Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 511209 **Description:** SEC CEN 12 51 **Date Set:** 5/17/1889 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 12 **Township:** 105N **Range:** 11W **Monument Description:** Note: Information regarding this center of section is provided for reference purposes only. A professional land surveyor should make the decision whether to use any existing survey monument or the computed intersection of quarter lines.

3-1/2"x10"x20" stone

Reference Ties:

The stone falls 1' east of fence north and 2' south of E-W fence
The monument is down 0.3'
This corner is located by GPS reference stations "Kjosa & Wava"

Corner History:

5-17-1889 Thomas Fraser, County Surveyor, (Book A, Page 432, Survey No. 419) set 3-1/2"x10"x20" stone at intersecting quarter lines. 1/16th East found and used post set by John Fraser in a previous survey.

10-28-1897 William Fraser, County Surveyor, (Book A, Page 613, Survey No. 557) found stone. 1/16th North set stake midway and on line at 19.77-1/2 chains (1305.15') to North 1/4. 1/16th Center of NW1/4 set stake at intersecting sixteenth lines.

7-31-1998 County Survey Crew visited area of center. Found corner post to fences north, west, and east. Probed and found nothing.

9-16-1998 County Survey Crew dug and found 3-1/2"x10"x20" stone down 0.3' in good condition and measured its position using GPS. Set 1/2" pipes on east and west side of stone. Used stone to set the north and east quarter corners.

3-1-2013 County Survey Staff found computation error in the 1998 traverse which affected the computed locations of the north and east quarter corners.

5-7-2013 Joel Thoreson, County Surveyor, recommends using the monumented center of section based on historical use of this position.