## NATIONAL ORGANIZATION SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL ASSESSMENT FORM

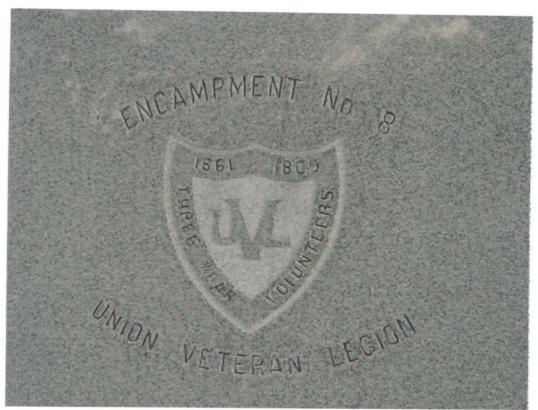
Type of Memorial (check all applicable)
Monumentwith Sculpture without Sculpture with Cannon standalone Cannon
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Affiliation  GAR MOLLUS SUVCW WRC ASUVCW LGAR DUVCW Other Union Veterans Legion
If known, record name and number of post, camp, corps, auxiliary, tent, circle or appropriate information of other groups:
His is 5 hours as the 8th Encampment for the Union Veterans Legion
Original Dedication Date May 30, 1904 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 currently located at: Street/Road address or site location Walnut Hills Cemetery  1350 E. Pierce Ave. GPS Coordinates 41.272767 - 95.82575  City/Village &/or Township Council Bluffs  County Po HawaHamie State Towa Zip Code 51503
The front of the Memorial faces: North South East West
Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner  Name
Is Memorial on the National Register of Historic PlacesYesNo ID # if known
For Monuments with/without sculpture:  Physical Details  Material of Monument or base under a Sculpture or Cannon =Stone Concrete MetalOther  If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.)
Material of the SculptureStone Concrete MetalOther Is it hollow or solid?If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.)

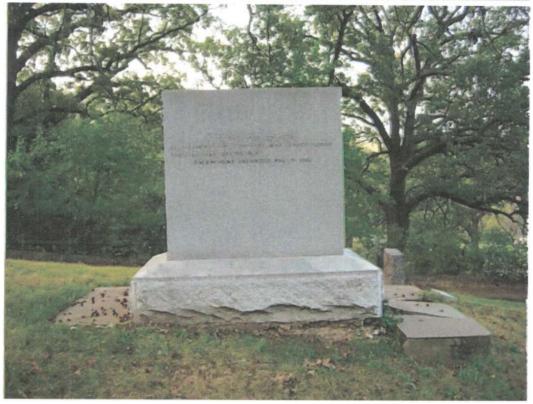
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For Historic Marker or Plaque:	
Material of Plaque or Historical Marker / Tablet =	
For Cannons with/without monument:	
Material of Cannon = Bronze Iron Type of Cannon (if known) RifledYES	NO
Markings: MuzzleBase Ring/Breech	NO
Left Trunion Right Trunion	_
Left Trunion Right Trunion Right Trunion No	
[For camp/department monuments officer's use: Cannon on list of known ordnance] YesNo	
For Other Memorials: (flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stained glass windows, etc.)	
What best describes the memorial	
Materials of the Memorial	
Complete for All Memorials  Approximate Dimensions (indicate unit of measure) - taken from tallest / widest points  Warn grante part  Height 54" Width 23" Depth or Diameter  74" base	
74" 46" base	
For Memorials with multiple Sculptures, please record this information on a separate sheet of paper for each statue (service, pose and attach to this form. Please describe the "pose" of each statue and any weapons/implements involved (in case your photos bed separated from this form). Thank you!	, etc
Markings/Inscriptions (on stone-work / metal-work of monument, base, sculpture)	
Maker or Fabricator mark / name? If so, give name & location found	
Please attach legible photographs of all text &/or Record the text in the space below. Please use the addendum – narrative sheet if necessary.	
see attached including historical information about	
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>This form may be photocopied.<

Type of Location    Cemetery	Environmental Setting (The general vicinity and immediate locale surrounding a memorial can play a major role in its overall condition.)
Rural (low population, open land) Suburban (residential, near city) Town	Type of Location Cemetery Park Plaza/Courtyard "Town Square" Post Office School Municipal Building State Capitol Courthouse College Campus
Immediate Locale (check as many as may apply)  IndustrialCommercialStreet/Roadside within 20 feetTree Covered (overhanging branches)  Protected from the elements (canopy or enclosure, indoors)Protected from the public (fence or other barrier)  Any other significant environmental factorfra_a_unter_area_in_all_comments (canopy or enclosure, indoors)Protected from the public (fence or other barrier)  Any other significant environmental factorfra_a_unter_area_in_all_comments (canopy or enclosure, indoors)Protected from the public (fence or other barrier)  Any other significant environmental factorfra_a_unter_area_in_all_comments (canopy or enclosure, indoors)fra_a_unter_area_in_all_comments (canopy or enclosure, indoors)fra_a_unter_area_in_all_comments (canopy or enclosure, indoors)fra_a_unter_area_in_all_comments (canopy or enclosure, all canopy or enclosure)fra_a_unter_area_in_all_comments (canopy or enclosure, all canopy or enclosure, all canop	
[To detail the condition of a monument used the addendum form for Monument's Condition]  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.  Addendums attached to this electronic file are the Monument's Condition and the Narrative forms. Only the Monument's Condition form is required if you are requesting grant money using form CWM-62 SUVCW Memorial Grant Application Form and Instructions.  Thank you.  He grante Port of the Won wment border and steps are border upp.  Inspector Identification  Date of On-site Survey  Mail gaard to acl. com  Are you a member of the Allied Orders of the G.A.R.? If so, which one?  SUVCW Gen. Grenville Dodge Camp #75  Please send this completed form to:  Walt Busch, PDC, Chair 1240 Konert Valley Dr. Fenton, MO 63026  Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.	Immediate Locale (check as many as may apply)  Industrial Commercial Street/Roadside within 20 feet Tree Covered (overhanging branches)
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TO THE MEMORY OF COMPANES WHO SERVED DURING THE CIVIL WAR 1861 TO 1865

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## Department of Iowa - Civil War Monuments

Pottawattamie County - Council Bluffs

## **Union Veterans Legion Monument**

This monument is in the Walnut Hill Cemetery in Council Bluffs. It was erected May 30, 1904. Membership in the Union Veterans Legion required volunteering prior to July 1, 1863 for a term of 3 years and being honorably discharged. Service had to be at least 2 years if the discharge was due to battlefield wounds. Membership in the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR), where any veteran was eligible, was much more common. There is little record of the Legion in Iowa and this is its only known monument. The cemetery is on the east side of the city - take Highway 6 to North Avenue then turn south one block to E. Pierce Street and follow it to Walnut Hill. The monument is on the road to the left or west side of the cemetery. Thank you to Richard Hickman for notification of this unusual monument and the excellent photos. The photos were taken 8/27/12.

