Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 721204 **Description:** 1/4 SEC COR 12 13 72 **Date Set:** 10/27/81 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 12 **Township:** 107N **Range:** 12W **Monument Description:** Cast Iron Cap on telspar pipe

Reference Ties:

The corner falls on west side of RR tie CP to fences E-W-N
This corner is located by GPS reference stations "Jech A & B"

Corner History:

1853 Gov't Notes William A. Jones, Deputy Surveyor West on true line between Sections 12 and 13. 39.97 1/2 chs. Set a quarter section post in mound of earth and sod. Deposited charcoal, made trench and pits, and planted Osage Orange seed N and S of trench. 79.95 Chs. Section Corner.

6-12&13-1893 William Fraser, County Surveyor, (Book A, Page 516, No. 482) "Found stone beside fence post claimed to be where the Gov't corner stood." He used this corner to set the Center 13, an iron stake about 3 feet long, at intersecting 1/4 lines. He found a stone at the 1/16 South, said set by Hillman in an earlier day and used as found. He also used this corner to set a 1/16 West, a stake, midway (19.93 1/2 chs.) and on line; then he set the 1/64 corner West of that and a corner midway between the 1/64 and 1/4 Cor. 11-12-13-14.

6-11-1902 Robert Fraser, Deputy County Surveyor, (Book A, Page 709, No. 623 and Old book 10, Page 44) "Found stone about 1 1/2 rds. South of fence post and in line with fence running North. Left as found. Put stake on top." He used this corner to set the Center 12, a stake (a Mr. Richardson said he would set a stone), at intersecting 1/4 lines. He also set the 1/16 North of the Center 12, a stone, midway (19.91 1/4 chs.) and on line to the N. 1/4 Cor. 12.

7-23-1973 County Surveyor found a 4"x4"x14"± limestone down about 10" on West side of R. R. tie corner post. Set a 1 1/4"x 22" pipe on the South side of the stone.

10-27-1981 County Surveyor pulled out the pipe set by the stone in 1973. Dug down to the stone and set a telspar pipe with a Cast Iron Cap as the corner with the stone alongside. Traversed South to the Center 13 (found in 1973) and the S. 1/4 Cor. 13 (found in 1973) and found the corner as set to be on the line from the S. 1/4 Cor. 13 projected over the Center 13. We measured 2629.10' West to Sec. Cor. 11-12-13-14. We dug at the Center 12 and found a 2"x6"x17" limestone which is .17' South and 2.09' East of the intersection of the 1/4 line by electronic traverse computation when all 1/4 corners are set. We also dug at the 1/16 North of the Center 12 but did not find anything.

8-9-2007 County Surveyor found cast iron cap on telspar pipe up 0.4' in good condition.