

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

Type of Memorial (check all applicable)

Monument  with Sculpture  without Sculpture  with Cannon  standalone Cannon  
 Historical Marker  Plaque  Other ( flag pole, G.A.R. buildings, stained glass windows, etc.)

Note: try to record items separately. Cannons near monuments should be recorded & photographed separately, etc. Thank you.

Affiliation

GAR  MOLLUS  SUVCW  WRC  ASUVCW  
 LGAR  DUVCW  Other

If known, record name and number of post, camp, corps, auxiliary, tent, circle or appropriate information of other groups:

Battle of Carthage Inc

05 Jul 2025

Original Dedication Date \_\_\_\_\_ Please consult any/all newspaper archives for a local paper's article that would have information on the first 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

Jasper County Courthouse

The Memorial is currently located at  
Street/Road address or site location \_\_\_\_\_

301-399 Grant St \_\_\_\_\_ GPS Coordinates N37.176649863836445, W-94.31017567116349

City/Village &/or Township Carthage \_\_\_\_\_

County Jasper \_\_\_\_\_ State MO \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code 64836

The front of the Memorial faces: \_\_\_ North \_\_\_ South \_\_\_ East \_\_\_ West

Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner

Name Battle of Carthage INC \_\_\_\_\_

Dept./Div. \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address c/o Gary Keane, 1658 South Plum Lane \_\_\_\_\_

City Carthage \_\_\_\_\_ State MO \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code 64836

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ext \_\_\_\_\_

Is Memorial on the National Register of Historic Places \_\_\_ Yes  No ID # if known \_\_\_\_\_

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For Monuments with/without sculpture:

Physical Details

Material of Monument or base under a Sculpture or Cannon =  Stone  Concrete  Metal  Other

If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) Granite \_\_\_\_\_

Material of the Sculpture  Stone  Concrete  Metal  Other Is it hollow or solid? \_\_\_\_\_

If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) Granite \_\_\_\_\_

**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) \_\_\_\_\_

Rifled \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Markings: Muzzle \_\_\_\_\_ Base Ring/Breech \_\_\_\_\_

Left Trunion \_\_\_\_\_ Right Trunion \_\_\_\_\_

Is inert ammunition a part of the Memorial? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

[For camp/department monuments officer's use: Cannon on list of known ordnance] \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**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

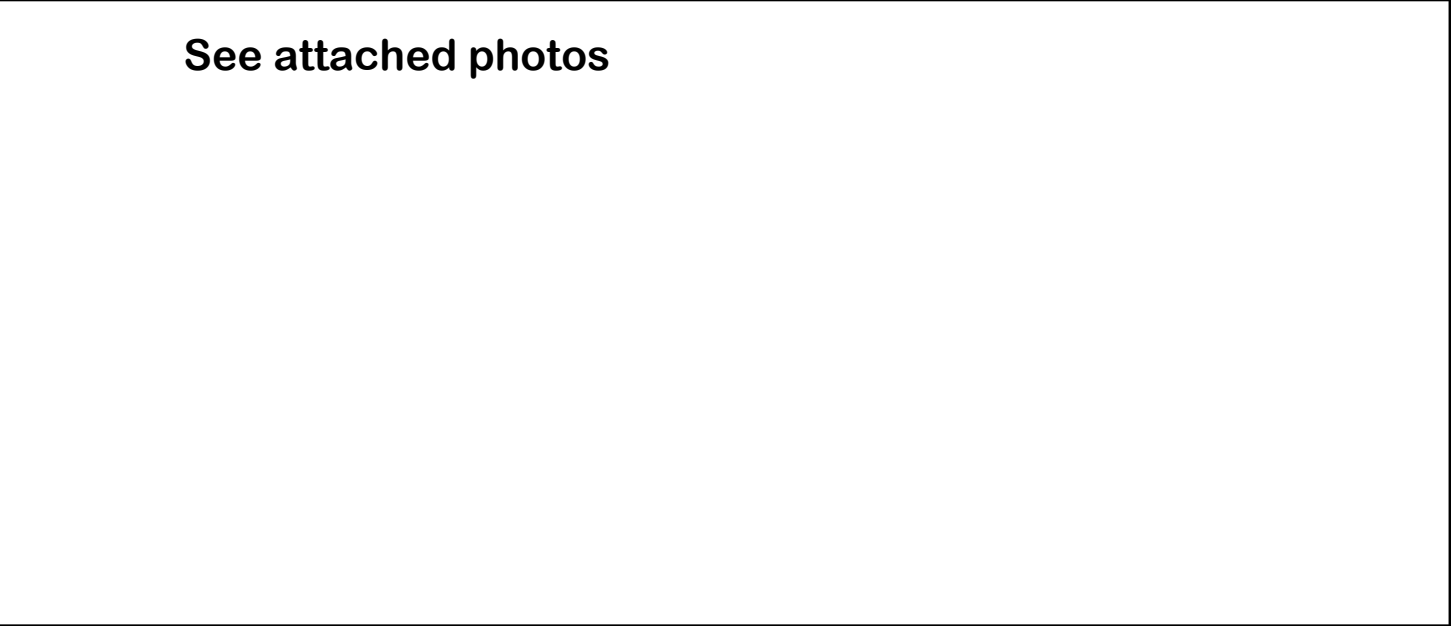
5ft \_\_\_\_\_ Height 4ft \_\_\_\_\_ Width 12in \_\_\_\_\_ Depth or \_\_\_\_\_ Diameter

