zora Neale Hurston	13
Jacques Marchais	13
Lady Deborah Moody	13
Alice Austen	12
Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis	12
Martha Graham	11
Ayn Rand	10
Catharine Lorillard Wolfe	9
Edith Wharton	9
Dr. Sara Josephine Baker	8
Margaret Corbin	8
Immigrant Women	8
Elizabeth Blackwell	7
Antonia Pantoja	7
Rose Schneiderman	7
Betty Blayton Taylor	7
Dr. Helen Rodriguez Trias	7
Sojourner Truth	7
Suffragettes	7

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Victoria Woodhull	7
Red Burns	6
Miriam Colón	6
Elizabeth Schuyler Hamilton	6
Mary Lindley Murray	6
Dorothy Parker	6
Madam C.J. Walker	6
Pura Belpré	5
Bonnie Cashin	5
Lorraine Hansberry	5
Juliette Gordon Low	5
Constance Baker Motley	5
Elizabeth Cady Stanton	5
Susan Maria McKinney Steward	5
Stonewall Riots	5
Betty Smith	5
Ida B Wells	5
Virginia Apgar	4
Susan B Anthony	4
Inez Milholland Boissevain	4
Geraldine Ferraro	4
Harriet Tubman	4
Elizabeth Gloucester	4
Grete Waitz	4
Gertrude Vanderbilt Whitney	4
Evelina Lopez Antonetty	3
Ella Josephine Baker	3

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
The Black Angels	3
Emily Dunning Barringer	3
Liz Christy	3
Domestic Workers	3
Dr. Yvette Fay Francis	3
Margaret Fuller	3
Hetty Green	3
Guerrilla Girls	3
Indigenous Women	3
Pauli Murray	3
Dr. Mina S Rees	3
Elizabeth Ann Seton	3
Ellen Stewart	3
Edie Windsor	3
Women of World War II	3
Maya Angelou	2
Elizabeth Gertrude Knight Britton	2
Lucy Burns	2
Eunice Carter	2
Jayne Cortez	2
Stormé DeLarverie	2
Genevieve Beavers Earle	2
Crystal Eastman	2
Catherine "Katie" Ferguson	2
Ella Jane Fitzgerald	2
Margaret Fuller	2
NYC Women Firefighters	2

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Rose Gruening	2
Peggy Guggenheim	2
Mary Harriman	2
Lena Horne	2
Ada Louise Huxtable	2
Elisabeth Irwin	2
Helen Keller	2
Frida Khalo	2
Mathilde Krim	2
Irma Lozada	2
Jean McFaddin	2
Florence Mills	2
Anne Carroll Moore	2
Audrey Munson	2
Linda Nochlin	2
Molly Picon	2
Gilda Radner	2
Joan Rivers	2
Myrtle E Ross	2
Beverly Sills	2
Mary Kingsbury Simkhovitch	2
Single Mothers	2
Sisters of Charity of New York	2
The Blessed "Virgin Mary"	2
Charlotte Spiegel	2
Florine Stettheimer	2
Mae West	2

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Rosalyn Yalow	2
Abby Aldrich Rockefeller	1
Abigail Hopper Gibbons	1
Adelaide L. Sanford	1
Adele Katz Goldstine	1
Agnes de Mille	1
Agnes Gund	1
Aileen Ryan	1
Alice Neel	1
Alice Paul	1
Andrea Dworkin	1
Andrea Evangelina Rodríguez Perozo	1
Ann Lohman	1
Anne Devenney	1
Anne Morgan	1
Antonia Yuille Williams	1
Arvelia Myers	1
Audley Moore	1
Barbara M. Clark	1
Beate Sirota Gordon	1
Beatrice Arthur	1
Belle Moskowitz	1
Berenice Abbott	1
Betty Friedan	1
Betty Parsons	1
Betty Shabazz	1
Carol Robles-Roman	1

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Caroline Ferriday	1
Carrie Lane Chapman Catt	1
Cathay Williams	1
Cathleen Synge Morawetz	1
Cecilia Benattar	1
Celia Cruz	1
Charlotte Ray	1
Clara Hale	1
Clare Boothe-Luce	1
Connie Kurtz	1
Cynthia Leonard	1
Diane Arbus	1
Djuna Barnes	1
Doris Rosenblum	1
Dorothy Fields	1
Dorothy Height	1
Dr. Alice Hamilton	1
Dr. Barbara Ann Teer	1
Dr. Joan E. Morgenthau	1
Dr. Josephine English	1
Dr. Leona Baumgartner	1
Eleanor Anderson Campbell	1
Edna St. Vincent Millay	1
Elisabeth Bing	1
Elizabeth Burgin	1
Elizabeth Coit	1
Elizabeth Curtis Burrell	1

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Ellen Lurie	1
Emily Blackwell	1
Emma Stebbins	1
Ethel Merman	1
Ethel Rosenberg	1
F.A. Hayek	1
Fannie Lou Hamer	1
Fannie Schwedler Barnes	1
Fanny Wright	1
Fay Kellogg	1
Frannie Fredericka Dyckman Welch	1
Frieda Zames	1
Ganga Stone	1
Gertrude B. Elion	1
Gertrude Berg	1
Gertrude Schimmel	1
Gertrude Stein	1
Gretta Moulton	1
Gwendolyn Braxton	1
Hannah Arendt	1
Hanna Mayer Stone	1
Hettie Anderson	1
Hildegard E. Peplau	1
Hildreth Meiere	1
Ida Van Smith	1
Ilonka Karasz	1
Isabel González	1

