



United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES
REGISTRATION FORM

This form is for use in nominating or requesting determinations for individual properties and districts. See instructions in How to Complete the National Register of Historic Places Registration Form (National Register Bulletin 16A). Complete each item by marking "x" in the appropriate box or by entering the information requested. If any item does not apply to the property being documented, enter "N/A" for "not applicable." For functions, architectural classification, materials, and areas of significance, enter only categories and subcategories from the instructions. Place additional entries and narrative items on continuation sheets (NPS Form 10-900a). Use a typewriter, word processor, or computer, to complete all items.

1. Name of Property

historic name Confederate Memorial Gateway

other names/site number FU-H-65

2. Location

street & number Hickman City Cemetery Gate not for publication NA
city or town Union City Highway - (Hwy.-125) Hickman vicinity NA
state Kentucky code KY county Fulton code 038
zip code 42050

3. State/Federal Agency Certification

As the designated authority under the National Historic Preservation Act of 1986, as amended, I hereby certify that this X nomination request for determination of eligibility meets the documentation standards for registering properties in the National Register of Historic Places and meets the procedural and professional requirements set forth in 36 CFR Part 60. In my opinion, the property X meets does not meet the National Register Criteria. I recommend that this property be considered significant nationally statewide X locally. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

David L. Morgan
Signature of certifying official

4-23-97
Date

David L. Morgan, SHPO
Kentucky Heritage Council, State Historic Preservation Office
State or Federal agency and bureau

In my opinion, the property meets does not meet the National Register criteria. (See continuation sheet for additional comments.)

Signature of commenting or other official Date

State or Federal agency and bureau

4. National Park Service Certification

I, hereby certify that this property is:

- entered in the National Register ___ See continuation sheet.
- determined eligible for the National Register ___ See continuation sheet.
- determined not eligible for the National Register
- removed from the National Register other (explain): _____

Edson H. Beall 7/17/97

 Signature of Keeper Date of Action

5. Classification

Ownership of Property (Check as many boxes as apply)

- private
- public-local
- public-State
- public-Federal

Category of Property (Check only one box)

- building(s)
- district
- site
- structure
- object

Number of Resources within Property

Contributing	Noncontributing
_____	_____ buildings
_____	_____ sites
_____	_____ structures
<u> 1 </u>	_____ objects
<u> 1 </u>	_____ Total

Number of contributing resources previously listed in the National Register 0

Name of related multiple property listing (Enter "N/A" if property is not part of a multiple property listing.)

 Civil War Monuments in Kentucky, 1861-1935

6. Function or Use

Historic Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: Other: Civil War Monument Sub: _____

Current Functions (Enter categories from instructions)

Cat: Other: Civil War Monument Sub: _____

7. Description

Architectural Classification (Enter categories from instructions)

_____ NA _____

Materials (Enter categories from instructions)

foundation _____ Granite _____

roof _____ NA _____

walls _____ Na _____

other _____ Stone/Granite _____

Narrative Description (Describe the historic and current condition of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)

(See attached)

8. Statement of Significance

Applicable National Register Criteria (Mark "x" in one or more boxes for the criteria qualifying the property for National Register listing)

A Property is associated with events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of our history.

_____ B Property is associated with the lives of persons significant in our past.

_____ C Property embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, period, or method of construction or represents the work of a master, or possesses high artistic values, or represents a significant and distinguishable entity whose components lack individual distinction.

_____ D Property has yielded, or is likely to yield information important in prehistory or history.

Criteria Considerations (Mark "X" in all the boxes that apply.)

_____ A owned by a religious institution or used for religious purposes.

_____ B removed from its original location.

_____ C a birthplace or a grave.

_____ D a cemetery.

_____ E a reconstructed building, object, or structure.

F a commemorative property.

_____ G less than 50 years of age or achieved significance within the past 50 years.

Areas of Significance (Enter categories from instructions)

_____ Social History _____

Period of Significance _____ 1913 - 1935 _____

Significant Dates _ 1913 _

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Significant Person (Complete if Criterion B is marked above)

_____ NA _____

Cultural Affiliation _____ NA _____

Architect/Builder designed by Sir Moses Ezekiel -constructed by McNeal Marble Co., Marietta, GA__

Narrative Statement of Significance (Explain the significance of the property on one or more continuation sheets.)
(SEE ATTACHED)

9. Major Bibliographical References

(Cite the books, articles, and other sources used in preparing this form on one or more continuation sheets.)