For Memorials with multiple Sculptures, please record this information on a separate sheet of paper for each statue (service, pose, etc) 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 West Chestnut Monument, Carthage, MO

Please attach legible photographs of all text &/or Record the text in the space below. Please use the addendum – narrative sheet if necessary.



**Environmental Setting**

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

**Type of Location**

Cemetery  Park  Plaza/Courtyard  "Town Square"  Post Office  
 School  Municipal Building  State Capitol  Courthouse  College Campus  
 Traffic Circle  Library Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**General Vicinity**

Rural (low population, open land)  Suburban (residential, near city)  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 \_\_\_\_\_

[To detail the condition of a monument used the addendum form for *Monument's Condition*]

Submission of this form requires at least one type of identification so that you may be contacted regarding the information on this form. This information will most likely be in the public domain. Your name is required; please include one (or more) pieces of contact information.

1. If a member of an Allied Order, the name of your camp, auxiliary, tent, circle or corps; along with your department;
2. Physical Address;
3. Phone Number
4. E-Mail address.

By submitting this, you are allowing the posting of this information on the internet.

**07/05/2025**

Inspector Identification \_\_\_\_\_ Date of On-site Survey \_\_\_\_\_  
Your Name Walt Busch, PDC  
Address 1240 Konert Valley Dr  
City Fenton State MO Zip Code 63026  
Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail cwmemorials@sucvw.org or wbusch@sucvwmo.org

Are you a member of the Allied Orders of the G.A.R.? If so, which one?

General Ulysses S Grant Camp 68, MO-SUVCW. Past Commander - Central Region Allied Orders of the GAR

**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. Photographs & GPS Co-ordinates are very much desired.

Pages 4 & 5 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*.

**Please mail (or e-mail pdf, and picture files) to:**  
**Walt Busch, PDC, Chair, 1240 Konert Valley Dr., Fenton, MO 63026, cwmemorials@sucvw.org**

*Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.*

**Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War - Civil War Memorials Committee.**

>This form may be photocopied.<

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# THE BATTLE OF CARTHAGE

JULY 5, 1861

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ERECTED WITH THE GENEROUS SUPPORT OF BATTLE OF CARTHAGE, INC.  
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STEADLEY MEMORIAL TRUST, SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR,  
AND RESIDENTS INTERESTED IN COMMEMORATING OUR LOCAL HISTORY.

DEDICATED JULY 5, 2025

BATTLE OF CARTHAGE  
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IN EARLY 1861, UNITS OF THE MISSOURI STATE GUARD...  
UNDER THE COMMAND OF GOVERNOR CLAYTON FOX...  
WERE SENT TO LAUREL MOUNTAIN CAMP...  
TO PREPARE FOR THE POSSIBLE INVASION...  
OF THE STATE BY THE CONFEDERATE ARMY...  
ON JULY 5, 1861, THE GUARD...  
ENCOUNTERED APPROXIMATELY 4000...  
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**SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR  
CIVIL WAR MEMORIAL FUND REQUEST**

(FORM CWM #62)

**REQUESTOR INFORMATION** (Please print or type)

CAMP AND DEPARTMENT NAME: Phelps Camp No. 66, Department of Missouri

NAME/ TITLE OF CONTACT PERSON: Jeff Patrick, Senior Vice Commander

ADDRESS: 122 E. Jewell St.

