

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:

Hennessee LGAR

Original Dedication Date Before 1900

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

HENNESSEY CEMETERY

The Memorial is *currently* located at:

Street/Road address or site location

INTERSECT HWY 81 & 51 - GO W .4MI TO CEMETER GPS Coordinates 36.12420 NORTH 97.90860 WEST

City/Village &/or Township HENNESSEY

County KINGFISHER COUNTY State OKLAHOMA Zip Code 73742

The front of the Memorial faces: North South East West

Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner

Name _____

Dept./Div. _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Contact Person _____ Telephone () _____ ext _____

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

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.) _____

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

If known, name specific material (color of granite, marble, etc.) _____

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

6.4 FEET Height 2 FEET Width 2 FEET 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

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

CONCRETE BASE (NO FOUNDATION) IS 17.5 INCHES IN HEIGHT - IT IS 2 FT W X 2 FT D. BASE HAS ROUGHENED PATTERN AND GEOMETRIC BORDER.
CONCRETE OBELISK 60 INCHES IN HEIGHT AND LOWEST PART OF BASE WIDTH IS 9 3/4 INCHES AND TAPPERS UP AT HIGHEST IS 5.5 INCHES WITH POINTED CAP. -- THERE IS NO ENGRAVING OR INSCRIPTION.
THERE IS A FLAGPOLE 10 FEET SOUTH OF THE MONUMENT.

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*]

Inspector Identification _____ Date of On-site Survey 8/24/2025
Your Name SANDRA (SANDY) COLE FLORES
Address 12201 SE 64TH STREET
City OKLAHOMA CITY State OKLAHOM Zip Code 73150
Telephone (405) 863-7226 E-Mail floresbrldy@aol.com

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

- DUVCW Sallie Peacheater Tent #18 OKla -- NWRC NIL in Okla. -- LGAR MAL in Oklahoma

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 (314) 630-8407

Thank you for your help, and attention to detail.

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

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ADDENDUM – MONUMENT’S CONDITION

Completion of this form is required when requesting grant money using form CWM-62 SUVCW Memorial Grant Application Form and Instructions.

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.

Table with 3 columns: Question, Sculpture, Base. Rows include: If hollow, is the internal support unstable/exposed?; Any evidence of structural instability?; Any broken or missing parts?; Any cracks, splits, breaks or holes?.

Surface Appearance (check as many as may apply)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Sculpture, Base. Rows include: 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...

Does water collect in recessed areas of the Memorial? Yes No [checked] Unable to tell

Surface Coating

Does there appear to be a coating? Yes [checked] No Unable to determine

If known, identify type of coating.

[] 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 [checked] In urgent need of treatment [] Unable to determine

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

obelisk is not sealed & secured, and will rock with wind, weather, human touch. Also has a horizontal structural crack on the entire south face of obelisk closer to top. Also the SW facing bottom corner of obelisk is missing.

Inspector’s Name Sandra Cole Flores

Date 8/24/2025

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ADDENDUM – NARRATIVE

[Generally used to record the text of monuments, but may be used for any other useful information, such as if the monument has been moved or if you have information about the day of dedication. May repeat use of page as often as necessary.]

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TEXT

Inspector's Name Sandra Cole Flores Date 8/24/2025

To the ladies of Hennessey and the surrounding country: The Ladies of the G. A. R. kindly ask that you send flowers to the G. A. R. hall, early on Wednesday morning, May 30th, for decorating the monument to the "Unknown Dead" and the graves of veterans sleeping in the Hennessey cemetery.

PRISCILLA FINLEY, Committee.

Clipped By:
floresbrldy
Aug 24, 2025





W. H. HENSLEY
1861-1925
J. A. HENSLEY
1868-1925

HENSLEY CEMETERY

