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 Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
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 By Heidi G. [Signature] Deputy

N/C DANIEL G. NICKOLS, PLS  
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 MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
 500 LAFAYETTE ROAD  
 ST PAUL MN 55155-4037

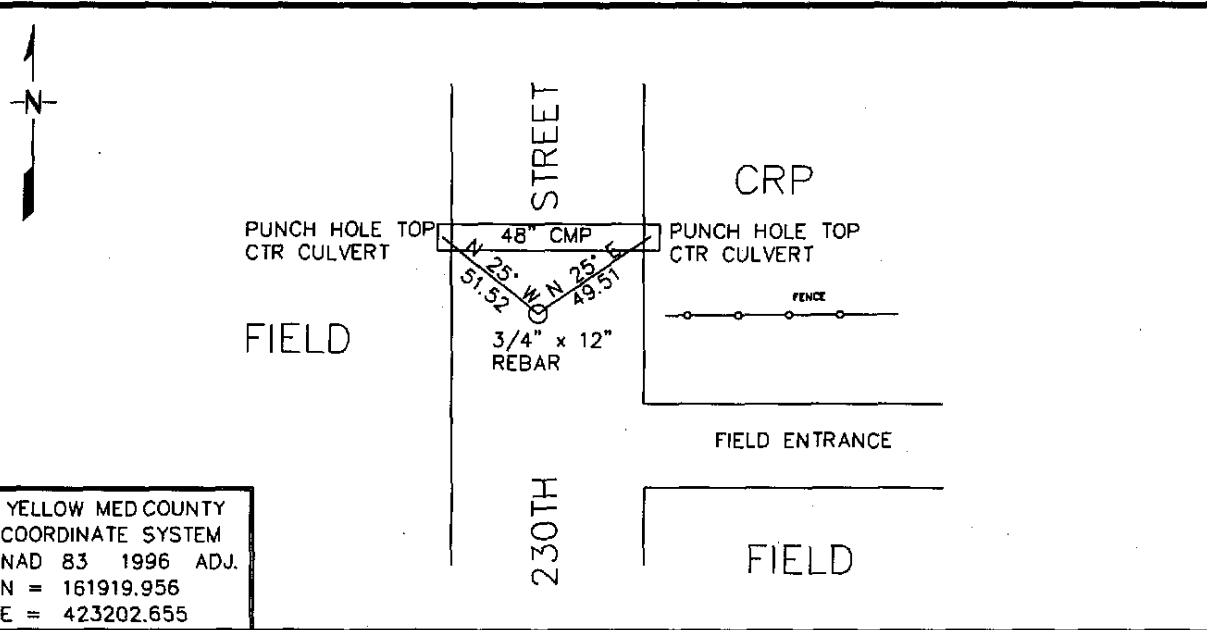
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

EAST QUARTER Corner of Section 6, Township 114, Range 44  
5TH Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 8/5/2008 found a 12" X 8" X 8" STONE DOWN 16"  
DATE
- left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 8/5/2008 Placed a 3/4" X 12" REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP MARKED  
DATE  
MN DNR LS 19839, DOWN 0.2' OVER STONE



YELLOW MED COUNTY  
 COORDINATE SYSTEM  
 NAD 83 1996 ADJ.  
 N = 161919.956  
 E = 423202.655

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9/12/2008

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE 9/15/2008 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the East Quarter Corner of Section 6, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871           The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north on random line between Sections 5 & 6 and at 40.00 chains he set a temporary  $\frac{1}{4}$  Cor, at 54.00 chains he encountered the Lac Qui Parle River at 79.00 chains he intersected the north line of the Township, He returned south on true line and at 39.00 chains set a quarter section post, and made mound per instructions. No ties were taken at either corner.

2008           Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) excavated with a backhoe and down 16" found a 12" X 8" X 8" Stone. Natural ground was encountered at 14". No other monument was found. Reset stone in found position and placed a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " X 12" Rebar with plastic cap marked 19839 over stone.

I have decided to accept the position of the found Stone as a perpetuation of the original corner position established by the GLO.

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CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER	
SOUTHWEST	Corner of Section <u>6</u> Township <u>114</u> Range <u>44</u>
<u>5TH</u> Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of <u>YELLOW MEDICINE</u>	
At the corner location shown on the sketch:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On <u>8/5/2008</u> found a <u>1/2" x 18" REBAR MARKED 19092 (REMOVED) DUG</u> <small>DATE</small> <u>WITH BACKHOE FOUND 6"x6" JASPER MON DOWN 0.6'</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> left monument as found, <input type="checkbox"/> lowered monument, <input type="checkbox"/> removed monument (explain)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On <u>8/5/2008</u> Placed a <u>1/2" X 18" REBAR ON NORTH SIDE STONE</u> <small>DATE</small> <u>DID NOT REPLACE FOUND REBAR</u>	
YELLOW MED COUNTY COORDINATE SYSTEM NAD 83 1996 ADJ. N = 159316.038 E = 417899.817	Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.
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Statement of Evidence for the Southwest Corner of Section 6, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

- 1858 The subject corner was established by W. J. Neely. His notes state that he ran North on true line between Sections 7 & 12 and at 40.00 Chains he set a quarter section post, deposited coal, made mound, trench and pits per instructions. At 80.00 chains he set the corner post common to sections 1, 6, 7 & 12, deposited coal made mound, trench and pits as per instructions.
- 1892 Yellow Medicine County Surveyor, Johan Peterman. He states that he found all Government Corners and that he strictly followed all rules of survey. No reference ties are indicated on this Survey.
- 1901 Yellow Medicine County Surveyor, John Norgaard indicates: Found stone in the center of road running east and west. Said by adjoining land owner to be the original Government Corner. Set monument level with ground. No reference ties to the corner are shown.
- Undated MN Land Surveyor Roy Marihart, License Number 19092 set ½" X 18" rebar with cap by stone.
- 2008 Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) found a ½" X 18" Rebar with a plastic cap marked 19092. The rebar was removed and a 6" X 6" cut stone was recovered below the rebar. A ½" X 18" rebar was placed on north edge of stone.

I have decided to accept the position of the found stone as a perpetuation of the original corner position established by the GLO.