CITY: Republic STATE: MO ZIP CODE: 65738

PHONE(S) [REDACTED] E-MAIL [REDACTED]

SIGNATURE: JEFFREY PATRICK Digitally signed by JEFFREY PATRICK  
Date: 2023.06.22 07:40:34 -05'00'

**NAME OF MEMORIAL/MONUMENT** Battle of Carthage Union Monument

**NAME, NUMBER & STREET ADDRESS OF CEMETERY OR OTHER LOCATION**  
Jasper County Courthouse, 301-399 Grant St, Carthage, Missouri 64836

LOCATION DESCRIPTION (i.e. corner of 3<sup>rd</sup> and Lincoln St) corner of Grant St and 3rd St, Carthage  
MO 64836

GPS N 37.1769 W 94.30976 City Carthage State MO ZIP 64836

**re form 61, project has been reviewed by Natl Monuments Officer**  
WAS REQUIRED FORM CWM-61: GAR MONUMENTS/CIVIL WAR MEMORIALS ASSESSMENT SUBMITTED? Y    N X  
**and will have a form completed upon dedication**  
   EXISTING MONUMENT X NEW MONUMENT    LAST SOLDIER PROJECT

RESTORATION COST \$ 8600 AMOUNT RAISED \$    REQUESTED \$ 2000

**CHECK PAYABLE TO:** Battle of Carthage, Inc.  
ADDRESS: c/o Garry L Keene 1658 South Plum Lane  
CITY: Carthage, MO 64836 STATE ZIP CODE

STATE ZIP CODE

Memorial Grant Committee Use Only					
Grant Request #		Amount Approved \$			
Approve	Deny	Table	Name Committee Member	Signature	Date

*Check box, sign, date & return completed email to Committee Chair, who will send to National Treasurer for payment.*

**MONUMENT/ MEMORIAL INFORMATION**

WHEN WAS IT BUILT: New WHO OWNS IT: It will be owned by Jasper Co after construct

WHO IS FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE? This is being produced by local citizens in cooperation with the Phelps Camp 66 Missouri Sons of Union Veterans

ARE MATCHING CONTRIBUTIONS AVAILABLE? NO FROM WHERE: \_\_\_\_\_

ARE OTHER SOURCES OF FUNDS AVAILABLE? Yes FROM WHERE: Phelps Camp & Dept of MO

Battle of Carthage, Inc & maybe some otherSUVCW local camps, local community  
**the American Legion Post 13 & the ML Steadley Memorial Trust**

WAS A GRANT FROM THE SUVCW PREVIOUSLY RECEIVED FOR THIS PROJECT? NO

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT: \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE THE WORK THE GRANT IS NEEDED FOR (Be specific, use continuation sheet if needed)

In 1999, the Sons of Confederate Veterans, Missouri Division erected a monument on the grounds of the Jasper County Courthouse in honor of the pro-Confederate Missouri State guard troops who fought in the July 1861 Battle of Carthage. Although the monument was privately funded, its appearance on the courthouse grounds suggests that Jasper County endorses its message and has decided to honor only one of the two armies of Missourians engaged in the battle.

For the past year, several Jasper County residents have discussed ways of honoring the Missourians who fought at Carthage under the United States flag. [continued on attached sheet]

WHO EVALUATED THE NEED FOR THE WORK AND WHAT ARE THEIR QUALIFICATIONS? \_\_\_\_\_

Jeff Patrick, Museum Curator, Wilson's Creek National Battlefield

WHO WILL DO THE DESCRIBED WORK, AND WHAT ARE THEIR QUALIFICATIONS? West Chestnut

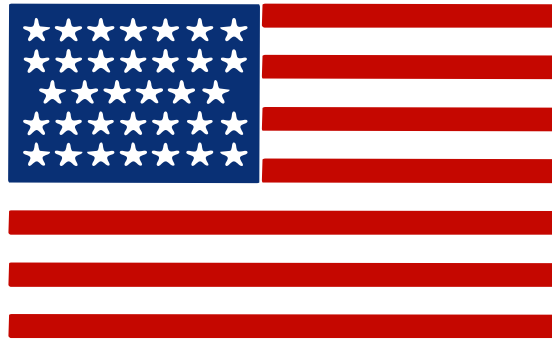
Monument, 1225 W. Chestnut St., Carthage has designed and constructed similar monuments.

