



Dear Park Supporters and Friends,

I am writing to inform you that **Night at the Helm, scheduled for Wednesday, June 10, at the World War I Museum and Memorial, has been canceled.**

Although we know that aligning with local and federal guidelines concerning social distancing and large gatherings is the appropriate course of action at this time, we do not make this cancellation lightly. As a reminder, proceeds raised from Night at the Helm benefit the Valor Medals Review-an initiative which is historically significant, time-bound and needs investment.

Park University is authorized by congressional law to conduct a systematic review of minority servicemembers of World War I who may have been denied the Medal of Honor due to discrimination, and it is our intention to help ensure that every World War I hero whose deeds warrant the Medal of Honor shall receive it. Be assured: although the event is canceled, the initiative continues. We are passionate about the work you have chosen to support.

Our event chair, Mr. Jim Cornelius, executive vice president of UMB, and our honorary chair, Ms. Rosana Privitera Biondo, president of Mark One Electric Company, join me in thanking you for your Night at the Helm sponsorship and your generous investment in the work of the Valor Medals Review.

Your support of this effort remains vitally important.

Respectfully,

Greg R. Gunderson  
President

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