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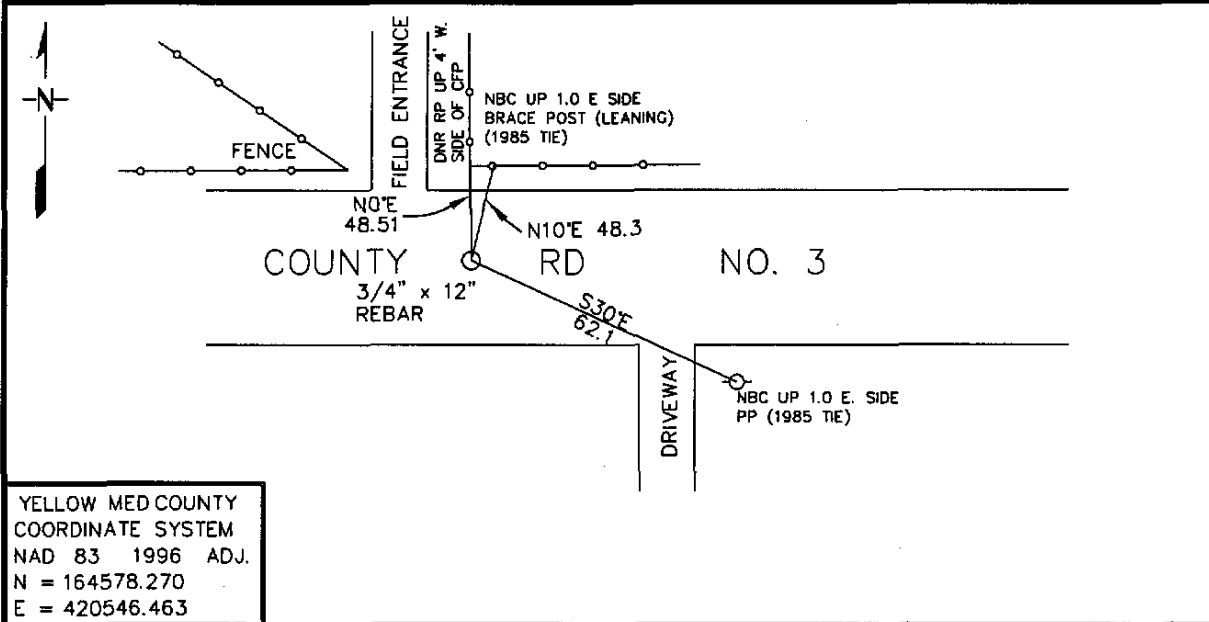
# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 6 Township 114 Range 44

5TH Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 8/5/2008 found a 1/2" x 18" CARRIAGE BOLT DOWN 0.30' FIT HWY DEPT  
DATE  
TIES FROM 1985  
 left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 8/5/2008 Placed a 3/4" X 12" REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP MARKED  
DATE  
MN DNR LS 19839. DOWN 0.2' REPLACING BOLT



YELLOW MED COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 83 1996 ADJ.  
N = 164578.270  
E = 420546.463

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9/12/2008

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE 9/15/2008 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the North Quarter Corner of Section 6, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

- 1858      The subject corner was established by W. J. Neely. His notes state that he ran west on true line between Sections 6 & 31 and at 40.00 Chains he set a quarter section post, deposited coal, made mound, trench and pits per instructions. At 79.25Chain he encountered the Township Corner.
- 1948      Yellow Medicine County Highway Department records indicate four reference ties to the corner being:
- |                                  |       |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Fence Post North | 64.3' |
| Power Pole SE                    | 61.0' |
| Brace Pole SW                    | 43.3' |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Fence Post South | 58.8' |
- No description of a monument is given within this record.
- 1985      Yellow Medicine County Highway Department records indicate:  
Found Field Stone down 1.0' and the following reference ties:
- |                     |        |
|---------------------|--------|
| Brace Fence Post NE | 48.65' |
| Brace Fence Post NW | 54.47' |
| Power Pole SE       | 62.10' |
- 2008      Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) found a ½" X 18" carriage bolt down 0.3'. The bolt fit the 1985 tie to the power pole SE and closely matched the tie to the brace fence post NE that was now leaning.

I have decided to accept the position of the found carriage bolt as a perpetuation of the original corner position established by the GLO as the bolt fits the 1985 ties that reference a stone monument.

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<b>CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER</b>					
WEST QUARTER	Corner of Section <u>6</u> , Township <u>114</u> , Range <u>44</u>				
<u>5TH</u> Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of <u>YELLOW MEDICINE</u>					
At the corner location shown on the sketch:					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On <u>8/5/2008</u> found a <u>1/2" X 2.5" IRON BAR WITH COW BONE DOWN 3'</u> <small>DATE</small>					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> left monument as found, <input type="checkbox"/> lowered monument, <input type="checkbox"/> removed monument (explain)					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> On <u>8/5/2008</u> Placed a <u>3/4" X 24" REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP MARKED</u> <small>DATE</small> <u>MN DNR LS 19839. DOWN 0.3' ABOVE FOUND BAR</u>					
<p>The sketch shows a vertical line labeled 'STREET' and '220TH'. To the left is a 'FIELD' with a 'FENCE' line. To the right is a 'CRP' area with a 'FIELD ENTRANCE' and another 'FIELD'. A '3/4" x 12" REBAR' is located at the intersection. A '48" RCP' pipe runs horizontally through the CRP area. Two 'CHISLED "x" TOP CTR CULVERT' are shown, one above and one below the RCP pipe. A north arrow is in the top left. Dimensions and bearings are given: N 60° E 32.56' and S 60° E 31.56'.</p>					
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SIGNATURE <u>Daniel A. Nickols</u>	DATE <u>9/15/2008</u> License Number <u>19839</u>				
Title: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Land Surveyor <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Engineer <input type="checkbox"/> County Surveyor <input type="checkbox"/> County Engineer					

Statement of Evidence for the West Quarter Corner of Section 6, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

- 1858           The subject corner was established by W. J. Neely. His notes state that he ran North on true line between Sections 7 & 12 and at 40.00 Chains he set a quarter section post, deposited coal, made mound, trench and pits per instructions. At 80.00 chains he set the corner post common to sections 1, 6, 7 & 12, deposited coal made mound, trench and pits as per instructions.
- 2008           Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) excavated with a backhoe and found a ½" X 0.2' Iron Bar down 36" in road bed. Also found Knee Bone (Bovine?) next to bar. Iron bar was located 1' west of centerline of road and 2' South of fence line to the west.

I have decided to accept the position of the found Iron Bar as a perpetuation of the original corner position established by the GLO.

