Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 851706 **Description:** 1/4 SEC COR 17 18 85 **Date Set:** 10/20/81 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 17 **Township:** 108N **Range:** 15W **Monument Description:** Cast Iron Monument

Reference Ties:

The corner falls 22' east of centerline of N-S twp road and 3' south of fence east
County Survey Disk in N side CP ENE 26.24'
County Survey Disk in W side PP #35 SSE 55.46'
This corner is located by GPS measurement

Corner History:

1854 Gov't Notes: John Cushing, Deputy Surveyor; 40.0 chs. Set 1/4 section post from which a 5" jack oak bears N82 °E 52 links and 5" pin oak S76 °W 39 links.

6 & 121873 Thomas Hunter, County Surveyor, (Bk.A Pg.235 No.237 and Old Fieldbook 3 Pg.35-36 & 59-60) 1/4 post missing, found stump of NE witness tree and on tree rotted nearly to the ground, which corresponded to the bearing and distance for the other witness tree. Reset new stake properly marked by U.S. Field Notes from these stumps. Hunter used this corner to set 1/16 east.

2 & 3-1892 Thomas Fraser, County Surveyor,(Bk.A Pg.471 No.452 and Old Fieldbook 8 Pg.11) Found boulder stone and remains of SW bearing tree stump. Took new bearing tree, 10" burr oak N82 1/2°W 47 1/2 links. Used this corner to set Center 18. At center 17 found 2 bearing trees, but couldn't use them. Mike Kane showed where corner was set by Hunter. Took measurements.

7-1939 county highway department (county highway department Bk.100 Pg.3) shows boulder stone 2 1/2' below surface of road as corner and P.O.T. between NW cor. 7 and SW corn. 7. RPs-Spike in Oak E 35.0, spike in 15" oak SE 43.3.

NOTE: T. Hunter's measurements west from the N-S 1/4 line of section 17 in Survye No.237 show that 1/4 cor. 17-18 came well east of a straight line between the section corners and since the county highway department corner is P.O.T. it wouldn't be Hunter's corner to.

1969 County Surveyor found a spike in an oak stump east of the road (probably 1939 county highway department R.P.). Set a 120d spike 2' west of the spike in the stump to retain the R.P..

1971 County Surveyor found the 120d spike set 2' west of spike in oak (stump gone) in 1969. Set a nail 33' west.

9-15-1981 County Surveyor dug at 1/16 north, but didn't find anything.

10-6-1981 County Surveyor dug at 1/16 east and found remains of old stake on the south side of the stub of an old post 2' deep. Dug at center 17 and found a 4" diameter black hole 1 1/2' east of the corner post to fences n-s-e-w.

10-20-1981 County Surveyor dug at 1/4 corner 17-18, but area had been cut in road construction. Set CIM over 5/8" rerod as corner at T. Fraser's measure from corner 17-18-19-20. And at double the measure from the N-S 1/4 line of section 17 over the stake found at the 1/16 west on 10-6-1981.

3-23-2005 County Surveyor found CIM down 1' in good condition.