

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 13, Township 101 N., Range 40 W., 5th P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of NOBLES

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On 7/6/92 found an 8" DIAMETER WOOD CORNER FENCE POST  
DATE

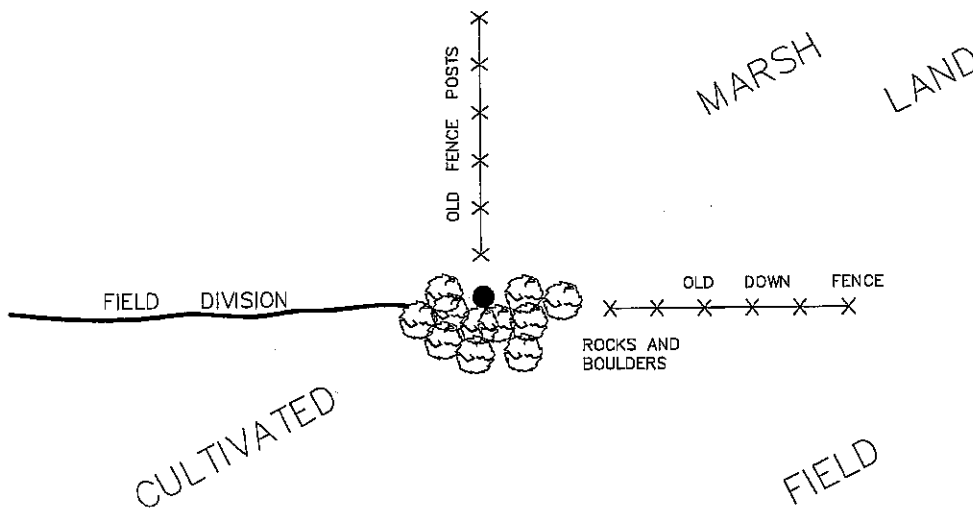
left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)

On 7/6/92 Placed a 3/4" X 24" REBAR WITH ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED  
DATE "DNR SURVEY MARKER" UP 0.1' ON THE SOUTHSIDE OF CFP

## SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



NOTE:  
MONUMENT IS  
6' N. OF FIELD DIV. WEST



Statement of evidence relative to this corner location is on back of page. 7/15/92 WMA01400

I hereby certify that this document and the data contained herein was prepared by me or under my direct supervision.

Bruce W. Sheppard 7-24-92  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 17003  
 Land Surveyor,  Professional Engineer  
 County Surveyor,  County Engineer

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER  
County of Nobles

I hereby certify that this document was filed in the Co. recorders office at 8:15 A. M. on the 31st day of July A.D., 1992  
County Recorder Spencer Howard  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy  
DOCUMENT NO. 248956

Tract 101 N. 40 W. 5th P.M. Comparison done  
Photo 101 N. 40 W. 5th P.M.  
no

North Quarter Corner of Section 13, Township 101 North, Range 40 West

The DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the following for survey information:

Minnesota Secretary of State's Office  
 Nobles County Recorder's Office  
 Nobles County Highway Engineer's Office  
 Sioux Engineering of Windom  
 Madsen Land Surveying of Fairmont

1868 US General Land Office notes obtained from the Secretary of State's Office show the corner marked with a post in a mound of earth with pits per instructions.

1888 Surveyor's Record Book A-2, page 302, obtained from the County Recorder's Office contains a survey, surveyor not indicated. Survey shows that the original stake was found at corner and a stone was set in its place.

1935 Surveyor's Record Book B, page 174, obtained from the County Recorder's Office contains a survey by G. D. McMurtry, County Surveyor. Survey states that an original rock was found at corner. The corner is shown:  
 2640.2 feet from the northeast corner of Section 13  
 2640.9 feet from the northeast corner of Section 14  
 1265.7 feet from a north-south fence in the area of the north sixteenth corner of the northeast quarter of Section 13

No Date An unsigned Certificate of Location of Government Corner obtained from the County Highway Engineer's Office contains a compilation of records in the Engineer's Office that pertain to this corner. The following is shown:  
 1888 - stone  
 1935 - stone

1992 July, DNR Bureau of Engineering found an 8" diameter wooden corner fence post leaning north-northeast in an 8 foot north-south by 30 foot east-west rock and boulder pile. Removed the rocks and boulders around the corner fence post and searched for a marked or a cut stone that could have been set by a surveyor but did not find any. Set a DNR Survey Marker on the south side of the corner fence post and found it to be:  
 in line with old fence posts north  
 in line with an old downed fence east  
 6 feet north of a field division west  
 2624.26 feet from the northeast corner of Section 13  
 2642.35 feet from the northeast corner of Section 14  
 1267 feet from a corner fence post with fences east, west and south found in the area of the north sixteenth corner of the northeast quarter of Section 13  
 14.06 feet north and 9.01 feet east of the computed lost position for corner

Analysis of the above information led the DNR Bureau of Engineering to conclude that the DNR Survey Marker set next to a corner fence post marks the obliterated location of the corner.