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

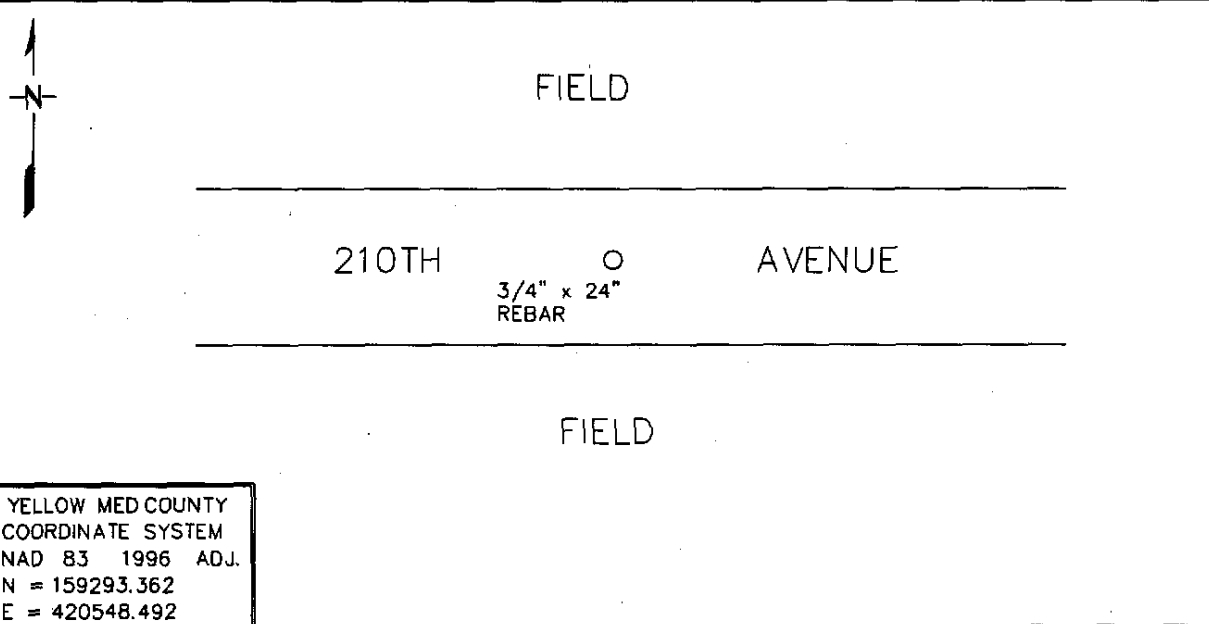
NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 7 ,Township 114 ,Range 44  
5TH Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On 8/5/2008 found a 8" X 7" X 6" FIELD STONE DOWN 18"  
DATE

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

On 8/5/2008 Placed a 3/4" X 24" REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP MARKED  
DATE  
MN DNR LS 19839. DOWN 0.3' REPLACED STONE DOWN 28"



YELLOW MED COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 83 1996 ADJ.  
N = 159293.362  
E = 420548.492

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE 9/15/2008 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the North Quarter Corner of Section 7, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

- 1871        The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran West on a random line between Sections 6 & 7 and at 40.00 chains he set a temporary quarter section post. At 80.10 chains he intersected the west boundary of the Township 10 line south of the corner. He then ran east on true line and set the quarter post being a raised mound as per instructions.
- 1892        Yellow Medicine County Surveyor, Johan Peterman. He states that he found all Government Corners and that he strictly followed all rules of survey. No reference ties are indicated on this Survey. For the subject corner he indicates setting a stone. No reference ties were recorded.
- 2008        Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) excavated with a backhoe and found a stone down 18". Stone was removed and excavation continued an additional 4 feet. No additional evidence recovered. Stone was reset in original location at a depth of 28" and a ½" X 24" Rebar was placed on the north side of the stone. Set ¾" Rebar with plastic cap marked 19839 over the stone.

I have decided to accept the position of the found stone as a perpetuation of the original corner position established by the GLO.

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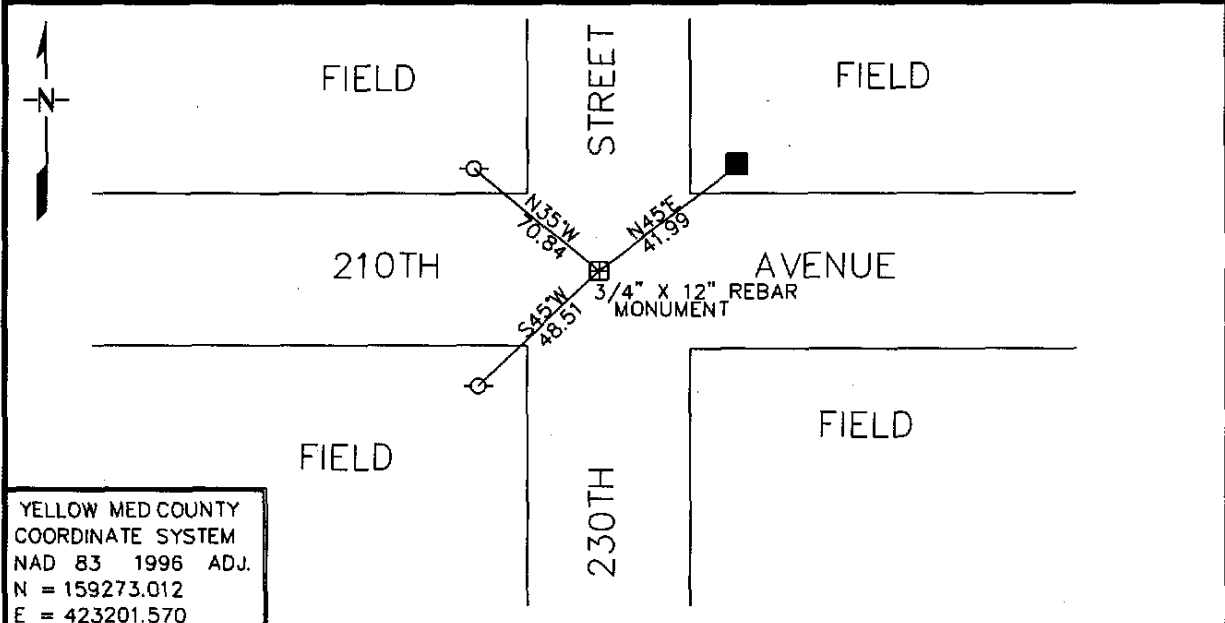
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTHEAST Corner of Section 7, Township 114, Range 44  
5TH Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 8/5/2008 found a 1/2" X 24" REBAR MARKED HURD AERIAL (REMOVED)  
DATE  
DUG WITH BACKHOE FOUND 6"x6" CUT GRANITE MON DOWN 1.5'  
 left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 8/5/2008 Placed a 3/4" X 12" REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP MARKED DNR  
DATE  
LS 19839. DID NOT REPLACE HURD MONUMENT



