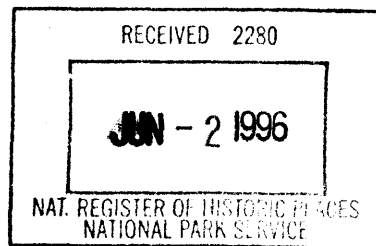


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United States Department of the Interior
National Park Service

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 Monument _____

other names/site number _____ WD-V-51 _____

2. Location

street & number _____ City Cemetery _____ not for publication NA
city or town Versailles _____ vicinity NA
state Kentucky _____ code KY county Woodford _____ code 120
zip code 40383

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

4-23-97
Date

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 W. 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 _____ Concrete/Limestone _____

roof _____ NA _____

walls _____ NA _____

other _____ Marble _____

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 _____ ca 1877 - 1935 _____

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Significant Dates ca. 1877 _____

Significant Person (Complete if Criterion B is marked above)
NA _____

Cultural Affiliation NA _____

Architect/Builder unknown _____

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

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9. Major Bibliographical References

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(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: _____

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10. Geographical Data

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Acreage of Property Less than one acre

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

Zone Easting Northing	Zone Easting Northing	
1 16 699280 4213500	3 _____	Quad. - <u>Versailles</u>
2 _____	4 _____	
____ 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 ___ Mayor - City of Versailles (Charles Reed) _____

street & number ___ P. O. Box 625 _____ telephone ___ (606) 873-4581 _____

city or town ___ Versailles _____ state ___ KY ___ zip code ___ 40383 _____

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Estimated Burden Statement: Public reporting burden for this form is estimated to average 18.1 hours per response including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Direct comments regarding this burden estimate or any aspect of this form to the Chief, Administrative Services Division, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013-7127; and the Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reductions Project (1024-0018), Washington, DC 20503.

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Description: The Confederate Monument in the Versailles Cemetery is a nine sided marble object that sits atop a limestone and concrete base. It was constructed in ca. 1877. The base and the object/monument are both nine sided. The monument is approximately ten feet tall and is composed of roughly three sections: the base, the pedestal and the top. The base is a plain limestone/concrete nine-sided piece approximately four feet high, slightly wider than the pedestal of the monument. The pedestal of the monument is also a nine-sided piece that mirrors the base. This portion of the monument is white marble and is inscribed with the names of the men who are buried in a circle around the monument. Also on the face of the pedestal are the initials C.S.A. The top of the monument is also nine sided white marble. It is scalloped at the very top with a single star near the top of each scallop, except on the face. On the face of the top is a stylized Confederate battle flag and the word Our Dead, that curve along the scollop. Two cannons protrude from either side of the scollop on each side of the words Our Dead.

Statement of Significance: The Confederate Monument meets National Register Criterion A and is significant within the context of "Civil War Monuments in Kentucky, 1861-1935." This monument was erected ca. 1877 to honor the Confederate dead buried in the Versailles City Cemetery. This is a good example of a monument erected in the early stages of monument construction. It is a memorial and was placed in the cemetery to mourn the dead and the Lost Cause, not to celebrate them. It is also a good example of the property type "other" the shape of this monument is unlike any other found within the Commonwealth.

Verbal Boundary Description - The Confederate Monument whose boundaries form a circle with a radius of 30 feet centered on the monument encompassing the graves encircling it located in the Versailles 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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