

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 30, Township 115 N, Range 38 W, 5th P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

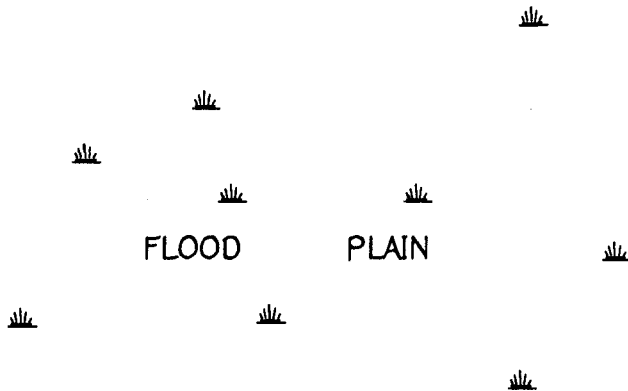
At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On _____ found a _____
DATE _____
- left monument as found, lowered monument, removed monument (explain)
- On _____ Placed a _____
DATE _____

SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



NOTE:
 NO MONUMENT SET
 AREA OF CORNER IS IN
 THE FLOOD PLAIN OF THE
 MINNESOTA RIVER
 (6-14-95)



Statement of evidence relative to this corner location is on back of page.

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

Bruce W. Sheppard 11/6/95
 SIGNATURE DATE

License Number 17003

- Land Surveyor, Professional Engineer
- County Surveyor, County Engineer

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER

County of Yellow Medicine

I hereby certify that this document was filed in the Co. recorders office at 10:30 A.M. on the 7 day of November A.D., 1995

County Recorder *Ramond Oude*
 By _____, Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. 210278

North Quarter Corner Section 30, Township 115 North, Range 38 West

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

Minnesota Secretary of State's Office
Mn/DOT Offices in St. Paul and Willmar
Yellow Medicine County Recorder's Office
Yellow Medicine County Highway Engineer's Office
Montevideo City Engineer's Office
Bonnema Surveys of Willmar
Moseng and Zieske Surveying, Inc. of Marshall
Michael Nyberg, RLS #13145, of Carlos
West Central Land Services, Inc. of Willmar
K.B. MacKichan and Associates, Inc. of Redwood Falls

- 1864 U.S. General Land Office notes obtained from the Secretary of State's Office show the corner marked with a wood post in a mound of earth with pits. The corner is shown:
40.00 chains (2640.00 feet) from the northwest corner of Section 30

The notes also show that the north line of Section 30 to be only 71.00 chains long because its east end stops at Meander Corner Number 7.

- 1977 May, a subdivision of Section 30 shown on Certificate of Surveys in the northeast quarter of Section 30 and in the east half of Section 19 obtained from West Central Land Services, Inc. shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:
midway and on line between adjoining section corners 2644.49 feet apart

A note on a copy of a subdivision of Section 30 obtained from West Central Land Services states that corner was established on a north-south fence.

- 1978 January, a Certificate of Survey in the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 30 obtained from West Central Land Services, Inc. shows that a stone was found at corner.
- 1995 June, DNR Bureau of Engineering was unable to visit area of corner because area was flooded with water.

Do not accept the procedure used in 1977 to establish the north-south position for corner because it was computed from a theoretical position for the northeast corner of Section 30 (GLO did not set the northeast corner of Section 30 in 1864).

Computed a position for corner as follows:

solar East from the northwest corner of Section 30
on the north-south fence as located in 1977

The computed position was found to be:

2653.06 feet from the northwest corner of Section 30
20.17 feet south of the position established in 1977 for corner

Analysis of the above information led the DNR Bureau of Engineering to conclude that the computed position for corner on the north-south fence and solar east from the northwest corner of Section 30 marks the obliterated location of the corner. Did not set a monument to mark corner or a reference monument to it because area of corner is in the flood plain of the Minnesota River.