

# The Upcoming Changes to US Paper Currency

An Overview of the Future Designs for the  
\$5, \$10, & \$20 Bills



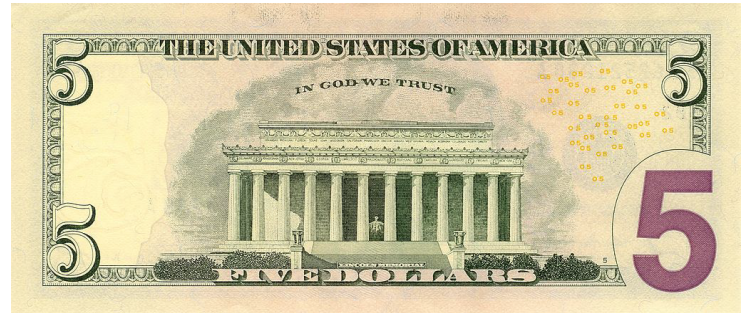
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# The \$5 Bill

## Current Design:



Front: Abraham Lincoln



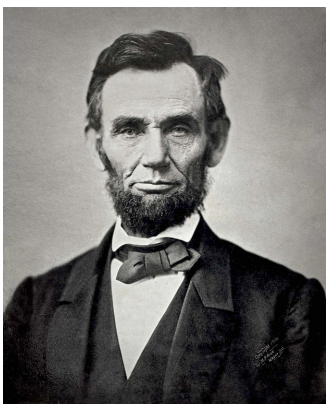
Back: Lincoln Memorial

## Future Design:

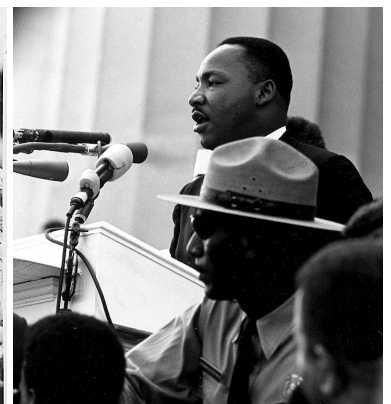
### Theme: Historic Events at the Lincoln Memorial

Historically, the Lincoln Memorial symbolizes the call for the completion of unfinished work.

- Due to segregation in 1939, world renowned opera singer **Marian Anderson** was barred from performance at a Daughters of the American Revolution (D.A.R.) function at Constitution Hall; the D.A.R. had a clause in their contracts that "white artists only" would be allowed to perform
  - With the encouragement of **Eleanor Roosevelt**, the Interior Department organizes an Easter concert at the Lincoln Memorial at which Anderson performed in front of 75,000 people, with millions more turning into the concert via radio
- In 1963, **Martin Luther King Jr.** delivered his iconic "I Have a Dream" speech in front of the Lincoln Memorial



Front: Abraham Lincoln



Back: Marian Anderson, Eleanor Roosevelt, Martin Luther King Jr.



# The \$10 Bill

## Current Design:



Front: Alexander Hamilton



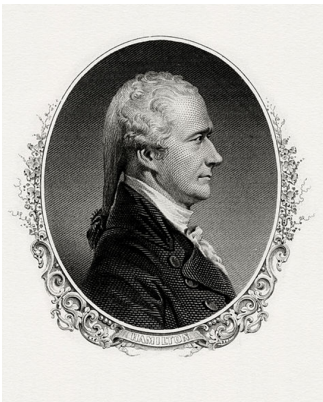
Back: U.S. Treasury Building

## Future Design:

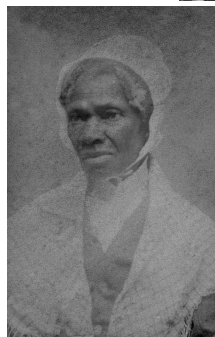
### Theme: Women's Suffrage

The images on the back of the new \$10 bill design will honor those who fought for the passage of the 19th Amendment, which gave women the right to vote

- During the **Women's Suffrage Parade of 1913**, thousands of women (and men) marched from the US Capitol building to the US Treasury building, down Pennsylvania Avenue, to show support for giving women the right to vote
- There were many women who were essential to the suffrage movement - these give women were the key leaders: **Susan B. Anthony, Alice Paul, Sojourner Truth, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, and Lucetia Mott**



Front: Alexander Hamilton



Back: The Women's Suffrage Parade of 1913, Susan B. Anthony, Alice Paul, Sojourner Truth, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, and Lucretia Mott



# The \$20 Bill

## Current Design:



Front: Andrew Jackson



Back: The White House

## Future Design:

### Theme: Harriet Tubman & Liberty

**Harriet Tubman** was chosen to be the face of the new \$20 bill due to the fact that she dedicated her life to fighting for liberty and freedom; she is known to have said, "I would fight for **liberty** so long as my strength lasted"

- Harriet Tubman was born a slave in 1822 and worked on a Maryland plantation until she was in her late 20s, when she managed to escape
- After she made her escape, she decided to help other slaves reach freedom by becoming a conductor on the famous Underground Railroad; she personally helped hundreds of slaves reach freedom in the North and Canada
- During the Civil War, Tubman worked as a nurse, cook, and spy for the North
- After the Civil War ended, Tubman took on an active role in supporting the burgeoning women's suffrage movement
- Tubman played such an important role before, during, and after the Civil War that when she died in 1913, she was buried with military honors



Front: Harriet Tubman



Back: Andrew Jackson & the White House