YELLOW MED COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 83 1996 ADJ.  
N = 159273.012  
E = 423201.570

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Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the Northeast Corner of Section 7, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

- 1858            The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran North on true line between Sections 7 & 12 and at 40.00 Chains he set a quarter section post, deposited coal, made mound, trench and pits per instructions. At 80.00 chains he set the corner post common to sections 1, 6, 7 & 12, deposited coal made mound, trench and pits as per instructions.
- 1892            Yellow Medicine County Surveyor, Johan Peterman. He states that he found all Government Corners and that he strictly followed all rules of survey. No reference ties are indicated on this Survey. At the subject corner he states setting a field stone.
- 1901            Yellow Medicine County Surveyor, John Norgaard indicates: Found stone in the Government mound. Set monument 2" above ground. No reference ties to the corner are shown.
- Undated        Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicates reference ties to the subject corner as follows:
- |                   |       |
|-------------------|-------|
| Cor Fence Post NE | 46.5' |
| 15" Poplar SE     | 78'   |
- 2008            Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) found a 1/2" X 24" Rebar with a plastic cap marked Hurd Aerial. The rebar was removed and a 6" X 6" cut stone was recovered 18" below the surface. A 3/4" X 12" rebar with plastic cap marked 19839 was placed over the stone. No Previous reference ties were recovered
- Markhurd was contacted concerning the found rebar. Their survey operations have ceased and they were unable to recover the records of the placement of the rebar.

I have decided to accept the position of the found stone as a perpetuation of the original corner position established by the GLO.

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By Hadi G. Bakkejung Deputy

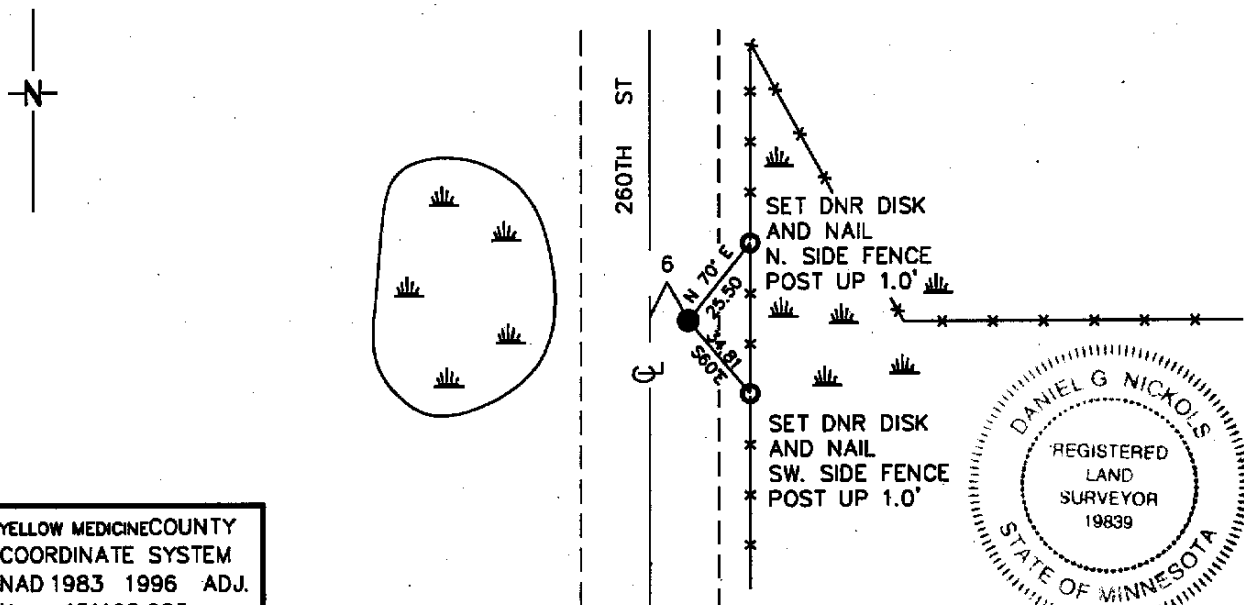
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

EAST QUARTER Corner of Section 15, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, 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 3/25/09 Placed a 3/4" X 24" REBAR WITH PLASTIC STAMPED "MN DNR LS  
DATE  
19839" SET, FLUSH MIDWAY AND ON LINE BETWEEN NE & SE CORNERS



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 1983 1996 ADJ.  
N = 151108.083  
E = 439094.006

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page. 07/06/09 WMA01797.00.00.01

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE MARCH 25, 2009 License Number 19839  
Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the East Quarter Corner of Section 15, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871            The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north on true line between Sections 14 & 15. At 40.00 Chains he set a post for the quarter section post and raised mound per instructions. At 80.00 chains he set post in mound with pits for Section Corner. (No ties taken).

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

2009            Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) was unable to find any monument at this location. An excavation was not undertaken as this is an area of substantial fill due to the proximity of low land and there being no historic monuments in the record after the original survey. The corner was determined to be lost and was established midway and on line between the NE & SE corners of Section 15.

