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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 X Monument with Sculpture Monument with Cannon Monument without Sculpture Historical Marker Plaque Other (flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stained glass windows, etc.) |
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| Affiliation |
| G.A.R. (Post Name & No) M.O.L.L.U.S |
| SUVCW (Camp Name & No) (Please describe below) |
| WRC (Corps Name & No) |
| ASUVCW (Aux Name & No) |
| DUVCW (Tent Name & No) |
| LGAR (Circle Name & No) |
| Other A.J. Koons, Private B. Co. 84th Illinois Infantry |
| Original Dedication Date Please consult any/all newspaper archives for a local paper's article that would have information on the <i>first</i> dedication ceremony and/or other facts on the memorial. Please submit a copy of your findings with full identification of the paper & date of publication. Thank you. Location The Memorial is <i>currently</i> located at: Street/Road address or site location Vermont Cemetery- Rear |
| City/Village Vermont Township Vermont County Schuyler |
| State Illinois |
| The front of the Memorial faces: North _x South East West Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner (of private cemetery that Memorial is located in) Name |
| Dept./Div. |
| Street Address 106 N. Main Street City |
| Vermont State IL Zip Code 61484 Contact Person |
| Robert Young Jr. Telephone () 217-784-8281 |
| If the Memorial has been moved, please list former location(s). |

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Physical Details

| Material of Monument or base under a Sculpture or Cannon = $_$ Stone $_$ Concrete $\frac{x}{}$ Metal $_$ Undetermined If known name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) $\frac{Gray\ Concrete}{}$ | | | | |
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| SUVCW CIVIL WAR | | | | |
| Material of the Sculpture = Stone If known, name specific material (color If the Sculpture is of metal, is it solid of | of granite, marble, etc.) Tin | | | |
| Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = | | | | |
| Material of Cannon =Bronze Markings on muzzle = | Iron - Consult known Ordnand | ce Listing to confirm | | |
| Markings on Left Trunion | Right Trunion | | | |
| Markings on muzzle = Markings on Left Trunion_ Is inert ammunition a part of the Mem | orial? <u>No</u> If so, describe _ | | | |
| Approximate Dimensions (indicate Monument or Base: Height 2 FT Width 3 FT Width 3 FT | idth ^{2 FT} Depth ^{2FT} o | or Diameter | | |
| For Memorials with multiple Sculpture for each statue and attach to this form weapons/implements involved (in case) | n. Please describe the "pose" | of each statue and any | | |
| Markings/Inscriptions (on stone-wo Maker or Fabricator mark / name? If so | | | | |
| The "Dedication Text" is formed: × | cut into material raised u | p from material face | | |
| Record the text (indicate any separatio | | se additional sheet if necessary. | | |
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| Environmental Setting (The general vicinity and immediate locale surro Type of Location | ounding a memorial can play a major r | ole in its overall condition.) | | |
| × Cemetery | Park | Dlaza/Caurty and | | |
| × Cemetery "Town Square" | Post Office | Plaza/Courtyard School | | |
| Municipal Building | State Capitol | Other: | | |
| Courthouse | College Campus | | | |
| Traffic Circle | Library | | | |

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| General Vicinity X Rural (low population, open land) Town | Suburban (resider Urban / Metropolit | |
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| Immediate Locale (check as many as may apply) Industrial Commercial X Street/Roadside within 20 feet X Tree Covered (composed from the elements (canopy or enclosure, in Protected from the public (fence or other barrier) Any other significant environmental factor | doors) | |
| Condition Information | | |
| Structural Condition (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 | e sculpture and its base can | be detected by a |
| If hollow, is the internal support unstable/exposed? | Sculpture × | Base × |
| (Look for signs of exterior rust) Any evidence of structural instability? (Look for cracked joints, missing mortar or caulking or plant gr | x X | |
| Any broken or missing parts? (Look for elements (i.e., sword, musket, hands, arms, etc m | <u>X</u> | |
| due to vandalism, fluctuating weather conditions, etc.) Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes? (Also look for signs of uneven stress & weakness in the mater | ial) X | |
| Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply) | | |
| Black crusting White crusting Etched, pitted, or otherwise corroded (on metal) Metallic staining (run-off from copper, iron, etc.) Organic growth (moss, algae, lichen or vines) 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 | Sculpture X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X X | Base |
| Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial? × | _Yes No Unablo | e to tell |

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| Surface Coating |
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| Does there appear to be a coating? <u>×</u> Yes No Unable to determine If known, identify type of coating. |
| X 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 Would benefit from treatment X_ In urgent need of treatment Unable to determine |
| Overall Description |
| Briefly describe the Memorial (affiliation / overall condition & any concern not already touched on). Figured of Infantry Soldier in greatcoat at parade rest. Missing musket, bayonet and scabbard from monument, hands broken, numerous |
| cracks, rust, breaks. Monument has been abused and neglected for decades. |
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Supplemental Background Information

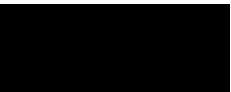
In addition to your on-site survey, any additional information you can provide on the described Memorial will be welcomed. Please label each account with its source (author, title, publisher, date, pages). Topics include any reference to the points listed on this questionnaire, plus any previous conservation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

Inspector Identification

| Date of On-site Survey 4-19-2012 | |
|---|------------------------|
| Your Name Gregory M. Carter PCC | |
| Address 1118 1/2 Ohio Street | City Quincy |
| State L Zip Code 62301 Tele | phone (|
| What Order or Organization is submitter a men | nber of? SUVCW, MOLLUS |

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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