WHO WILL RECEIVE FUNDS IF GRANTED? Battle of Carthage, Inc.

c/o Garry L Keene 1658 South Plum Lane, Carthage, MO 64836

LIST WHAT THE CAMP/DEPARTMENT HAS AND/OR WILL DO TO ACCOMPLISH THE PROJECT

Phelp camp members and the Dept of Missouri have worked on producing the text and will work on raising/donating funds to the effot

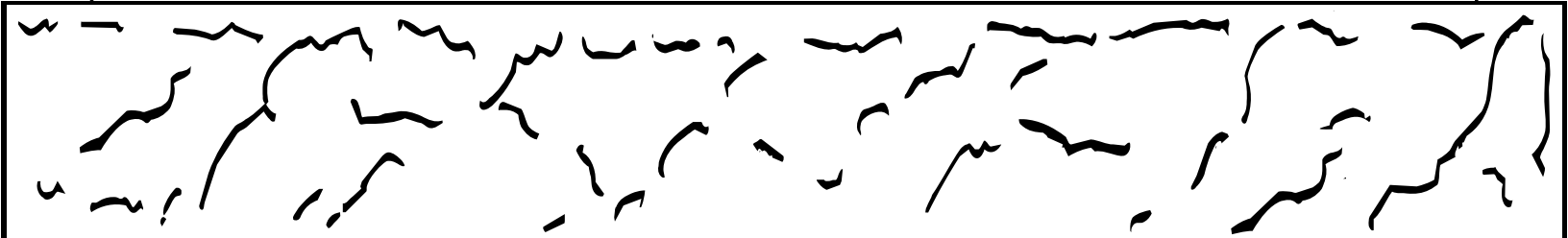


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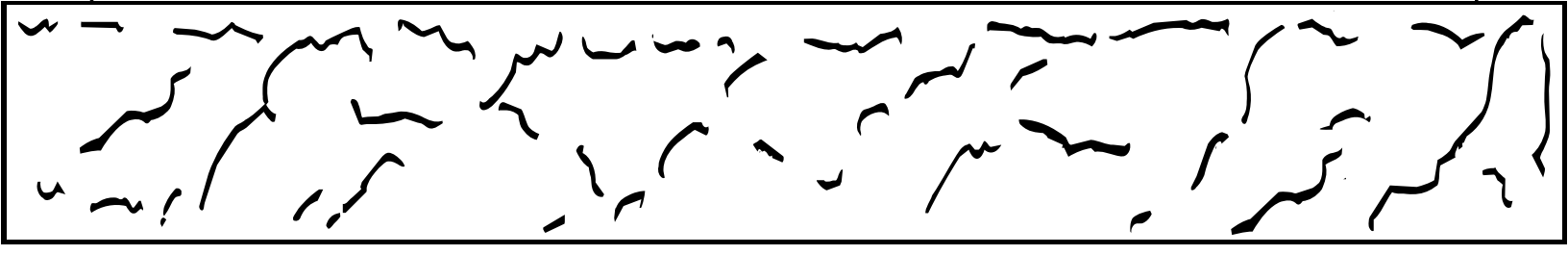
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Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War  
Civil War Memorial funding request

DESCRIBE THE WORK THE GRANT IS NEEDED FOR [continued from application]


In consultation with several scholars of the Civil War, we have drawn up a proposed text for a monument comparable in size and design. We have conferred with the Jasper County Commissioners, and they have no objection to placing such a monument adjacent to the SCV's. The monument text would read:

*Front, facing square*

July 1861 found Missourians deeply divided not only over the proper response to the secession of 11 other Southern states but even over who constituted the state's government and militia. The pro-secessionist governor Claiborne Jackson and former governor Sterling Price were leading the Missouri State Guard to link up with Confederate forces in Arkansas. Meanwhile, pro-Union members of the Missouri Constitutional Convention had appointed a provisional state government led by Hamilton Gamble. Brigadier General Nathaniel Lyon, newly appointed commander of the United States Department of the West, made plans to intercept the State Guard. On 5<sup>th</sup> July, 1100 Union troops, mainly German-American volunteers under Colonel Franz Sigel, encountered approximately 4000 State Guard troops about 10 miles north of Carthage. The battle, the largest to date west of the Mississippi, raged for 12 hours. The outnumbered Union forces continued fighting as they retreated to Carthage and from there withdrew to Sarcoxie. Although the Missouri State Guard could claim victory, Sigel had successfully resisted attempts to encircle and force the surrender of his army.

