Site Chronology and Period of Significance

Potomac Hill Period of Significance: 1844-1961
Site and Building Chronology

1844: Naval Observatory (Building 2) and Magnetic Observatory Constructed
1847: Superintendent's Residence added to Building 2
1873: Great Equatorial Telescope addition to Building 2
1904-1906: Naval Medical Hospital (Buildings 3 and 4) Constructed
1904: Construction of North Building
1908-1911: Buildings 1, 5, 6, 7, and Quarters AA, Quarters BB, and Quarters CC Constructed
1920-1921: Central Building Constructed
1925-1926: South Addition Constructed on Building 1
1933: East and South Buildings Constructed
1963-1964: Demolition of North Building

Periods of Occupation

- Naval Observatory: (1844-1893)
- Naval Museum of Hygiene/Naval Hospital and Medical School: (1894-1942)
- Navy Bureau of Medicine and Surgery: (1901-1940)
- Coordinator of Information and Office of Strategic Services: (1943-2012)
- Central Intelligence Agency Headquarters: (1943-2012)
- Central Intelligence Agency: (1943-2012)
- Department of State: (1943-2012)