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## NATIONAL ORGANIZATION SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

### CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT FORM

#### **PLEASE:**

- 1. Type or print, using a ball-point pen, when filling out this form. Legibility is critical.
- 2. Do not guess at the information. An answer of, "Unknown," is more helpful. .Include a photograph of each viewable side and label it with name & direction of view.

- Thank You.

Type of Memorial  Monument with Sculpture  Monument without Sculpture  Other ( flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stail	ned glass windo	Monument with Ca Historical Marker ows, etc.)	
Affiliation			
G.A.R. (Post Name & No. Racine WI Post		) Racine M.O.L	L.U.S
SUVCW (Camp Name & No		) (Please des	scribe below)
WRC (Corps Name & No		)	,
ASUVCW (Aux Name & No.		)	
DUVCW (Tent Name & No			
LGAR (Circle Name & No.		)	
Other Other Community Organizations			
original Dedication Date  October 1925  article that would have information on the first dedicated your findings with full identification of the paper & data  Location  The Memorial is currently located at: Street/Road address or site location  72 S	ation ceremony and te of publication. The N42° 43' 34.85	/or other facts on the memoria nank you. 528" W -87° 46' 52.698"	I. Please submit a copy of
City/Village Racine Township	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	County Racine	<del></del>
Street/Road address or site location City/Village Racine Township State Wisconsin 53403			<del></del>
The front of the Memorial faces: North Covernment Body, Agency, or Individual Ow Name Racine Civic Centre	th South _	East <u>xxx</u> West	
Dept./Div.			
Street Address 5 Fifth St			City
Racine	State WI	Zip Code 53403	_ Contact Person
l'elephone	262-636-9229	) 	
If the Memorial has been moved, please	list former loca	tion(s).	

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# **Physical Details**

Material of Monument or base under a Scu name specific material (color of gra				
SUVCW CIVIL WAR				
Material of the Sculpture = $\frac{xxx}{x}$ Si If known, name specific material (c If the Sculpture is of metal, is it so	color of granite, marble, etc.)			
Material of Plaque or Historical M	larker / Tablet =			
Material of Cannon = xx Bronze Markings on muzzle = Hard to read sho	ould be ( Alger Foundry - M1857 Model and 1225			
Markings on Left Trunion Is inert ammunition a part of the N	Right Trunion			
	wemonar? NO II so, describe _	<del></del>		
Approximate Dimensions (indic Monument or Base: Height 30" Sculpture: Height Width _	cate unit of measure) - taken from Width 24: Depth 6 ft or Diamet	tallest / widest points or Diameter er		
For Memorials with multiple Sculp for each statue and attach to this weapons/implements involved (in	form. Please describe the "pose"	of each statue and any		
Markings/Inscriptions (on stone Maker or Fabricator mark / name?				
The "Dedication Text" is formed:	× cut into material raised u	p from material face		
Record the text (indicate any separ	ration if on different sides) Please ເ	use additional sheet if necessary.		
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Environmental Setting				
(The general vicinity and immediate locale <b>Type of Location</b>	surrounding a memorial can play a major	role in its overall condition.)		
Cemetery	Park	Plaza/Courtyard		
"Town Square"	Post Office	School		
Municipal Building Courthouse				
Traffic Circle	Library			

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General Vicinity  Rural (low population, open land) Town	Suburban (residen  XX Urban / Metropolita	
Immediate Locale (check as many as may apply)  Industrial <a cxx"="" cxx<="" href="mailto:xx" th=""><th>doors)</th><th></th></a>	doors)	
Condition Information		
<b>Structural Condition</b> (check as many as may apply) The following section applies to Monuments <i>with</i> Sculpture, and including the base for Monuments with <i>Cannon</i> . Instability in the		
number of factors. Indicators may be obvious or subtle. Visually		
	Sculpture	Base
If hollow, is the internal support unstable/exposed?  (Look for signs of exterior rust)	<del></del>	
Any evidence of structural instability?  (Look for cracked joints, missing mortar or caulking or plant gr	owth)	
Any broken or missing parts?  (Look for elements (i.e., sword, musket, hands, arms, etc midue to vandalism, fluctuating weather conditions, etc.)		_
Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes?  (Also look for signs of uneven stress & weakness in the material)	 ial)	
Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply)		
	Sculpture	Base
Black crusting		
White crusting Etched, pitted, or otherwise corroded (on metal)	<del></del>	<del></del>
Metallic staining (run-off from copper, iron, etc.)	<del></del>	
Organic growth (moss, algae, lichen or vines)		<del></del>
Chalky or powdery stone		
Granular eroding of stone		
Spalling of stone (surface splitting off)		
Droppings (bird, animal, insect remains) Other (e.g., spray paint graffiti) - Please describe		
Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial?	_ Yes <u>××</u> No Unable	to tell

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Does there appear to be a coating? Yes _xx _ No Unable to determine  If known, identify type of coating.  Gilded Painted Varnished Waxed Unable to determine			
Is the coating in good condition? Yes No Unable to determine			
Basic Surface Condition Assessment (check one)			
In your opinion, what is the general appearance or condition of the Memorial? Well maintained XX Would benefit from treatment In urgent need of treatment Unable to determine			
Overall Description			
Briefly describe the Memorial (affiliation / overall condition & any concern not already touched on) .  At the Memorial Hall Both Cannons In the Cannon Registry			
Rooms "for perpetual use" were assigned to the Grand Army of the Republic, the Spanish-American War Veterans, and the American Legion.			
The large auditorium and many other rooms were "turned over to the general public to serve			
as a patriotic reminder at all times and as the educational and cultural hub of the city			
The cannons greeting visitors to the west steps are twelve-pound Napoleon cannons dated 1862 and 1863.			
Each has a four and one-half bore and shot twelve-pound cannon balls.			

## **Supplemental Background Information**

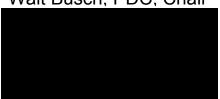
In addition to your on-site survey, any additional information you can provide on the described Memorial will be welcomed. Please label each account with its source (author, title, publisher, date, pages). Topics include any reference to the points listed on this questionnaire, plus any previous conservation treatments - or efforts to raise money for treatment. Thank you.

## **Inspector Identification**

Date of On-site Surv	ey 08/08/2013			
Your Name Walt Busch				
Address			City Pilot Knob	
State MO Zip Co	ode <u>63663</u>	_ Telephone (		
What Order or Organ	nization is submitter	a member of?	US Grant 68 SUVCW	

Please send this completed form to

Walt Busch, PDC, Chair



Thank you for your help, and attention to detail. Sons of Union V

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