

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:

ERECTED BY TRUSTEES - FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Original Dedication Date MAY 29, 1989 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

GLENWOOD CEMETERY (COLLINSVILLE CEMETERY)

The Memorial is *currently* located at:

Street/Road address or site location **GLENWOOD STREET -- 108 WEST CHURCH STREET**

GPS Coordinates 38.667324 , -89.985061

City/Village &/or Township COLLINSVILLE

County MADISON State ILLINOIS Zip Code 62234

The front of the Memorial faces: ☐ North ☐ South ☐ East ☐ West

Government Body, Agency, or Individual Owner

Name _____

Dept./Div. _____

Street Address _____

City _____ State ILLINOIS 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.) ALUMINUM PLAQUE ON RED BRICKED PEDISTAL WITH CONCRETE

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: ALUMINUM CAST

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

47 INCHES Height 27 INCHES Width _____ 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.

CAST ALUMINUM PLAQUE 25 X 24 INCHES -- INSCRIBED GLENWOOD CEMETERY --
AND DECIDED ON THE LOCATION OF THE FIRST GRAVE, FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS, IT WAS THE ONLY CEMETERY IN COLLINSVILLE, HENCE, PEOPLE OF ALL RELIGIONS, NATIONALITIES, AND RACES ARE BURIED HERE. IN 1849 THERE WERE FORT DEATHS OF CHOLERA IN FORTY-TWO DAYS. ONE WAS A STAGE DRIVER WHO DIED INROUTE. ANOTHER EPIDEMIS IN 1918, THIS TIME FLU, FILLED MANY ADDITIONAL GRAVES, AMOND THOSE WERE MRS FRED BEIDLER WHO HAD TRAVELLED TO WASHINGTON TO PLEAD WITH ABRAHAM LINCOLN FOR THE RELEASE OF HER ILLHUSBAND FROM DUTY IN THE CIVIL WAR.
 GLENWOOD IS THE RESTING PLACE OF MANY VETERANS. THE FIRSST WAS A REVOLUTIONARY WAR SOLDIER, WILLIAM B COLLINS, ALSO, THERE ARE NINETY CIVIL WAR VETERANS INCLUDING SEVEN BLACK SOLDIERS, ONE CONFEDERATE, AND ONE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR WINNER, 1ST LT N.S. MCKEEN, 21ST VOL. ILLINOIS INFANTRY. IN ADDITION, THERE ARE VETERANS OF THE MEXICAN WAR, THREE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR, THREE BLACK HAWK VETERANS, PLUS MANY FROM WWI AND II. AMOND THE NOTABLES BURIED HERE WAS ARTHUR FLETCHER, COACH OF THE NEW YORK YANKEES. THIS IS GLENWOOD CEMETERY, ORIGINAL BURIAL GROUND OF THE COLLINSVILLE COMMUNITY. ONCE THEY LIVED, BUT NOW AS THE POET HAS SAID: "EACH IN HIS NARROW CELL FOR EVER LAID , THE RUDE FOREFATHERS OF THE HAMLET SLEEP" HERE WHERE THEY SLEEP, IT IS HALLOWED GROUND -- ERECTED BY TRUSTEES - FIRST UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MAY 29, 1989

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 7/20/2026Your Name SANDRA COLE FLORES

Address _____

City OKLAHOMA CITYState OKLAZip Code 73150Telephone () _____ E-Mail FLORESBRDLDY@AOL.COM

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

DUVCW TENT #18 SALLIE PEACHEATER - OKC --- WRC - MAL LGAR MAL

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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.

	Sculpture	Base
If hollow, is the internal support unstable/exposed? (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	_____	_____
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 ☒ Unable to tell

Surface Coating

Does there appear to be a coating? ____ Yes ____ 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 ____ In urgent need of treatment ____ Unable to determine

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

Inspector's Name SANDRA COLE FLORES

Date 7/20/2026

GLENWOOD CEMETERY

THIS CEMETERY WAS THE ORIGINAL BURIAL PLACE FOR THE FIRST SETTLEMENT OF THE COLLINGSVILLE COMMUNITY. IT WAS LOCATED BY THE FIRST SETTLER, WILLIAM COLLINS, SINCE THERE WERE NO CITY RECORDS THEN, IT WAS GIVEN TO THE NAME OF THE BROTHER OF THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. THE FIRST WEDDING SERVICE OF THAT CHURCH WAS HELD IN A FRAME HOUSE LOCATED IN 1831. THE FIRST BURIAL IN 1831 WAS ARRANGED ON THE FARM OF PETER JOHNSON HANLEY, MICHAEL, THOMAS, JR. COLLINS AND MR. JOHNSON WALKED OUT ON THIS ROAD AND STAYED IN THE LOCATION OF THE FIRST GRAVE. FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS, IT WAS THE ONLY CEMETERY IN COLLINGSVILLE. HERE, PEOPLE OF ALL RELIGIONS, NATIONALITIES, AND RACES ARE BURIED HERE. IN 1890 THERE WERE FORTY DEATHS, IN 1891 THERE WERE FORTY-THREE DEATHS, ONE WAS A STAGE DRIVER WHO DIED EARLY, ANOTHER EPISCOPAL IN 1890, THIS WAS THE FIRST, FELL'S MANY ADDITIONAL DEATHS. AMONG THESE WERE WHO FRED BUCKNER WHO HAD TRAVELED TO WASHINGTON TO PLEAD WITH ABRAHAM LINCOLN FOR THE RELEASE OF HIS HIS HUSBAND FROM DUTY IN THE CIVIL WAR.

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MAY 29, 1888

CITY OF COLLINGSVILLE
TOWN OF COLLINGSVILLE
HISTORIC LANDMARK









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