

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

For the Northeast Corner of Section 11, Township 141 North, Range 30 West of the 5th Principal Meridian, STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Cass.

On April 20, 1983, to mark this corner position, we set a 2.5 inch (outside diameter) by 24 inch long galvanized iron pipe topped with a 3 inch diameter brass tablet, 2 inches below road surface and stamped as shown in the sketch.

SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES

Top of Page is NORTH

(not to scale)

decl: 5° E

N 57° W, 130.70 feet to a nail on the side of the 26 inch diameter GLO Norway Pine, old scribing visible.

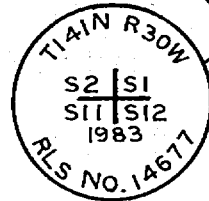
N 3° W, 58.15 feet to a nail and disc on the side of an 8 inch diameter White Oak, single blazed and scribed "BT".

N 28° E, 77.55 feet to a nail on the side of an 8 inch diameter White Oak, single blazed and scribed "T141N R30W S1 BT".

N 37° E, 59.62 feet to a nail on the side of an 11 inch diameter Red Oak, single blazed and scribed "BT".

NORTHERLY EDGE OF BITUMINOUS SURFACE

MN



0.5 feet

TH 200

S 9° W, 93.55 feet to a nail on the side of an 8 inch diameter White Oak, single blazed and scribed "T141N R30W S11 BT".

S 30° E, 94.35 feet to a nail and disc on the side of a 14 inch diameter White Oak, single blazed and scribed "BT".

All bearing trees are marked with red enamel, and a USFS 54-3 "BEARING TREE TAG".

Statement of evidence relative to this corner position is on the back.

I hereby certify that this survey, plan, or report was prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a duly Registered Land Surveyor under the laws of the State of Minnesota.

Kenneth L. Whitehorn

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Date FEB. 25 1986 Registration No. 14677

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OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER
County of Cass

I hereby certify that this document was filed in the office of the County Recorder this 14 day of March, 1986, at 2:10 P.M. and assigned DOCUMENT NUMBER 287749 MICROFILM

Claudine Kaylor
Claudine Kaylor, County Recorder

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STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE: Northeast Corner of Section 11, Township 141 North, Range 30 West of the 5th Principal Meridian.

The plat and field notes, filed in the Office of the Secretary of State, St. Paul, Minnesota, indicate the original township subdivision was done by P. H. Conger, Deputy Surveyor, under contract to the General Land Office (GLO), now the Bureau of Land Management (BLM). These notes, dated September, 1873, state that a wood post was set to mark this corner position which was witnessed by: A 10 inch diameter Yellow Pine that bears SOUTH 15 degrees WEST, a distance of 130 links (85.80 feet); A 6 inch diameter Red Oak that bears SOUTH 57 degrees EAST, a distance of 100 links (66.00 feet); A 10 inch diameter Yellow Pine that bears NORTH 62 degrees EAST, a distance of 75 links (49.50 feet) and an 18 inch diameter Yellow Pine that bears NORTH 57 degrees, 30 minutes WEST, a distance of 192 links (126.72 feet).

In 1917, Earl G. Harrington, U.S. Surveyor of the General Land Office, executed a dependent resurvey and subdivision of sections in this township under instructions in Group 2, Minnesota, issued September 11, 1917. He set a 2 inch diameter by 36 inch long iron post monument with a brass cap marked to identify the corner. This monument was set in the position of a recovered 4 inch by 4 inch by 24 inches above the ground decayed and scribed wooden stake with the following original witnesses: A 20 inch diameter Yellow Pine stump with blaze marks that bears NORTH 58 degrees EAST a distance of 75 links (49.50 feet); A 10 inch diameter Oak stump marked "S2BT" that bears SOUTH 57 degrees EAST a distance of 100 links (66.00 feet); A 14 inch Yellow Pine stump marked "BT" that bears SOUTH 16 degrees, 30 minutes WEST a distance of 130 links (85.80 feet) and a 20 inch decayed Yellow Pine stump marked "T141N R30W S2BT" that bears NORTH 54 degrees WEST a distance of 192 links (126.72 feet). The following new witnesses were taken: A 10 inch Red Oak that bears NORTH 25 degrees, 15 minutes EAST a distance of 235 links (155.10 feet); An 8 inch diameter Jack Pine that bears SOUTH 66 degrees, 15 minutes EAST a distance of 280 links (184.80 feet) and a 24 inch diameter Yellow Pine that bears NORTH 57 degrees WEST a distance of 198 links (130.68 feet).

On file in the Office of County Recorder, Cass County Courthouse, Walker, Minnesota is a Certificate of Location of Government Corner (no document number) by Butler Smith, Highway Engineer, dated November 1, 1921. Mr. Smith reports that he found an iron pipe monument with brass cap and established two reference trees blazed and scribed: A 24 inch diameter Norway Pine that bears NORTH 57 degrees, 45 minutes WEST, a distance of 131.2 feet and an 8 inch diameter Oak that bears SOUTH 30 degrees, 45 minutes EAST, a distance of 93.2 feet.

On file with the U.S. Forest Service, Chippewa National Forest is a Form 874-9 by H. M. Kinkley, Engineer, dated March 8, 1935. No monument was reported found but a scribed 12 inch diameter Jack Pine was observed to bear southeasterly a distance of one chain(66.0 feet). This does not fit any of the previous witnesses.

The plans and notes for Minnesota Trunk Highway Number 200 are on file in the Brainard Office of the Minnesota Department of Transportation. The 1938 notes call for a battered iron monument in place with the trees reported by B. Smith in 1921 as "OK". Notes from 1977 indicate that scribed bearing trees were observed Southeast and Northwest.

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On February 25, 1983 C. Krause, J. Allison, and G. Brama, U.S. Forest Service; and T. Freeman, Cass County Surveyor's Office, searched for this corner with a metal locator but could not find the 1917 GLO iron monument. The GLO bearing trees were recovered as follows: A 26 inch diameter Norway Pine with scribing visible that bears NORTH 57 degrees WEST a distance of 130.68 feet; an 18 inch diameter Jack Pine stump 4 inches high with scribe, that bears SOUTH 66 degrees EAST a distance of 184.80 feet and a well rotted Oak stump 4 inches high that bears NORTH 26 degrees EAST a distance of 155.10 feet. From the position established from these recovered GLO trees, the following existing witness were found: A 14 inch diameter White Oak that bears SOUTH 30 degrees EAST a distance of 94.35 feet, with a MN DoT nail and disc (this is probably the 1921 Oak by Smith); and an 8 inch diameter White Oak that bears NORTH 3 degrees WEST a distance of 58.15 feet, with a MN DoT nail and disc (MN DoT has no record of this tie tree referencing the corner position).

On April 20, 1983, M. Hayes, C. Krause, J. Allison, and G. Brama; U.S. Forest Service, and T. Freeman, Cass County Surveyor's Office, returned to the position determined by the recovered GLO trees and established the monument and witnesses as shown on the front of this form.