Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 631605 **Description:** SEC COR 16 17 20 21 63 **Date Set:** 3/26/2003 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 16 **Township:** 106N **Range:** 13W **Monument Description:** 1" square pipe w/cap RLS #15809

Reference Ties:

The corner falls in centerline of E-W twp road and 9 1/2' east of centerline of most easterly box culvert
Cross drill hole in N end of center pipe headwall NW 44.97'
Cross drill hole in S end of center pipe headwall SW 45.30'
This corner is located by GPS measurement

Corner History:

10-1853 Gov't Notes: William A. Jones, Deputy Surveyor North between sections 20 and 21. 79.50 chs. Stream-runs N.W. 80.00 chs. Set a post at corner to sections 16, 17, 20, & 21. Burr Oak 14 in. N72 E 154 lks. Burr Oak 18 in. S55 E 157 lks. Red Oak 18 in. S89 1/4 W 732 lks.

5-1856 Thomas Hunter (Book A P.7 No. 11), County Surveyor, used this corner to set the 1/16th North. He also set the 1/16th North of 1/4 Cor. 16-17.

5-1874 T. Hunter (P. 243 No. 244 Book A) set a 2 1/2"x10"x22" stone at 1/4 Cor. 16-17 by doubling the line and measure of the 1/16th North set in survey No. 11. He set a stake at the 1/16th East of 1/4 Cor. 16017, a stone at the center 16, and a stone at the 1/16th East of the center 16.

4-1882 T. Hunter (P. 376 No. 367 Book A) reset Sec. Cor. 16-17-20-21 from the stumps of the N.E. and S.E. witness trees. He drove a long Burr Oak stake well down. He set a stake at the 1/16th North midway (19.93 1/2 chs.) and on line to a stone at 1/4 Cor. 16-17 which he set in Survey No. 244. He found a stone at the 1/16th corner which was on line but 5 lks. North of midway.

1924 John Kerr (Kerr Book 7 P. 14) found an oak stake driven deep. Set a stone on top of it and packed it with stone and broke bottles around it. He found a stone at 1321.7' North at the 1/16th corner. He doubled the line and measured from the section corner over this stone and set a 2 1/2" x 3' stone as 1/4 Cor. 16-17 which he had been unable to find.

1940 J. Kerr (Kerr Book 20 P. 41) found a stake at the 1/16th East of 1/4 Cor. 16-17, a stone at the center 16, and a stone at the 1/16th East of the 16. He doubled the line and measure from the center 16 over the 1/16th West and set a 3" x 12" x 39" limestone with a cross on top over a square iron tube as 1/4 Cor. 16-17 and took references.

1941 A. Armstrong (Armstrong Book 3 P. 53) found a 3/4" pipe over a stone at 1/4 Cor. 16-17 from Kerr's 1940 references. He also found a stone 1315.55 South of this quarter corner at the 1/16th South. He dug for Sec. Cor. 16-17-20-21 but did not find it so he set a 3/4" pipe as the corner at double the line and measure of the stone found at the 1/16th North.

7-1943 J. Kerr (Kerr Book 27 P. 30) found a 3/4" pipe in the center of a large depression at this corner.

9-1946 J. Kerr (Kerr Book 32 P. 4) found a pipe at the corner.

10-1947 J. Kerr (Kerr Book 36 P. 32) found the N.W. Cor. Of Sec. 21.

8-26-1963 John Kerr (certificate filed) set a C.I.M. over the pipe at this corner.

4-12-1978 County Surveyor set a C.I.M. to bring it up to the road surface. The 3/4" pipe set at this corner by A. Armstrong in 1941 (and perpetuated by Kerr) was probably incorrectly set N-S by doubling the stone he found at the 1/16th North which Hunter found to be 5 lks. North of midway in 1882 The corner set by Hunter from the bearing trees would have been 19.98 1/2 chs. South of the stone (1319.01). The E-W correctness of this corner depends on the E-W correctness of 1/4 Cor. 16-17 which Kerr reset by doubling the 1/16th East of it in 1940.

10-11-2002 County Surveyor tied out corner for 2002 bridge replacement.

3-26-2003 County Surveyor set 1" square pipe w/cap at surface from 2002 tie out.

7-28-2003 County Surveyor found 1" square pipe w/cap down 0.2' in good condition.

7-12-2005 County Surveyor found 1" square pipe w/cap down 0.2' in good condition.

9-8-2005 WHKS Survey Crew found monument in good condition with no tie changes.