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#### 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.

- Thank You.

# Type of Memorial

Monument <i>with</i> Sculpture	Monument with Cal	Monument with <i>Cannon</i>					
Monument without Sculpture	Historical Marker	$\underline{\times}$ Plaque					

# Affiliation

G.A.R. (Post	Name & No		)M.O.L.L.U.S.
<u>×</u> W.R.C. (Corp	s Name & No. Dept of Missouri	A	) X Other Allied Order
$\underline{\times}$ SUVCW (Cam	Name & No. Dept of Mo and it	is Auxiliary	) (Please describe below)
_X DUVCW (Tent	Name & No. Dept of Missouri		)
XOther: Dept of N	lissouri, Ladies of the Grand Arm	y of the Republic	
Original Dedicat	ion Date April 9 1932	Please consul	t any/all newspaper archives for a
	at would have information on the f		d/or other facts on the memorial.
	of your findings with full identificat		
	<i>currently</i> located at: ress or site location <sup>Capito</sup>	ol Bldg., West Capitol Ave. N	J38°34'44.83' W92°10'22.77
City/Village <sup>Jeffe</sup>		Cou	nty <sup>Cole</sup>
City/village		000	Inty
The front of the I	Memorial faces: Nor	th <u>×</u> South _	East West
Government Body	, Agency, or Individual Own	er (of private cemetery t	bat Memorial is located in)
	partment of Natural Resources	Dept./Div	on of State Parks
Street Address			······································
City Jefferson City		State MO	Zip Code 65102
Contact Person	State Museum Curator	Telephone ( ٤	300 ) <u>3-DIOXIN</u>
If the Memorial h	as been moved, please li	st former location(s).	

## **Physical Details**

Material of Monument or base under a Sculpture or Cannon =  $\underline{\times}$ Stone \_\_\_\_ Concrete \_\_\_\_ Metal \_\_\_\_ Undetermined If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_ Marble \_\_\_\_\_

Material of the Sculpture = StoneConcrete Metal Undetermined If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) If the Sculpture is of metal, is it solid cast or "hollow?"
Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet = Bronze (or bronze like material)
Material of Cannon =BronzeIron - Consult known Ordnance Listing to confirm Markings on muzzle = Markings on Left Trunion Right Trunion Is inert ammunition a part of the Memorial? If so, describe
Approximate Dimensions (indicate unit of measure) - taken from tallest / widest points    Monument or Base:  Height  Width  Depth  or Diameter    Sculpture:  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
Record the text (indicate any separation if on different sides) Please use additional sheet if necessary.
Environmental Setting
(The general vicinity and immediate locale surrounding a memorial can play a major role in its overall condition.) <b>Type of Location</b>
Cemetery  Park  Plaza/Courtyard    "Town Square"  Post Office  School    Municipal Building  X State Capitol  Other:    Courthouse  College Campus

#### **General Vicinity**

\_ \_ Suburban (residential, near city) Rural (low population, open land) × Town \_\_\_\_ Urban / Metropolitan

#### **Immediate Locale** (check as many as may apply)

- \_\_\_\_Industrial \_\_\_\_`Commercial
- \_ Street/Roadside within 20 feet \_\_\_\_ Tree Covered (overhanging branches)
- × Protected from the elements (canopy or enclosure, indoors)
- Protected from the public (fence or other barrier) Any other significant environmental factor

## 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.

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 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)		
	Sculpture	Base
Black crusting		<u> </u>
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	<b>_</b>	
Granular eroding of stone		<u> </u>
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 X No Unable to tell

#### Surface Coating

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Does	there	appear	to	be	а	coating?		Yes	_X	No		Unable	to	determine
lf knov	wn, ide	ntify typ	e of	coa	itin	g.								
G	ilded _	Pain	ted		Va	arnished _	V	vaxed j		Unab	le to	determir	ne	
Is the	coating	in good	con	ditio	n?	Yes		No			Unal	ble to det	erm	line

### Basic Surface Condition Assessment (check one)

In your opinion, what is the general appearance or condition of the Memorial?

## **Overall Description**

Briefly describe the Memorial (affiliation / overall condition & any concern not already touched on) .  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{N/A}}$ 

# **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 10/15/2011 Your Name Walter E Busch

US Grant Camp 68

Please send this completed form to:

## Bruce B. Butgereit, PDC, Chair



Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR National Civil War Memorials Committee

[Profile of Lincoln with waving US flags on each side]

The Grand Army of the Republic

1861 [Medal and ribbon of the GAR] 1865

This memorial tablet is dedicated to the Grand Army of the Republic whose immortal name symbolizes the heroic deeds and the far reaching achievements pertaining to the Civil War period from 1861 to 1865.

To honor and cherish the memory of Union veterans who offered their lives on the altar of loyalty thereby inspiring President Abraham Lincoln and the faithful Grand Army in their unfailing efforts to preserve the unity of our country and the glorious flag of our land.

Presented by Department of Missouri Women's Relief Corp. The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War. Auxiliary to Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War. Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

Dedicated April 9, 1932.