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Isabella Goodwin	1
Jane Addams	1
Jane Colden	1
Jane Shaw	1
Jeanne Manford	1
Jessie Redmon Fauset	1
Joan Mitchell	1
Joan Whitney Payson	1
Judith Kaye	1
Julia Montgomery Walsh	1
Kate Spade	1
Katherine Cornell	1
Kiki Smith	1
Kitty Carlisle Hart	1
Lillian Lopez	1
Lillie P. Bliss	1
Lina Rogers Struthers	1
Lola Ridge	1
Lorraine Monroe	1
Lorraine Montenegro	1
Margaret Bourke-White	1
Margaret Brown	1
Margaret Mead	1
Margaret Wise Brown	1
Margot Gayle	1
Maria TallChief	1
Marian MacDowell	1

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Martha Washington	1
Mary Adele Logan	1
Mary Alice Dyckman Dean	1
Mary Ann Kelly	1
Mary Ewing Outerbridge	1
Mary Garret Hay	1
Mary Grace Quackenbos Humiston	1
Mary Louise Booth	1
Mary Putman Jacobi	1
Mary Quinn Sullivan	1
Mary Sansone	1
Maud Ballington Booth	1
Melba Liston	1
Miriam "Mimi" Schapiro	1
Moira Smith	1
Monique Massy	1
Muriel Siebert	1
Nancy Hicks Maynard	1
Normandía Maldonado	1
Ona Judge	1
Pauline Newman	1
Phyllis Harrison-Ross	1
Priscilla Morgan	1
Queen Victoria Spivey	1
Rachel Carson	1
Rachel Corrie	1
Rosalie Jones	1

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
Rose Cecil O'Neill	1
Ruby Dee	1
Sarah J. Tompkins Garnet	1
Sarah Kiersted	1
Sarah Powell Huntington	1
Sarah Scott	1
Shulamith Firestone	1
Simone Weil	1
Sylvia P. Woods	1
Thelma Ritter	1
Ursula Nordstrom	1
Vicky Gholson	1
Willa Cather	1
Yuri Kochiyama	1
Enslaved women who were experimented on by James Marion Sims	1
Alicia White - Project Petals 1	1
Armenians	1
Columba Services	1
Domestic Violence Women	1
Eliza Stebbins "Lize the Bowery Gal"	1
First Sexual Harrassment Fight in NYC history 1981-85	1
Girl Scouts	1
Harlem Show Girls	1
International Ladies Garment Workers Union (ILGWU)	1
League of Women Voters of the City of New York	1
McSorley's Ale House Anti-Discrimation Activists	1
Mujeres of the Young Lords	1

NOMINEE	NUMBER OF NOMINATIONS RECEIVED
NYC Missions/Settlement Houses (1893-1908)	1
NYC Tradeswomen + Judith Vladeck	1
Pioneers of Voguing / Ballroom Scene	1
Radio City Music Hall's First African American Rockette	1
Sarah Powell Huntington	1
Roman Catholic "Nuns"	1
Settlement Workers	1
Sisters of Mercy	1
Spence-Chapin	1
Teachers	1
The Black singers who integrated opera in NYC and America: Marian Anderson and Leontyne Price 1	1
The Founders of The New York Women's Foundation	1
The Junior League	1
The nuns and nurses of St. Vincent's Hospital	1
The Shapiro Sisters	1
The Unknown Woman	1
The women buried in the Slave Burial Ground in upper Mahattan	1
The Women of the La Guardia Administration	1
The Women of the United States Supreme Court	1
Women and Children	1
Women of NYC Jazz	1
Women of the National Arts Club	1
Women Pioneers of Modern Dance Movement	1
Women who Helped Build the Empire State Building	1
Women who Ride Bicycles	1
Woman Who Swam Around the Island of Manhattan	1

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Largest IT Transformation In NYC - Epic Software	1
Nation's First Suffrage Parade/Nation's First Women's March (Woman's Progressive Suffrage Union)	1
Installation of "The Harp" by artist Augusta Savage for the 1939 Worlds Fair, Flushing Queens	1
The Monument Project	1
Redstockings Abortion Speakout at Washington Square Methodist	1
Elizabeth Jennings Graham and the streetcar of the Third Avenue Railroad Company	1
TB-AIDS Diary Exhibition	1
Publication of a "Tree Grows in Brooklyn"	1
Hiring for first uniformed female Sanitation Workers	1
Wonderful Wall Street Wednesday's (originally lunch hour of power @ Mariner's Temple)	1
Heumann v. Board of Education of New York City	1
Rosalie Gardiner Jones's flight as the first suffrage activist to fly for the cause	1
Universal Declaration of Human Rights	1
NYC Pooper Scooper Law passed, championed by Fran Lee, consumer	1