Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 841605 **Description:** SEC COR 16 17 20 21 84 **Date Set:** 8/30/1977 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 16 **Township:** 108N **Range:** 14W **Monument Description:** Cast Iron Cap on telspar pipe

Reference Ties:

The corner falls 94' north of north bank of river
County Survey Disk in E side blazed 10" Box Elder NE 25.90'
County Survey Disk in N side blazed 17" Burr Oak N68°W 85.84'
County Survey Disk in NE side blazed 10" Cedar NW 47.95'
Post w/sign 2' SW
This corner is located by GPS reference stations "Wittlief B & C"

Corner History:

7-1854 Gov't Notes: M.G. Karrick, Deputy Surveyor North between sections 20-21. 80.00 chs. Set post for corner to sections 16-17-20-21. Box Elder 7 in. S46°W 25 lks. Bur Oak 14 in. N28°W 190 lks. Bur Oak 8 in. N64°E 120 lks. Dug trench.

7-1912 Charles Larson, a Surveyor, (P. 196B) did not find the corner but "set stake 8 ft. long marked XVI-XVII-XX-Xxi but did not prove E." The stake was set on line and double the measure from a stake hole found at Sec. Cor. 17-18-19-20 over the stone he found at 1/4 Cor. 17-20.

5-1913 Dave Williams (P. 212-221B), County Surveyor, states that the corner was gone and no one knew the exact location of the corner. He measured from 1/4 Cor. 16-17 1 1/2 miles South to Sec. Cor. 20-21-28-29 and set the corner North-South at 1/3 this distance. He measured from 1/4 Cor. 17-20 1 1/2 miles East to Sec. Cor. 15-16-21-22 and set the corner East-West at 1/3 this distance. He then set a stake as 1/4 Cor. 20-21 midway and on line from the corner as set to Sec. Cor. 20-21-28-29 and a stake as 1/4 Cor. 16-21 midway (and possibly on line) from the corner to Sec. Cor. 15-16-21-22. Took bearing trees: 12" Elm 16.1 N.E. and 20" Ash 5.6 N.W.

1916 The Power Dam surveyors (Sheet 3061) found a stake at the corner.

4-1960 John Kerr, County Surveyor, did not find the corner; however, he measured from 1/4 Cor. 16-17 South 1 1/2 miles to Sec. Cor. 20-21-28-29 and set 1/4 Cor. 20-21 at 1/3 this distance. He does not state how he set the 1/4 Cor. East-West but does say his corner is in line with the fence North on the North side of the road.

8-30-1977 County Surveyor set a Cast Iron Cap on a square pipe by double proportionate measure from 1/4 Cor. 17-20 to 1/4 Cor. 16-21 (as set this survey-see the certificate for this corner) and from 1/4 Cor. 16-17 to 1/4 Cor. 20-21 as set by John Kerr.
RPs-Spike & C.S.D. in East side blazed 10" Box Elder N.E. 25.90'. Center 20" Elm (dead) N.E. 18'. This tree possibly D. Williams original tree. North edge of river. Spike & C.S.D. in North side of 17" blazed Burr Oak N68°W 85.84' (near river). Spike & C.S.D. in N.E. side blazed 10" Cedar N.W. 47.95'.

6-25-2001 County Surveyor found cast iron cap on telspar pipe at surface in good condition. Set post w/sign SW 2'.

1-27-2003 Mn/DOT Survey Crew found monument in good condition.