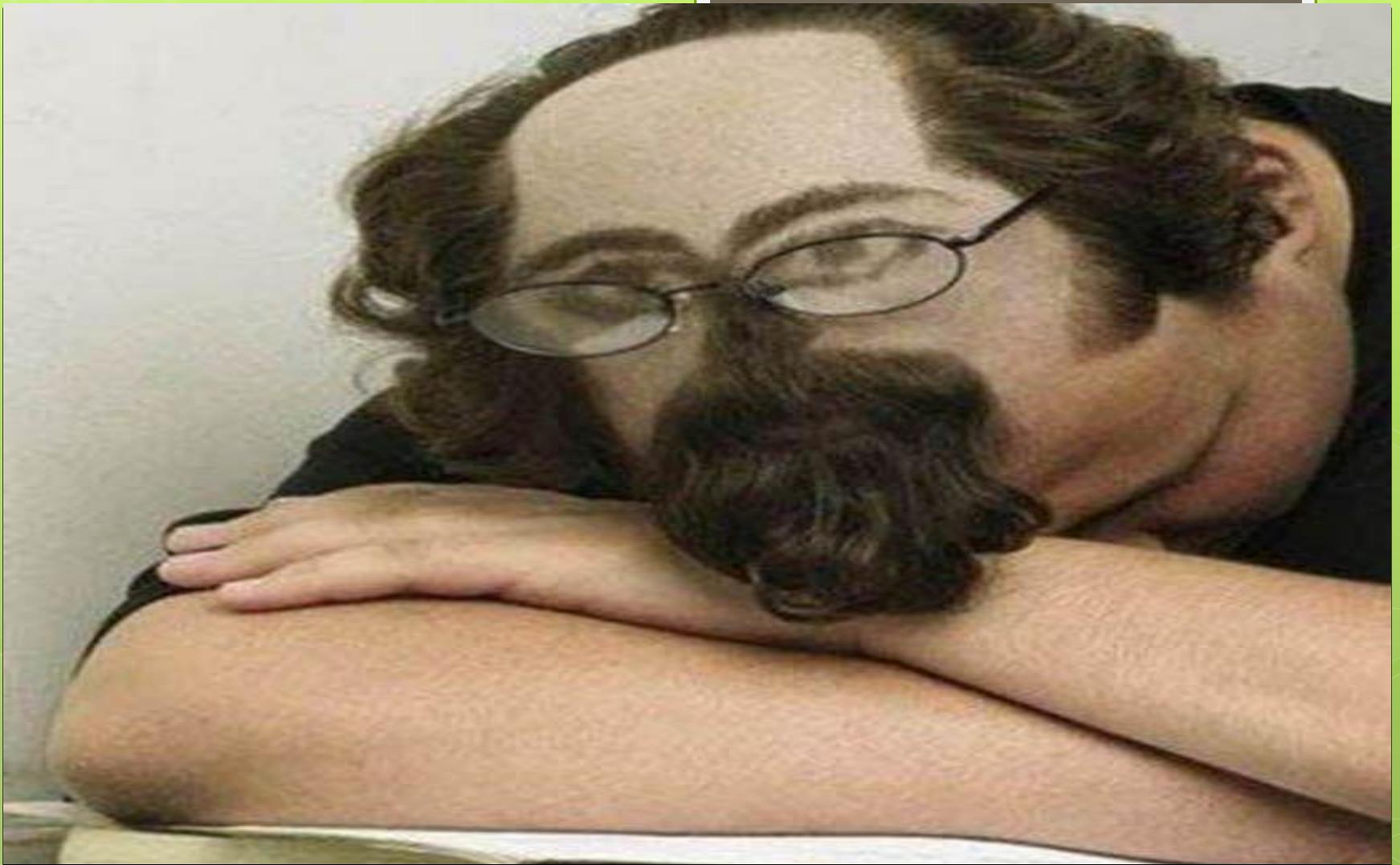


Tree Management Plans

The Influence of Design
Principles & Master Planning



Beauty is in the eye of the beholder . . .

Color

Line

Contrast

Texture

Repetition

Proximity

Focal Point

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Unity

Program Elements

Form

Balance

Scale

Proportion

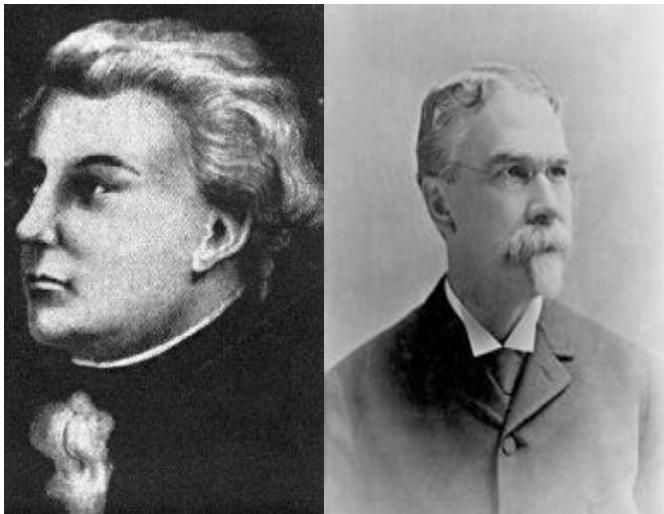
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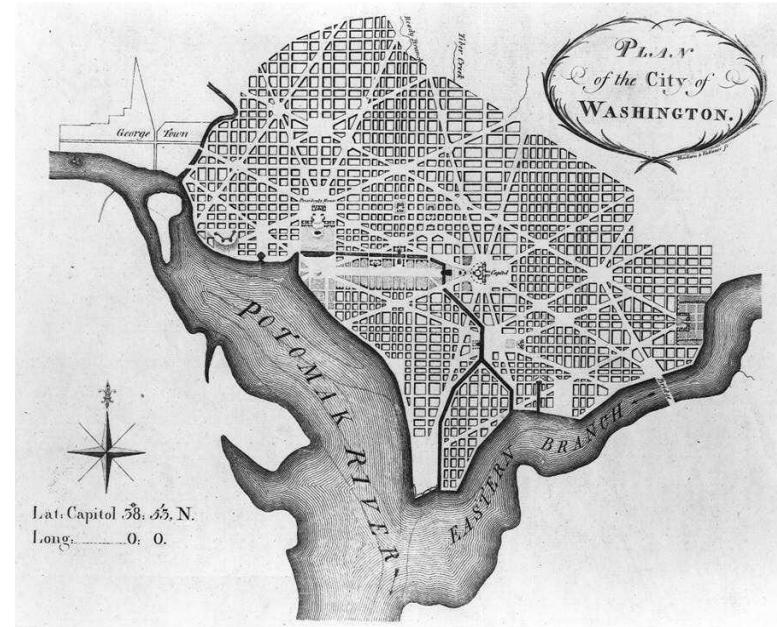
Rhythm

McMillan – L'Enfant Plan for Washington D.C.

Pierre Charles L'Enfant &
James McMillan



Original Plan for
Washington D.C.



The National Mall – Washington, D.C.





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Right or Wrong vs Better or Best



Spelman College Campus circa, 1890



Since then, a number of things have led to haphazard tree placement . . .

- * Dedication/Memorial Trees
- * Student Volunteer Events
- * Campus Expansion/New Construction
- * Lack of a Campus Master Plan/Tree Mgmt Plan - No Clear Vision
- * Unbridled Subcontractors (I'll explain!)

Keeping trees to the perimeter of activity areas allows for program element, provides better conditions for turf growth and enhances view to major focal points – remember the National Mall?

Before



After





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