Certificate of Location of Government Corner

ID#: 853405 **Description:** S SEC COR 33 34 85 **Date Set:** 4/13/2004 **County:** Olmsted

Section: 34 **Township:** 108N **Range:** 15W **Monument Description:** Cast Iron Cap on telspar pipe

Reference Ties:

The corner falls 68' west of west edge of river
Post w/sign 2' east
This corner is located by GPS reference stations "Moon A & B"

Corner History:

8-1853 Gov't Notes, John Ball, Deputy Surveyor West between sections 3 and 34 78.50 chs. Creek 120 lks wide runs north 80.00 chs. Set post, corner to sections 3, 4, 33, 34 10" Willow N35°E 16 lks. 14" Elm N42°W 120 lks. 20" Elm S15°W 95 lks. 10" Ash S57°E 61 lks.

11-1856 Thomas Hunter (Pg. 18, No. 30) Chained north 19.80 chs. then 19.80 chs. to quarter corner.

8-1893 William Fraser, Deputy County Surveyor, (Pg. 18, No. 30) Added note to Hunters 1856 survey. Found stake at section corner claimed by Mr. Basset to be set inplace of original Gov't stake. Set stone 25"x18"x4" inplace of stake.

12-1897 William Fraser, County Surveyor (Pg. 614, No. 558) Chained east 39.72, chained north 19.90 set stone, then 19.90 to quarter corner.

12-1916 John Kerr, Deputy Surveyor (Bk. B, Pg. 264) Could not find corner, set stone 6"x6"x30" midway and on line between quarter corners 2616.5' and 2616.5'. Measured north 1321.5, found 6"x6"x14" stone, set by Fraser in 1897 then 1314.5' to quarter corner.

5-1931 John Kerr, County Surveyor (Bk. 6, Pg. 3) Measured from south quarter of section 34 to south quarter of section 33 5224.68', set corner midway and on line at 2612.34' (Note did not use corner set in 1916).

12-1935 County Highway Department (Bk. 78, Pg. 7) Used sixteenth corner (stone and stake) Center of road 14' north of said sixteenth corner north of section corner.

1948 County Highway Department (Bk. 155, Pg. 1) Used sixteenth corner (stone and stake) center of road now 32.9' north of section corner.

11-1970 County Surveyor found sixteenth stone north of section corner.

12-1-1970 County Surveyor dug for corner found 6"x6"x30" stone with cross on top set by Kerr in 1916 3.8' deep, also found binder reel shaft with stones around set in 1931 15" deep. Found two limestones 12" long lying flat 5' deep with stake hole running 18" deep.

12-2-1970 County Surveyor set 5' 2" angle bed rail up 4" over stake hole found 12-1. Believing this to be the stake and stone Fraser set in 1893.

Note: This limestone set by W. Fraser in 1897 in place of original gov't stake which he found. We proved corner location by line and measure from north and measure from east. We found this stone in river alluvial fill over 5' deep with a stake hole on w side of stone running down about 1 1/2' below top of stone. Placed iron post in stake hole as permanent corner.

4-13-2004 County Surveyor found angle bedrail up 0.5' in good condition. Removed angle bedrail and set 6' telspar pipe w/cast iron cap up 0.5'. Set post w/sign 2' east.