For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

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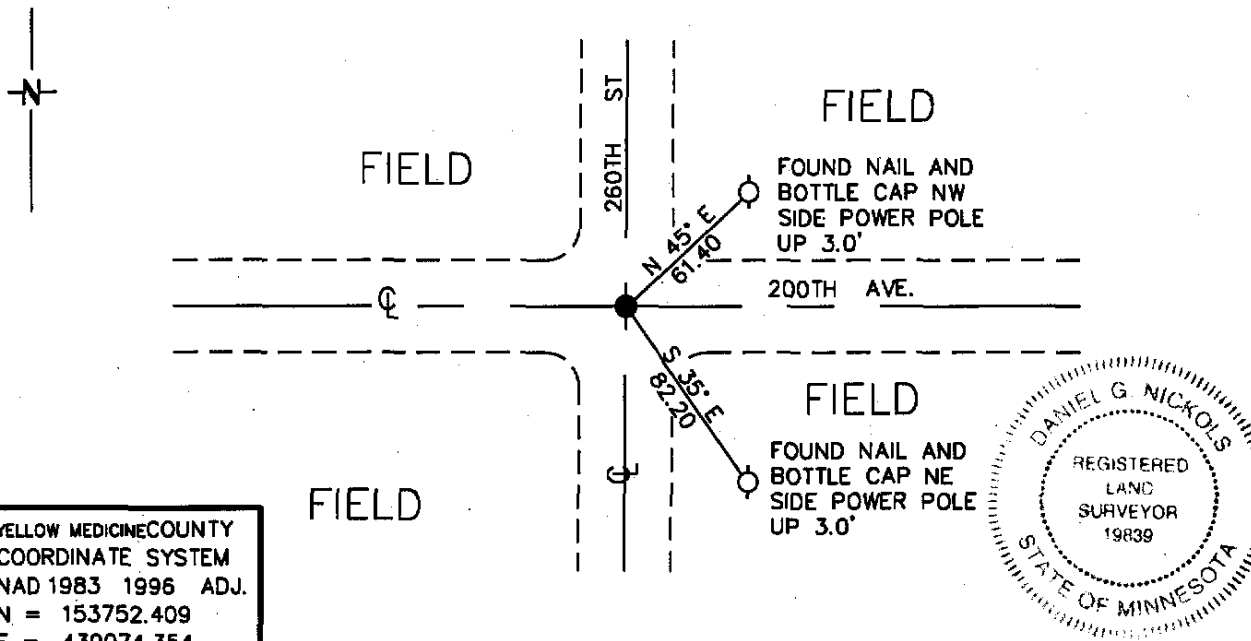
NORTHEAST Corner of Section 15, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On 3/25/09 found a SPIKE FOUND DN 0.1'  
DATE

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

On 3/25/09 Placed a 3/4" X 24" REBAR WITH PLASTIC  
DATE  
STAMPED "MN DNR LS 19839" SET, FLUSH REPLACING FOUN SPIKE



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 1983 1996 ADJ.  
N = 153752.409  
E = 439074.354

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Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the Northeast Corner of Section 15, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871            The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north on true line between Sections 14 & 15. At 40.00 Chains he set a quarter section post. At 80.00 chains he a post in a mound per instructions for the corner of Sections 10, 11, 14 & 15. (No ties taken).

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

1901            County Surveyor John Norgaard set a 6" X 6" X 24" jasper granite monument 1" above ground at the location of found Government mound and pits.

1909            County Surveyor John Norgaard found stone.

Unknown       Yellow Medicine County Highway Department records indicate ties to unknown monument.

Iron Pipe NE	45.0'	Iron Pipe SE	45.0'
4 <sup>th</sup> Fence Post NE	80.0'	3 <sup>rd</sup> Fence Post NW	68.8'
Cor. Fence Post SE	48.0'	Cor. Fence Post NE	48.0'

Unknown       Yellow Medicine County Highway Department records indicate ties to unknown monument.

Nail in Fe Post NE	48.6'	Cap in PP NE	61.7'
Nail in Fe Post SE	48.2'	Cap in PP SE	81.9'

1990            Yellow Medicine County Highway Department found field stone and charred hub over square stone monument. Down 2.5'.

Nail and Disc in PP NE	61.40	Spike in CL road N	100'
Nail and disc in PP SE	82.20	Spike in CL road S	100'

2009            Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) located a spike (down 0.1') in centerline-centerline of the roads. 1990 ties by Yellow Medicine County Highway Department to the power poles NE & SE fit for distance. We feel that the spike being placed over the stone set by Norgaard is a perpetuation of the original corner. Set ¾" X 24" capped rebar marked MN DNR LS 19839 in place of the found spike.

For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

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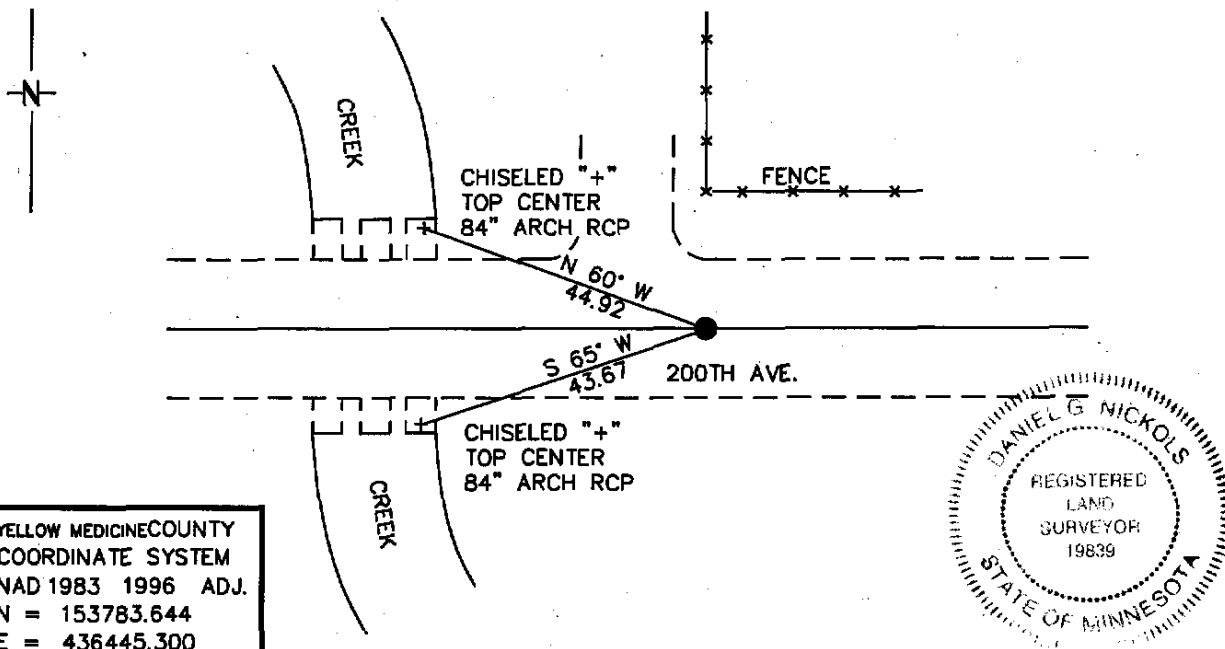
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 15, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, 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 5/19/09 Placed a 3/4" X 24 REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP  
DATE  
STAMPED "MN DNR LS 19839" SET, FLUSH



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 1983 1996 ADJ.  
N = 153783.644  
E = 436445.300

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE May 19, 2009 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the North Quarter Corner of Section 15, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1874            The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran east on random line between Sections 15 & 22. At 40.00 Chains he set a temporary a quarter section post. At 79.76 chains Intersect N & S line 19 links North of the corner to Secs 14, 15, 22 & 23 from which he ran N 89-52 W on true line. At 39.88 Chains Set post in mound with pits for ¼ Sec Cor. (No ties taken).

