



WORLD WAR I MONUMENT PRESERVATION GRANT APPLICATION

Please note: These grants are intended to provide monetary assistance to preserve/conservate World War I monuments/memorials in the state of Illinois. Eligible beneficiaries of Landmarks Illinois World War I Monument Preservation Grants are World War I monuments/memorials in Illinois that are in need of conservation, repair, stabilization or other restoration treatment.

A. APPLICANT INFORMATION

1. Name of Organization: _____

Address: _____

Website and Facebook Page: _____

2. Year Founded: _____ Number of Members/Population Served: _____

3. Organization Contact

Name: _____

Phone(s): _____

Email: _____

4. Organizational Status

Public

Not-for Profit

Not-for-Profits – Please attach copies of the organization's IRS Letter of Determination of Tax-Exempt Status, Bylaws, and a list of current officers.

B. PROJECT INFORMATION

1. Name of Monument: _____

2. Address/Location: _____

3. Owner/Legal Steward: _____

4. Owner Contact information: _____

5. Description

Please give a brief physical description of the Eligible Monument including any defining features, and the overall condition, and integrity of these features. Please include any association to U.S. World War I historic contexts, noted sculptors, landscape architects or related artisans.

6. Financial Plans

Amount Needed to Complete the Proposed Work: \$_____

Amount Raised: \$_____

Amount Requesting from Landmarks Illinois: \$_____

Please attach cost estimates and other sources of funding for the proposed project.

C. LANDMARKS ILLINOIS WORLD WAR I MONUMENT PRESERVATION GRANT CRITERIA *The following are the criteria used for evaluating applications for World War I Monument Preservation Grants:*

1. Architectural, historical, or cultural significance of the monument to the state, region, or community

Please indicate if the monument holds landmark status, either as an individual listing in the National Register of Historic Places, as part of a National Register District, and/or as a local landmark.

2. Condition

Please indicate the current physical condition of the subject monument. Describe the immediacy of the repair needs.

3. Proposed Plan of Action

Please provide a breakdown of the plan of action for the project including prioritization or phasing if necessary. Also, provide technical information or drawings regarding the repairs, architect's or engineer's evaluations, contractor's bids, etc.

4. Long-Term Plans

Please describe your organization's long-term plans for the monument. If your organization does not own the monument, what is your relationship with the owners? Is your organization's relationship with the owner and the local authorities conducive to future collaboration and protection of the site?

5. Has your Organization thoroughly investigated other sources of funding?

What other funding sources has your organization investigated? What fundraising plans do you have to help cover the total project costs?