*Reverse, facing courthouse*

This monument is dedicated to the men of the Second Brigade, Missouri Volunteers, comprising the 3<sup>rd</sup> Missouri Infantry, the 5<sup>th</sup> Missouri Infantry, and Major Franz Backof's Artillery Battalion, who so early in the war answered the call to defend their adopted country and its Constitution, the supreme law of the land. They fought valiantly against overwhelming odds and withdrew honorably from the battlefield to fight another day for the causes of the Union and freedom.


 Outlook

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Re: [EXTERNAL] Fwd: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup

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From PAUL TEVEROW <proftevero [REDACTED]>  
Date Thu 11/14/2024 9:21 AM  
To Patrick, Jeffrey <Jeffrey\_Patrick@nps.gov>; Walter Busch <[REDACTED]>

 2 attachments (2 MB)

West Chestnut Civil War Union Memorial (Front).PDF; West Chestnut Civil War Union Memorial (Back).pdf;

Jeff & Walt,

Here's the total cost for the monument:

Revised price quote for the Union Memorial to match the Confederate Memorial:

Top 48" x 8" x 60" All Polish w/ Gabel Top

Base 54" x 14" x 8" PFT, BRP

Total \$8,535.00

Price includes:

-Engraving Front & Back w/ graphics

-Installation on Courthouse lawn

This is an increase of \$590.00 from our quote on Sept. 14, 2022

Please let me know if you have any other questions.

Thank you,

Pat Snyder

West Chestnut Monument

1225 W. Chestnut St., Carthage, MO 64836  
[REDACTED]

Yes, Jasper County is responsible for maintaining the courthouse grounds. In the very unlikely event of anything happening to the monument itself, I suspect that Battle of Carthage, Inc, which has been good enough to receive donations, would be responsible for repairs. But nothing has happened to the several other monuments which have been there for decades on the Courthouse grounds.

With the grant received from the Steadley Trust as well as over \$1500 in private donations, we should be able to cover the costs. That being said, if you'd like Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War to be included with other donors on the monument text, I'd suggest a donation of at least \$100.

Again, we appreciate your valuable advice!

All the best,

Paul

On Thu, Nov 14, 2024 at 7:41 AM Patrick, Jeffrey [REDACTED] ote:

Paul,

Here's the reply from Walt Busch:

"One problem I see is that there is no estimate of the amount needed and who will be responsible for the monument after install (I assume Jasper Co)  
If you get me the stuff on the blanks concerning money, I will incorporate and forward it."

Can you help me answer these questions?

Thanks!

**Jeff Patrick**

Museum Curator  
Wilson's Creek National Battlefield  
National Park Service  
(417) 732-2662, ext. 224

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**From:** PAUL TEVEROW [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 14, 2024 12:57 PM  
**To:** Patrick, Jeffrey [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Fwd: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup

Jeff,

Garry Keene of the Battle of Carthage, Inc shared the list of all donations in the books he keeps for their organization. We have not received one from SUVCW. Again, thanks for your valuable assistance with this project.

Paul

On Wed, Nov 13, 2024 at 2:08 PM Patrick, Jeffrey <[Jeffrey\\_Patrick@nps.gov](mailto:Jeffrey_Patrick@nps.gov)> wrote:

Hi Paul,

I forwarded the completed form to Walt, so hopefully we'll have answers soon as to what happened to the funding request.

Cheers,  
Jeff

**Jeff Patrick**

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**From:** PAUL TEVEROW [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 13, 2024 12:57 PM  
**To:** Patrick, Jeffrey [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Fwd: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup

Jeff,

Walter Busch told me that I should provide a PayPal link for SUVCW members who wanted to contribute. Because between the grant and donations to date, we have enough on hand to cover the costs of engraving and placing the monument, I decided it would not be worth the trouble. Now if SUVCW were to make a significant contribution, I'd recommend we include them on the monument along with the names of other organizations that have supported this project. Of course, I very much appreciate the good advice that you and Walter have provided.

Paul

On Wed, Nov 13, 2024 at 8:39 AM Patrick, Jeffrey [REDACTED] > wrote:

After checking my "sent" email, it looks like I sent the grant application to the appropriate SUVCW monuments person on August 14, 2023. It's entirely possible that the SUVCW didn't process the request.

