



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
**UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY**  
WEST POINT, NEW YORK, 10996

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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

*Bill, thank you for  
your efforts and  
leadership!*

SUBJECT: Ghostly Assemblage Project, Attn: Bill Taylor '70

1. It is my great honor to communicate approval for the Ghostly Assemblage, Hallowed History Project at the West Point Cemetery. In coordination with our legal, public affairs, and cemetery teams, we are excited for this project and are grateful for the efforts of your team to bring this to fruition.
2. In granting this approval, it is the understanding of the United States Military Academy (USMA) that Ghostly Assemblage, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit entity dedicated to supporting Veterans and inspiring Children by bringing the stories of heroes in our cemeteries to life. USMA further understands that Ghostly Assemblage will make this project available free of charge to all visitors to the West Point cemetery, to include members of the public, cadets, and staff and faculty. The Academy makes no representations regarding institutional support to the project, but will coordinate access for Ghostly Assemblage to complete and update the project, to include geolocating gravesites and creating needed imagery. USMA, through the Directorate of Academy Advancement, will remain in contact with Ghostly Assemblage, Inc., and request any needed corrections or changes to content, should any be identified.
3. As your vision states, this project will "Bring the West Point Cemetery to Life with state-of-the art technology." Thank you for your leadership of a project that will undoubtedly serve visitors to West Point and the Corps of Cadets alike for years to come.
4. As you move forward, please contact me if there is anything I can do to help facilitate this project. You can reach me at [thomas.oakley@westpoint.edu](mailto:thomas.oakley@westpoint.edu) or 845-938-3700.

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