Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 511509 **Description:** SEC CEN 15 51 **Date Set:** 4/23/1878 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 15 **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"x4"x26" stone

Reference Ties:

The corner falls 2-1/2' south of fence east and 4-1/2' west of north-south fence
The monument is down 3.8'
Concrete nail in CP NE 5.13'
Concrete nail in brace post SE 10.55'
Sign on CP 5' NE
This corner is located by GPS reference stations "Urban C & D"

Corner History:

4-23-1878 Thomas Hunter, County Surveyor, (Book A, Page 339, Survey No. 333) set 3"x4"x26" stone at intersecting quarter lines. 1/16th North set 2"x3"/10"x24" stone midway and on line at 19.87-1/2 chains (1311.75') to North 1/4. 1/16th South set 2"x8"x22" stone midway and on line at 20.00 chains (1320.00') to South 1/4. 1/16th East set temporary stake midway and on line at 20.04 chains (1322.64') to East 1/4. 1/16th Center of SE 1/4 set 4"x5"x27" stone at intersecting sixteenth lines.

8-24-1989 County Surveyor dug and found 3"x4"x26" stone down 3.8' in good condition. Set 3/4" rod on east side. Nailed sign on Post NE. RPs - Concrete nail in corner post NE 5.13', Concrete Nail in brace post SE 10.55'. 1/16th South found 2"x8"x22" stone down 0.6' on east side of old corner post. Set 3/8" rod on east side.

10-23-2002 County Survey Crew did not look for stone but set 60d spike at surface from reference ties and measured its position using GPS.

2-1-2012 M. James Associates found and used 60d spike.

10-7-2015 Joel Thoreson, County Surveyor, recommends using the computed intersection of quarter lines for the center of section. Based on the county's section breakdown, the 60d spike over stone, as located by GPS in 2002, falls 0.96' north and 1.34' west of the computed center.