JP

**Jeff Patrick**

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Wilson's Creek National Battlefield  
National Park Service  
(417) 732-2662, ext. 224

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**From:** PAUL TEVEROW [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 13, 2024 8:33 AM  
**To:** Patrick, Jeffrey [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** Garry Keene [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Re: [EXTERNAL] Fwd: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup

Jeff,

I'm not aware of this donation. Garry, have you received a check from Sons of the Union Veterans?

Paul

On Wed, Nov 13, 2024 at 8:22 AM Patrick, Jeffrey [REDACTED] wrote:

Hi Paul,

This looks great! I forgot to ask, but did you receive a check from the Sons of Union Veterans for the monument?

Cheers,  
Jeff

**Jeff Patrick**

Museum Curator  
Wilson's Creek National Battlefield  
National Park Service  
(417) 732-2662, ext. 224

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**From:** PAUL TEVEROW [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, November 5, 2024 10:55 AM  
**To:** West Chestnut Monument <[wcm monument@outlook.com](mailto:wcm monument@outlook.com)>  
**Cc:** Larry Wood <[larryw@outlook.com](mailto:larryw@outlook.com)>; Garry Keene [REDACTED]; Bob Harrington <[REDACTED]>; Steve Weldon [REDACTED]; Patrick, Jeffrey [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Fwd: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup

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Pat,

Thanks for contacting me about our Battle of Carthage monument. We would definitely like you to proceed with engraving the granite. The text that M'ylene sent in the attachments included here is indeed what we want. As I said in yesterday's email, the only thing to add will be the date of dedication at the bottom of the side facing the Courthouse. I understand why you need a down payment before work can proceed, and we agreed that \$4000 would be sufficient. Gary, would you or someone else from Battle of Carthage, Inc. be able to write a check to West Chestnut Monuments? Please let me know if you'd like me to pick it up and deliver it. And Pat, you said you anticipate having the monument completed by early Spring. When you get a better idea of the actual completion date, I'll confer with the other people involved in this project and the County Commissioners to set a dedication date.

Thanks!  
Paul Teverow  
417-621-1494

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From: **West Chestnut Monument** <[wcmmonument@outlook.com](mailto:wcmmonument@outlook.com)>  
Date: Wed, Sep 11, 2024 at 10:03 AM  
Subject: Re: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup  
To: PAUL TEVEROW [REDACTED]

Here is a revised proof attached! I didn't change anything on the front, just the back!

Thank you,

**M'lynn Snyder**

West Chestnut Monument  
1225 W. Chestnut St., Carthage, MO 64836  
417-358-4226

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From: PAUL TEVEROW [REDACTED]  
Sent: Wednesday, September 11, 2024 8:14 AM  
To: West Chestnut Monument <[wcmmonument@outlook.com](mailto:wcmmonument@outlook.com)>  
Subject: Re: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup

Pat & M'ylene,

Thanks for sharing the new mock-up. I'd make just two changes:

1. On further reflection, on the reverse side, I'd like to change the last line before the United States seal to read "for the causes of the Union and freedom."
2. Also on that side, it should read "the Robert S. Thurman American Legion Post 13"

I appreciate the care you've been devoting to this project.

Paul

On Tue, Sep 10, 2024 at 10:57 AM West Chestnut Monument <[wcmonument@outlook.com](mailto:wcmonument@outlook.com)> wrote:

Paul,

Attached is a revised version of the back with the verbiage requested added.

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**From:** PAUL TEVEROW [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Friday, September 6, 2024 4:25 PM  
**To:** West Chestnut Monument <[wcmonument@outlook.com](mailto:wcmonument@outlook.com)>  
**Subject:** Re: Battle of Carthage Union Monument Mockup

This looks very good, M'lynn. Could we add the following to the back side, just under the United States seal?

Erected with the generous support of Battle of Carthage, Inc., the Robert S. Thurman American Legion Post 13, the K.D. and M.L. Steadley Memorial Trust, and residents interested in commemorating our local history.

Please let Pat know that I met with the county commissioners last week, and they had no problems with placing it next to the Sons of Confederate veterans monument. They plan to take a formal vote at their meeting this coming Tuesday and will be in touch with Pat to coordinate the placement of the monument.

Many thanks,  
Paul Teverow

On Fri, Sep 6, 2024 at 4:16 PM West Chestnut Monument <[wcmonument@outlook.com](mailto:wcmonument@outlook.com)> wrote:

Paul,

Pat asked me to work up a mockup for the monument. Attached is an image for the front and the back. Changes can be easily made. Let me know if you have any questions!

Thank you,

**M'lynn Snyder**

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