Previous documentation on file (NPS)

- preliminary determination of individual listing (36 CFR 67) has been requested.
- previously listed in the National Register
- previously determined eligible by the National Register
- designated a National Historic Landmark
- recorded by Historic American Buildings Survey # _____
- recorded by Historic American Engineering Record # _____

Primary Location of Additional Data

- State Historic Preservation Office
- Other State agency
- Federal agency
- Local government
- University
- Other

Name of repository: _____

10. Geographical Data

Acreage of Property Less than one acre

UTM References (Place additional UTM references on a continuation sheet)

	Zone Easting	Northing	Zone Easting	Northing	
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2	_____	_____	4	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> See continuation sheet.					

Verbal Boundary Description (Describe the boundaries of the property on a continuation sheet.)
(See attached)

Boundary Justification (Explain why the boundaries were selected on a continuation sheet.)

11. Form Prepared By

name/title ___ Joseph E. Brent, Historic Sites Data Coordinator _____

organization ___ Kentucky Heritage Council _____ date _____

street & number ___ 300 Washington Street _____ telephone ___ (502) 564-7005

city or town ___ Frankfort _____ state ___ KY ___ zip code ___ 40601 _____

Additional Documentation

Submit the following items with the completed form:

Continuation Sheets

Maps

- A USGS map (7.5 or 15 minute series) indicating the property's location.
- A sketch map for historic districts and properties having large acreage or numerous resources.

Photographs

Representative black and white photographs of the property.

Additional items (Check with the SHPO or FPO for any additional items)

Property Owner

(Complete this item at the request of the SHPO or FPO.)

name ___ County Judge Executive (James M. Everett) _____

County Office Building

street & number ___ 204 Bypass _____ telephone _____

city or town ___ Hickman _____ state ___ KY ___ zip code ___ 42050 _____

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Description: The Confederate Memorial Gateway is an Egyptian revival pylon-form cemetery gate of granite. Built in 1913; the gateway cost \$10,000. It was designed by Sir Moses Ezekiel and constructed by the McNeal Marble Co. of Marietta, Georgia. The gate has a central drive-thru by flanked by smaller entrance bays. The main (north) facade is ornamented by granite while the rear (south) facade is smooth granite. The central drive-thru by has scrolled corner brackets and is flanked by pilasters with stylized capitals and bases. The post and lintel construction of the central bay has a capstone and finials. The lintel is inscribed: "Erected by Private Robert Tyler Chapter U.D.C." The capstone is inscribed: "1861 Our Heroes 1865." Flanking the central bay are two smaller entrance bays with slanted end walls, bracketed hoods and cast iron gates. Above the hoods are pedimented inscribed tablets with the names of 70 Confederate soldiers.

Statement of Significance: The Confederate Memorial Gateway meets National Register criterion A and is significant within the context "Civil War Monuments in Kentucky, 1861-1935." The monument was erected in 1913 by the Private Robert Tyler Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. A project that cost some \$10,000 and took ten years to complete. It is an excellent example of the property type "functional monument." This memorial gateway is one of two in the state. Both were erected by the UDC, and both are in the Purchase Region of Kentucky. This monument was constructed late (1913), and though it is at a cemetery its size and appearance make it a monument of celebration to the Lost Cause and the Confederacy rather than a memorial to the dead. It is much too grand to be a mourning piece.

Verbal Boundary Description -The Confederate Memorial Gateway whose boundaries form a circle with a radius of 25 feet centered on the monument located at the Hickman City Cemetery.

Verbal Boundary Justification - The area associated with the monument is restricted to the ground on which the monument sits and a small buffer around it. The setting outside such a restricted area is not seen as critically important to maintaining an integrity of association. Because the focus of the multiple property submissions is the significance of the monuments, their proposed area of listing will reflect that they have been considered by-and-large, in isolation from their surrounds.

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