



DEPARTMENT OF NEW YORK
SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

DEPARTMENT ORDER #2026-7 #5

Honoring the memory of the Grand Army of the Republic
and the Men from New York who saved the Union 1861-1865.

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APPOINTMENT OF LAST BURIED SOLDIER/SAILOR COMMITTEE

The brothers of the 143rd NY Department Encampment voted to form the Last Buried Soldier/Sailor Committee for a term of three years as a Special Committee. The Committee Chairman may request an extension of three years at the 146th Department Encampment to continue if their work is not completed.

I hereby appoint Brother George McGraw as the NY Department Last Buried Soldier/Sailor Committee Chairman.

Committee members are as follows:

Brian Castler PDC

Dennis Duffy, Department GRO Officer

Anton Schwarzmuller, DSVC

Parker Maybee

The Committee will add verified Civil War veterans to the SUVCW Graves Database as they confirm each county's cemeteries to identify the Last Buried Civil War Soldier or Sailor. Where there are Camps in that county, the Committee will have the Camp assist them in their work. Once the last veteran is identified, The

Department and Camps in the County will be notified so a ceremony can be conducted.

This work and verification of the last buried Soldier and Sailor will keep the integrity and reputation of our Order intact. Always remember the Boys in Blue!

Yours in Fraternity, Charity, & Loyalty

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Jeffrey I. French, PDC (NY & CH), PCC
NY Department Commander.

ATTESTED BY:

Robert Pugsley
NY Department Secretary