Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 621706 **Description:** 1/4 SEC COR 17 18 62 **Date Set:** 8/5/1981 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 17 **Township:** 106N **Range:** 12W **Monument Description:** Cast Iron Cap on telspar pipe

Reference Ties:

The corner falls 3' north of E-W fence and 21' east of fence south
County Survey Disk in 18" Burr Oak NNW 15.07'
County Survey Disk in Burr Oak ENE 67.20'
Post w/sign 3' south
This corner is located by GPS measurement

Corner History:

9-1853 Gov't Notes. William A. Jones, Deputy Surveyor. North between sections 17 and 18. 40.00 chs. Set post at quarter section corner. Burr Oak 7 in. N891/2°E 48 lks. Burr Oak 7 in. N87°W 45 lks. 44.70 stream 12 lks wide runs S.W.

5-17-1883 Thomas Hunter (Old Fieldbook 14, Page 3) "1/4 post missing and witness trees gone." Measured 79.86 chs. From S.E. Cor. 18 to the board fence running West at the N.E. Cor. 18. The N.E. Sec. Cor. Was missing, "they having plowed & scraped the road and totally destroyed all evidence of it."

6-1893 William Fraser, Deputy County Surveyor, (Book A, Page 512, No. 480) "Could find nothing at this corner and no evidence to locate it, so located corner on line and one half (39.83 1/2 chs.) of A-G (N.E. Cor. 18 to S.E. Cor. 18) which short 33 links. Planted limestone as corner with stake by its side properly marked". He also set the 1/16 South, a limestone, midway (19.91&3/4 chs.) and on line to the S.E. Cor. 18. He set the Center 18, a stone with stake by its side, at intersecting 1/4 lines; and the 1/16 West of the Center 18, a stake, on line and according to Gov't measure: and the 164 West of said 1/16 midway and on line to the W. 1/4 Cor. 18

10-1930 John Kerr, County Surveyor, (Kerr Book 4, Pages 11-18) measured North from the S.E. Cor. 18 and "Found E. 1/4 Cor. At 2629.5." He used this corner to set the Center 18, a 3" x 10" x 22" stone, at intersecting 1/4 lines. He also set the 1/64 East of the W. 1/4 Cor. 18 on the E-W 1/4 line.

5-1971 County Surveyor found a 5" x 10" topped limestone approximately 24" long with top flush with ground surface. Set a steel fence post on the East side of the stone and a pointed 1" drive axle shaft 2' long on the West side. Also found stone at the 1/16 South, 1313.77 South of 1/4 Cor. 17-18. Doubled line and measure from 1/4 Cor. 17-18 over the 1/16 South and set an iron rod as Sec. Cor. 17-18-19-20. Measured North 2623.55' to Cast Iron Monument at the N.E. Cor. 18.

8-5-1981 County Surveyor dug out the stone found 5-1971 and found it to be a 6" x 10" x 20" limestone. Drove a telspar pipe with Cast Iron Cap at its location and set the stone on the West side. Measured South 2626.94' to the S.E. Cor. 18 and North 2623.3' to the S.E. Cor. 18. Put survey marker sign and post in E-W fence line 3' South of the monument. Corner in +21' East of fence south. RP's: Spike and CSD in 18" B.O. NNW 15.07' Spike and CSD in B.O. ENE 67.20'.

8-9-2010 County survey crew found cast iron cap up 0.2' in good condition.