At 79.76 Chains The Corner to Sections 14, 15, 22 & 23.

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

1994            Highway plans obtained from Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicate an unidentified monument at this location

2009            Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) was unable to find any monument at this location. An excavation was not undertaken as this is an area of substantial fill due to the proximity of creek and there being no historic monuments in the record after the original survey. The corner was established on the centerline of the road and at proportional distance shown on the highway plan.

For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

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Kay Zempel, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

*Haide G. Bakkefjord* Deputy

N/C Daniel G. Nickols, PLS  
Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources  
500 Lafayette Road  
St. Paul, MN 55155-4037

Index No. L-13

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

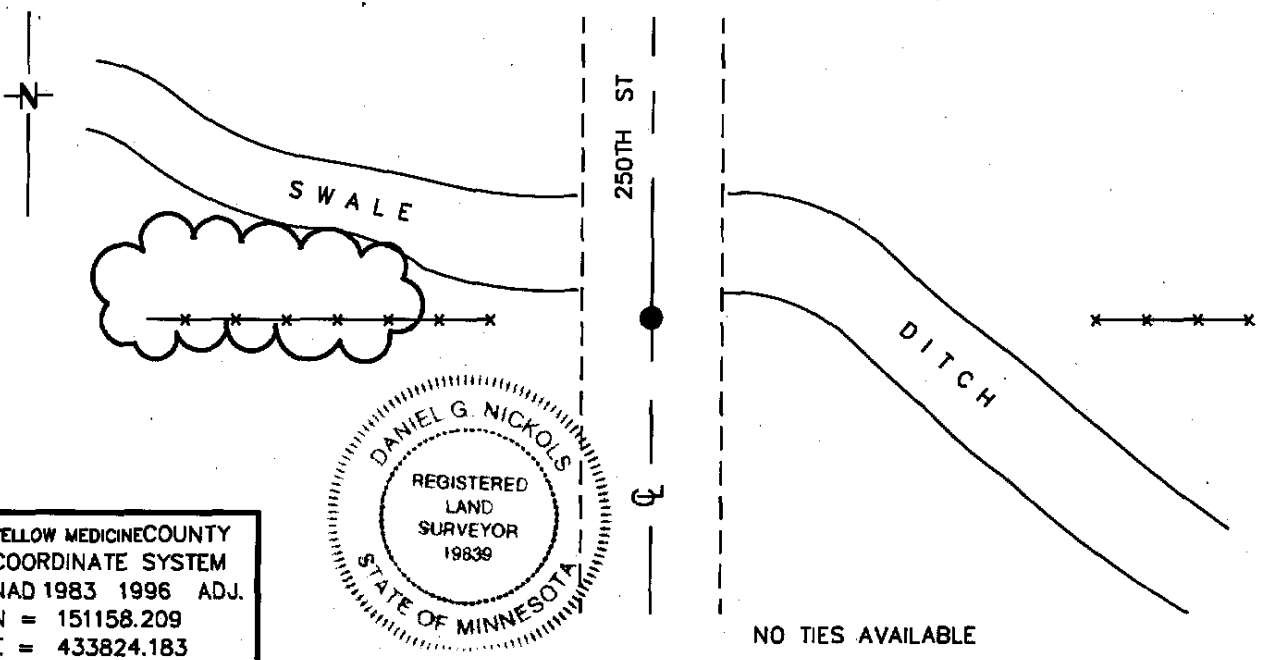
EAST QUARTER Corner of Section 16, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On \_\_\_\_\_ found a \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

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

On 5/19/09 Placed a 3/4" X 12" REBAR WITH CAP STAMPED "MN DNR LS 19839"  
DATE  
SET FLUSH, MIDWAY AND ON LINE BETWEEN NE & SE CORNERS



Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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SIGNATURE *Daniel G. Nickols* DATE MARCH 25, 2009 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the East Quarter Corner of Section 16, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

- 1871            The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north on true line between Sections 15 & 16.  
                  At 0.50 Chains he intersected a dry creek, 5 links wide;  
                  At 40.00 Chains he set a post for ¼ Section Corner;  
                  At 41.00 Chains he intersected a dry creek, 5 links wide;  
                  At 60.00 Chains same creek;  
                  At 80.00 chains Set a post in raised mound for the corner to Sections 9,  
                  10, 15 & 16. (No ties taken).

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

- 2009            Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) was unable to find any monument at this location. An excavation was not undertaken as this is an area of substantial fill due to the proximity of low land and there being no historic monuments in the record after the original survey. The corner was determined to be lost and was established midway and on line between the NE & SE corners of Section 16.

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St. Paul, MN 55155-4037

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

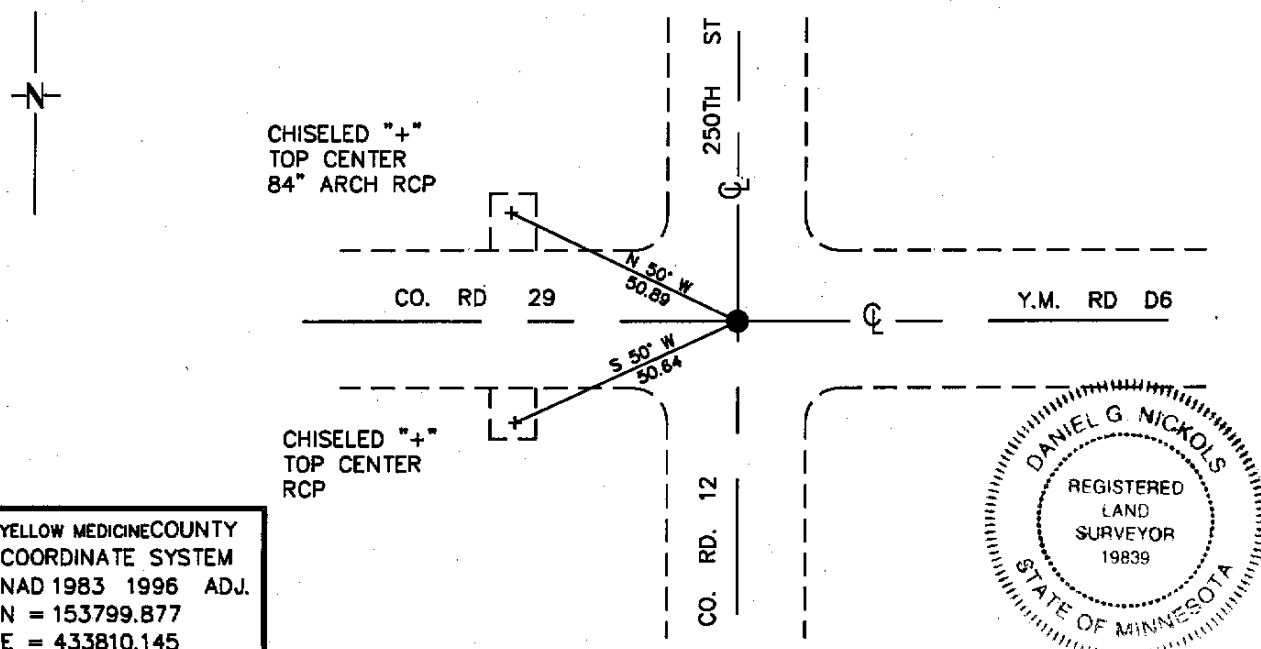
NORTHEAST Corner of Section 16, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On 3/25/09 found a PK NAIL AT SURFACE OF ROAD  
DATE

