

Memoriam Monument

The *Memoriam Monument* was created in early 2005 and consisted of two grey granite panels, one located on each side the State of Wisconsin Monument, it lists the names of veterans from Iowa and Scandinavia after their passing, names include veterans dating back to the Civil War. Since then four additional grey granite monuments have been added over the years to the *Memoriam Monument* with additional names being added each year.

The third and fourth granite panels were added in early 2014 to make room for additional names. These two panels are smaller than the other four.

In 2017, Sheveland-Taylor Post 14 added the latest two granite panels due to a large number of new names after further research, where over 500 additional names that the Legion was unaware of were found and added.

The *Memorial Monument* has a total of 1,279 names of deceased veterans. The last two new Memoriam Monuments were dedicated on Memorial Day in 2017 along with the five new flag poles that were added for displaying the five service flags of the United States Army, Marine Corps, Navy, Air Force and Coast Guard.

In 2020 new sidewalks were added, one encircles the back of the Memoriam Monument and the Legion will now add names on the backs of the six panels of the monument. Lighting has also been added to illuminate the area.