

Northeast corner, Section 19, Township 142 North,
Range 31 West, Cass County, Minnesota

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1873 P.H. Conger, U.S. Deputy Surveyor, originally established this corner position while subdividing Township 142 North, Range 31 West. The notes indicate a wood post was set to mark the corner position and the following witnesses: a 3 inch Poplar North 55 degrees East a distance of 7 links; a 3 inch Poplar North 43 degrees West a distance of 26 links; a 3 inch Poplar South 25 degrees West a distance of 5 links; and a 3 inch Poplar South 30 degrees East a distance of 10 links.

1915 County Surveyor's Record Book B pages 446-454 shows survey by John Curo. He found old government bearing tree stumps: the 3 inch Poplar North 55 degrees East a distance of 7 links; the 3 inch Poplar North 43 degrees West a distance of 26 links; the 3 inch Poplar South 25 degrees West a distance of 5 links; and the 3 inch Poplar South 30 degrees East a distance of 10 links. He set a 2 1/2 inch by 48 inch galvanized iron pipe with cap to mark the corner position and the following witnesses: a 10 inch Aspen stump South 47 degrees 58 minutes East a distance of 9.50 feet; and a 12 inch Aspen stump South 64 degrees 07 minutes West a distance of 13.30 feet.

1915 County resurvey in County Recorder's Office file cabinet E Number 60 shows survey by John Curo. He found the 2 1/4 inch by 48 inch iron monument inplace.

1919 County Surveyor's Record Book C page 471 shows survey by E.B. Horst. He found the capped iron monument inplace as set by Curo from original bearing trees. The notes do not indicate that any bearing trees were marked.

1921 County resurvey in County Recorder's Office file cabinet E Number 59 shows survey by E.B. Horst. He found the 2 inch by 48 inch iron monument inplace.

1938 Civilian Conservation Corps found a 2 inch iron pipe 12 inches above ground and placed a metal location poster on a 12 inch White Oak North 20 degrees East a distance of 38 links.

1969 United States Forest Service corner card shows the following: Technicians Witthoeft and Emery found a 2 inch iron pipe and location poster on 10 inch Oak North 20 degrees East a distance of 38 links.

1979 Gary Stevenson, Licensed Land Surveyor Number 12684 found a 2 inch capped pipe and set the following new ties: a 19 inch Red Oak North 15 degrees West a distance of 25.15 feet with location poster; a 9 inch Birch North 60 degrees East a distance of 5.30 feet; and a 10 inch Aspen North 30 degrees West a distance of 5.16 feet.

1990 on June 22, a Landecker and Associates, Inc., survey crew found a 2 inch capped iron pipe up 14 inches while traversing around Sections 17 and 20. All three 1979 bearing trees are tipped out. No other bearing trees were found. Distances and bearings to corners East and South compare will with those of the 1915 Curo survey in Section 20 and the North quarter corner of Section 19 compares will with that of the 1921 Horst survey in Section 18. Landecker & Associates, Inc., accepts the found capped iron pipe as a perpetuation of the original government corner as re-monumented by Curo in 1915.

1990 on October 1, a Landecker and Associates, Inc., survey crew stamped found capped monument. Bearing trees were marked as shown and steel sign posts set as noted on front of this certificate.