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- Thank You.

# NATIONAL ORGANIZATION SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

# **CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT FORM**

#### PLEASE:

- Type or print, using a ball-point pen, when filling out this form. Legibility is critical.
- 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. •

Type of Memorial	
Monument with Sculpture	Monument with Cannon
Monument without Sculpture	Monument with Cannon Historical Marker X Plaque
Affiliation	
G.A.R. (Post Name & No	
W.R.C. (Corps Name & No	
SUVCW (Camp Name & No	) (Please describe below)
DUVCW (Tent Name & No	)
DUVCW (Tent Name & No X Other:	
Original Dedication Date local paper's article that would have information on the first ded Please submit a copy of your findings with full identification of the	fication ceremony and/or other facts on the memorial.

#### Location

The Memorial is <i>currently</i> located at: Soci	DIERS PARK			
Street/Road address or site location	EAST FRONT STREET			
City/Village MonRoE Township	County MONROE			
The front of the Memorial faces:North	South X East West			
Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner (of private cemetery that Memorial is located in)				
Name CITY OF MONKOF	Dept./Div. Historical Commission			
Street Address 120 EAST First Street				
City MONROE				
Contact Person Charles A. Londo, City				
Man	ager			
If the Memorial has been moved, please list for	0			

## **Physical Details**

Material of Monument or base under a Sculpture or Cannon = \_\_\_\_Stone \_\_\_\_ Concrete X Metal \_\_\_\_ Undetermined If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) Aluminum

Material of the Sculpture =	Stone	Concrete	🗶 Metal	Undetermined
If known, name specific material	(color of gr	ranite, marble, et	tc.)	
If the Sculpture is of metal, is	it solid cas	st or "hollow?"		

Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = \_\_\_\_\_ Alominum

Material of Cannon =BronzeI	ron - Consult known Ordnance Listing to confirm
Markings on muzzle =	····
Markings on Left Trunion	Right Trunion
Is inert ammunition a part of the Memo	rial? If so, describe

Approximate Dimensions (indicate unit of measure) - taken from tallest / widest points Monument or Base: Height \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ or Diameter \_\_\_\_\_ Sculpture: Pupe Height \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_ Depth \_\_\_\_\_ or Diameter \_\_\_\_\_

For Memorials with multiple Sculptures, please record this information on a separate sheet of paper for each statue and attach to this form. Please describe the "pose" of each statue and any weapons/implements involved (in case your photos become separated from this form). Thank you!

Markings/Inscriptions (on stone-work / metal-work of monument, base, sculpture) Maker or Fabricator mark / name? If so, give name & location found

The "Dedication Text" is formed: \_\_\_\_ cut into material \_\_\_\_ raised up from material face PAINTED ON.

Record the text (indicate any separation if on different sides...) Please use additional sheet if necessary. " INNITED STATES OF AMERICA - WARS AND CONFLICES

UNICO STATES OF AMERICA		- MAN CAVIGES	
	PARTICIPANTS	DEATHS IN SEAVICE	YEARS
A Merican Revolution	290,000	4,435	1775-1784
WAR DE 1812	287,000	2,260	1812-1815
MEXICAN WAR	79,000	13,271	1846-1848
CIVIL WAR Confed	NIAN 2, 2, 3, 000	364,511 133,821	1861 - 1865
SPANISH AMERICAN	392,000	2,446	1898-1902
WORLD WAR I	4,744,000	116,516	1917-1918
WORLD WAR I	16, 535,000	405,399	1940 - 1947
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# Environmental Setting

(The general vicinity and immediate locale surrounding a memorial can play a major role in its overall condition.)

### Type of Location

- \_\_\_\_ Cemetery \_\_\_\_\_ "Town Square" \_\_\_\_ Municipal Building
- Courthouse
- \_\_\_\_ Traffic Circle

X Park Post Office <u>\_\_\_\_</u> State Capitol \_\_\_\_ College Campus Library

Plaza/Courtyard
Other:

General Vicinity	
Rural (low population, open land)	Suburban (residential, near city)
X Town	Urban / Metropolitan
Immediate Locale (check as many as may	/ apply)
Industrial	Commercial
$\mathbf{X}$ Street/Roadside within 20 feet	Tree Covered (overhanging branches)
Protected from the elements (canopy c	or enclosure, indoors)
Protected from the public (fence or othe	er barrier)
Any other significant environmental fac	tor
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# **Condition Information**

#### Structural Condition (check as many as may apply)

The following section applies to Monuments with Sculpture, and Monuments without Sculpture - including the base for Monuments with Cannon. Instability in the sculpture and its base can be detected by a number of factors. Indicators may be obvious or subtle. Visually examine the sculpture and its base.

	Sculpture	Base
If hollow, is the internal support unstable/exposed? (look for signs of exterior rust)		<u> </u>
Any evidence of structural instability? (look for cracked joints, missing mortar or caulking or plant growth)		
Any broken or missing parts? (look for elements (i.e., sword, musket, hands, arms, etc missing due to vandalism, fluctuating weather conditions, etc.)		
Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes? (also look for signs of uneven stress & weakness in the material)		
Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply)		
Disale and the	Sculpture	Base
Black crusting		·
White crusting		<u> </u>
Etched, pitted, or otherwise corroded (on metal)		<del></del>
Metallic staining (run-off from copper, iron, etc.)		
Organic growth (moss, algae, lichen or vines)		<u></u>
Chalky or powdery stone	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Granular eroding of stone		
Spalling of stone (surface splitting off)		·
Droppings (bird, animal, insect remains)	- <u></u>	
Other (e.g., spray paint graffiti) - Please describe		

Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial? \_\_\_\_ Yes X No \_\_\_\_ Unable to tell

#### Surface Coating

Does there app	pear to be a coatin	g? Ye	s <u>X</u> No	Unable to determine	
If known, identify type of coating.					
Gilded _	Painted	Varnished	Waxed	Unable to determine	
Is the coating i	n good condition?	Yes	No	Unable to determine	

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#### 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 \_\_\_\_\_ In urgent need of treatment \_\_\_\_\_ Unable to determine

## **Overall Description**

Briefly describe the Memorial (affiliation / overall condition & any concern not already touched on) .

# 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 <u>10 August 2</u>	208	
Your Name	Richard E. Danes		
Address	2612 Burns	Citv	Dearborn
State MI	Zip Code	Telephone	

SUVCW Camp 427 Senior Vice Commander

Please send this completed form to:

Douglas R. Armstrong Civil War Memorials Officer Department of Michigan - S.U.V.C.W. 236 E Frederick Ave. Lansing, MI. 48906-3226

Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR National Civil War Memorials Committee Continued from page 2 Korean Conflict 6,807,000 54,246 1950-1955 Vietnam Era 9,200,000 58,135 1964-1975 The Price of Freedom Obnated by VFW Post 1138 "

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