Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 531505 **Description:** SEC COR 15 16 21 22 53 **Date Set:** 5/22/1972 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 15 **Township:** 105N **Range:** 13W **Monument Description:**

Reference Ties:

This corner is located by GPS reference stations "Earl A & B"

Corner History:

1854 Gov't Notes M.G. Karrick, Deputy Surveyor North between sections 21 and 22. 80.00 chs. Set section corner post. Hickory 8 in. S45°W 27 lks. Elm 8 in. N64°E 20 lks. Linden 12 in. N45°E 20 lks. Elm 9 in. S79°E 34 lks.

6-1886 Thomas Hunter (P.410 No.399), County Surveyor states corner comes on side of steep bluff slope. Stump of S.W. bearing tree left. Set temporary point. Impossible without special tools to set corner.

4-1895 William Fraser (p.565 No. 518), County Surveyor, relocated corner as on P.410.

4-6-1972 County Surveyor found engraved stone at 9-10-15-16. Used as 00 for line and meas South. Found 1/16 stone at 1316.95 with cross believed to be true corner set by Hunter as it was vertical and under fence. Stone was 22.55 West of random line 1316.95 (R 1316.7). Found woodlot stone with cross at 1990.7 (R 1988.8). This stone 43.64 West of random (should have been 34.04). Con't line South but offset 1.0' E to meas tree. Set nail at 2634 (R 2633.4). Con't line South with 2634 as 00 offset 60' E at sta 750.0. Con't line to edge of bank of overflow area. 2547.82.

5-22-1972 County Surveyor reset this corner from the south. Found an old post stub at the 1/16 south and also a stake at 1/4 Cor. 21-22. Doubled line and distance over top of bluff by electronic traverse comp. Set a 3/4"x4' iron rod as corner. RPs-4.52' N. to railroad spike on E. side 18" soft wood tree, 6.2' East to a drag tooth on S.E. side 12" mossy soft wood tree.

6-9-1992 Halverson Land Surveying found iron rod by fence post and used it in survey of NE 1/4 section 21.

12-12-2002 County Surveyor found 3/4" x 3' iron rod laying flat along steep slope of rock wall w/steel post alongside it. Did not find railroad spike in tree or drag tooth mark both tree's destroyed and did not find iron rod on south edge of river either.

1-2003 Olmsted County survey staff computed a coordinate of the corner based on the former location of the 3/4" rod. Used old traverse notes and survey monuments found in Halverson Land Surveying certificate number 5321-2852 to compute the location. The Olmsted County HARN 96 coordinate is North=121442.8663 and East=641924.1134.

8-8-2011 Olmsted County survey crew visited the area of the corner. No monument was set due to the steep, rocky terrain.