

**SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR  
CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL FUND REQUEST**

(FORM CWM #62)  
Requester Information

CAMP AND DEPARTMENT NAME: Colonel Louis R. Francine Camp # 7 Department of New Jersey  
(Please print or type)

ADDRESS: 440 Clark Drive

CITY: Hammonton

STATE: New Jersey ZIP CODE: 08037

NAME OF CONTACT PERSON: David Hann PDC

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PHONE(S): [REDACTED] E-MAIL [REDACTED]

**Memorial or Monument Information**

NAME OF MEMORIAL: We are trying to raise money to place a plaque on the Boardwalk in Atlantic City New Jersey, to commemorate  
the 100th Anniversary of the 44th National GAR Encampment

LOCATION: (Name and address of cemetery or other location description, such as, corner of 3rd and Lincoln Street) Virginia Avenue and the Boardwalk Atlantic City

WHEN WAS IT BUILT: We hope to dedicate it on September 25th, 2010

WHO OWNS IT: We will turn it over to Atlantic City

WHO IS FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR IT: Right now there is a committee trying to raise funds for it.

ARE MATCHING FUNDS AVAILABLE: No FROM WHERE: \_\_\_\_\_

ARE OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDS AVAILABLE: \_\_\_\_\_ FROM WHERE: \_\_\_\_\_

We hope to raise the remaining money through public donation. You can check out our web site at <http://sites.google.com/site/44thgarcentennial>

AMOUNT BEING REQUESTED: \$500.00

DESCRIBE WORK THAT THESE FUNDS ARE NEEDED FOR: (Be specific, use back if necessary)

To place a plaque in Atlantic City to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the 44th National GAR Encampment. I've included

a sketch of what the plaque will look like. The total cost is around \$2,300.00

WHO EVALUATED THE NEED FOR THE WORK AND WHAT ARE THEIR QUALIFICATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

The City of Atlantic City

WHO WILL DO THE WORK DESCRIBED AND WHAT ARE THEIR QUALIFICATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

We have received three bids from City approved foundries to cast the plaque.

WHO WILL RECEIVE THE FUNDS IF GRANTED: It will be give to the fund raising group through the Atlantic County

library system.



## 44<sup>th</sup> National Encampment Grand Army of the Republic



From September 19 to 24 1910, about 45 years after the last shot of the Civil War was fired, the 44th National Grand Army of the Republic (G.A.R.) Encampment (convention) was held in Atlantic City. The G.A.R., a Union (Northern) Civil War veteran's organization, had in attendance over 18,000 of its 214,000 members arriving from across the nation, many still suffering from wounds inflicted decades before in the War Between the States. The days of the gathering were marked by parades, and meetings for the Encampment were held at Steel, Million Dollar, Steeplechase, and Young's Ocean piers. Among the notable Civil War veterans in attendance were Major General Daniel E. Sickles, Lt. General Nelson A. Miles, and Johnny Clem, the famous "Drummer Boy of Chickamauga."

It was the only time in the 83-year history of the Grand Army of the Republic that a National Encampment was held in New Jersey.

Erected on September 25, 2010 to commemorate the 100th anniversary

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**Amount Requested: \$500.00**

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**Memorials assessment report filed?** Yes No Not needed

**Signature of Memorials Officer** \_\_\_\_\_ **Kevin Tucker, PDC**

**Paid;**

**Please initial your vote next to your name, then sign and date below, once completed, fax or email to Bob Petrovic, Fax# [REDACTED] Email; [REDACTED] who will send it to Richard Orr, National Treasurer for payment.**

**Approved      Denied      Tabled**

**Robert M. Petrovic, PDC**

*RMP*

**Perley E. Mellor, PDC**

**Tad D. Campbell, PDC**

*TDC*

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

*Robert M. Petrovic*

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*5/22/10*

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

*[Handwritten Signature]*

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*5-31-2010*

**Comments:**

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