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

On \_\_\_\_\_ Placed a \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 1983 1996 ADJ.  
N = 153799.877  
E = 433810.145

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE MARCH 25, 2009 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the Northeast Corner of Section 16, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871 The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north on true line between Sections 15 & 16.  
At 0.50 Chains he intersected a dry creek, 5 links wide;  
At 40.00 Chains he set a post for ¼ Section Corner;  
At 41.00 Chains he intersected a dry creek, 5 links wide;  
At 60.00 Chains same creek;  
At 80.00 chains Set a post in raised mound for the corner to Sections 9, 10, 15 & 16. (No ties taken).

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

1901 Surveyors Record Book B, Page 187: County Surveyor John Norgaard set a 6" X 6" X 24" jasper granite monument 1" above ground. His notes state "Located at equal proportionate distances between the Northeast Corner Section 9 and the East ¼ post Section 21 and in the center of road running North & South."

1909 Large Red Surveyors Record Book, County Surveyor John Norgaard found stone.

1951 "Section Corner Tie" Book at Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicates Stone laying in SE ditch. No description of a monument set is given. The following ties are shown  
Fence Post NW 71.1' Co Fence Post SW 60.4'  
Fence Post SW 59.6'

1963 "Section Corner Tie" Book at Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicates ties to an unknown monument.  
Fence Post SW 70.3' Tele Pole SW 64.6'  
14" Ctwd SE 88.2'

1990 Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicated "Found Spike 2" below surface." No Ties Given.

1994 Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicated "Found Spike 1" below surface." Ties were spikes in centerline of the road 100' east and west of corner.

2000 Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicated unknown mark on highway plan. No Ties Given.

2002 Surveyor Roy Marihart (LS 19092) indicated a monument at the corner on a survey in the North Half of the NW  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 9. Bearings and distances are shown for the subdivision of said Section 9 on the survey.

2009 Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) located a PK nail at the centerline-centerline road intersection. No excavation of the site was undertaken as the record indicates that the stone was found destroyed in 1951 and the fact that the area of the corner is a substantial fill area due to the building of the roads. We have accepted the found PK Nail as the position of the subject corner.

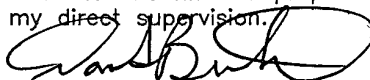
For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

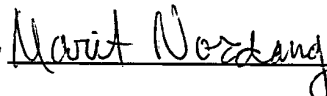
**Corners to be Indexed**

NW Cor. 17-114-44  
 NE Cor. 18-114-44  
 West Quarter Cor. 17-114-44  
 East Quarter Cor. 18-114-44  
 North Quarter Cor 17-114-44  
 South Quarter Cor 17-114-44  
 North Quarter Cor 20-114-44

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 Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
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 contained herein was prepared by me or under  
 my direct supervision.

  
 Daniel L. Bueltel  
 License No. 43844  
 Date 5/3/2021

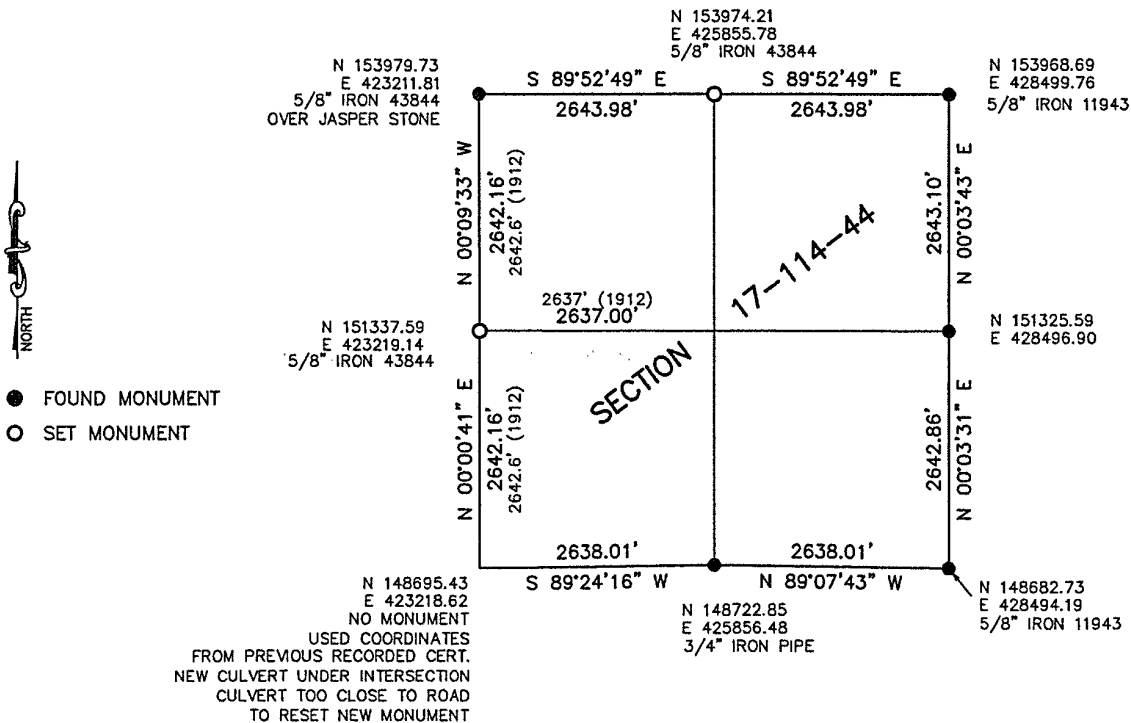
Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder  
 By  Deputy

**CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER**

Land survey monuments situated in Section 17, Township 114, Range 44, 5TH P.M.  
 STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Yellow Medicine

**STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE:**

Oct. 1912, John Norgaard, County Surveyor found or set stones at all corners  
 of Section 17-114-44



Minnesota State Plane Coordinate  
 System Yellow Medicine County Datum NAD83 (1996)

## Statement of Evidence

### NW 17-114-44 (NE 18-114-44)

On April 16, 2021, found spike, removed and dug with backhoe. Found a 6"x6" jasper stone 2.6' southwesterly of spike. Placed a 5/8" iron with seal 43844 east side of stone and a 5/8" iron with seal 43844 near road surface above the jasper stone.

### W1/4 17-114-44 (E1/4 18-114-44)

On April 16, 2021, Found 1/2" pipe with seal 42300, removed and dug with backhoe. Hole was 8 feet N-S and 6 feet E-W. Found nothing. It was determined that the found pipe was placed using the spike at northwest corner of 17 to establish corner. The spike (now removed) at northwest corner, is 2.6 northeasterly of a found jasper monument. After review and breaking down section 17, I placed corner midway and in centerline of road. This matches the distance to center of section from 1912 survey. This position is 2.78 feet, S 80°50'23" E from position of found capped pipe (now removed).

### N1/4 17-114-44

On April 16, 2021, dug with backhoe midway and on line for recorded stone and found nothing. Set 5/8" iron with seal 43844 midway and on line. It is in the center of the road and in line with occupation north and south.

### S1/4 17-114-44 (N1/4 20-114-44)

On April 16, 2021, Found a 3/4" iron pipe midway between section corners and in center of road. Did not dig for stone because of a buried utility line crossing near dig location. Accepted position of found pipe. If road is ever to be rebuilt, it is recommended an attempt be made to recover stone.

### E1/4 17-114-44

On April 16, 2021, Found a 5/8" iron with seal midway and on line between section corners and in center of road. Did not dig for stone because of slough area on both sides of road. Accepted position of found iron.

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

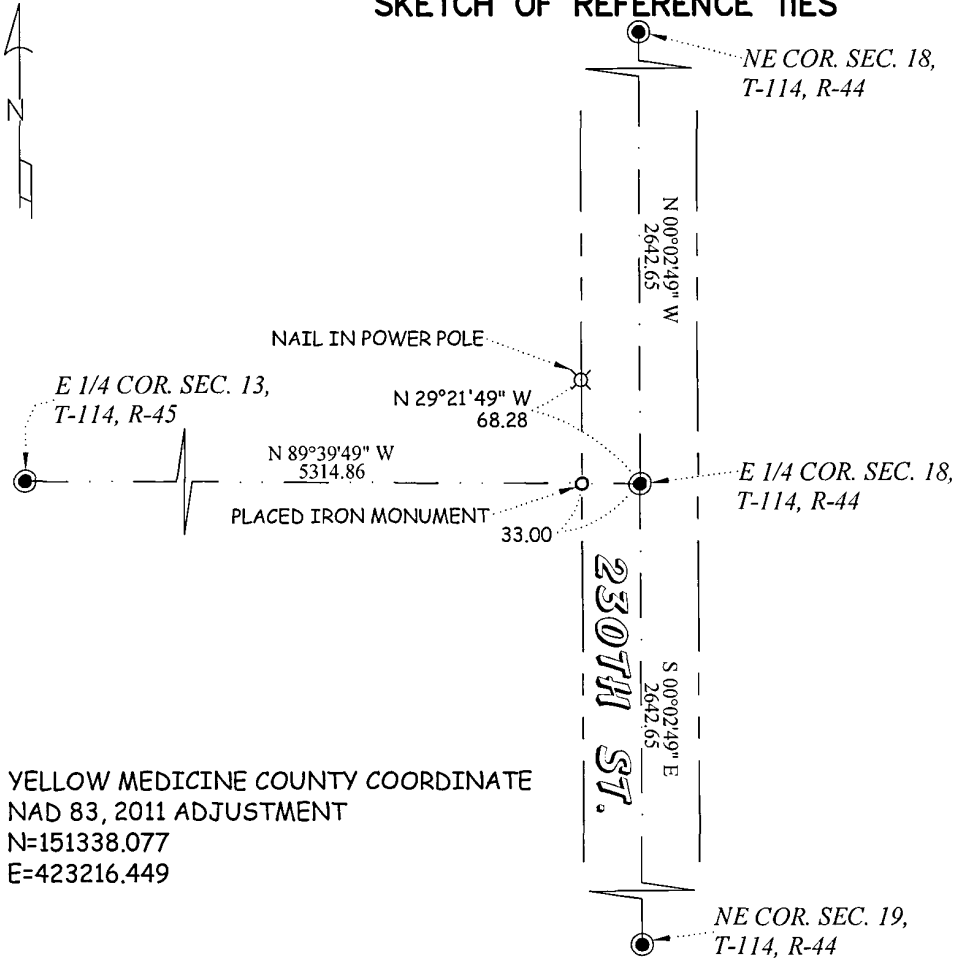
EAST QUARTER Corner of Section 18, Township 114, Range 44, 5TH P.M.

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 2-26-2020 placed a 1/2" Iron Pipe, with Cap #42300  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

## SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY COORDINATE  
 NAD 83, 2011 ADJUSTMENT  
 N=151338.077  
 E=423216.449

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

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

[Signature] 2-26-2020  
 Signature Date

Registration No. 42300

- Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer
- County Surveyor  County Engineer

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 Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
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Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By [Signature] Deputy

**Statement of Evidence:**

**East Quarter Corner of Section 18, Township 114, Range 44, Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota.**

October 6th, 1971- Original Government Survey performed by L. Harrington

February 26, 2020- O'Malley & Kron Land Surveyors performed a survey in Section 18. The corner was searched for and no monument was found. A 1/2" iron pipe with a plastic cap marked 42300 was placed on line and equal distance between the Northeast corner of Section 18 and the Northeast corner of Section 19. New ties were made.

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 18, Township 114, Range 44, 5TH P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

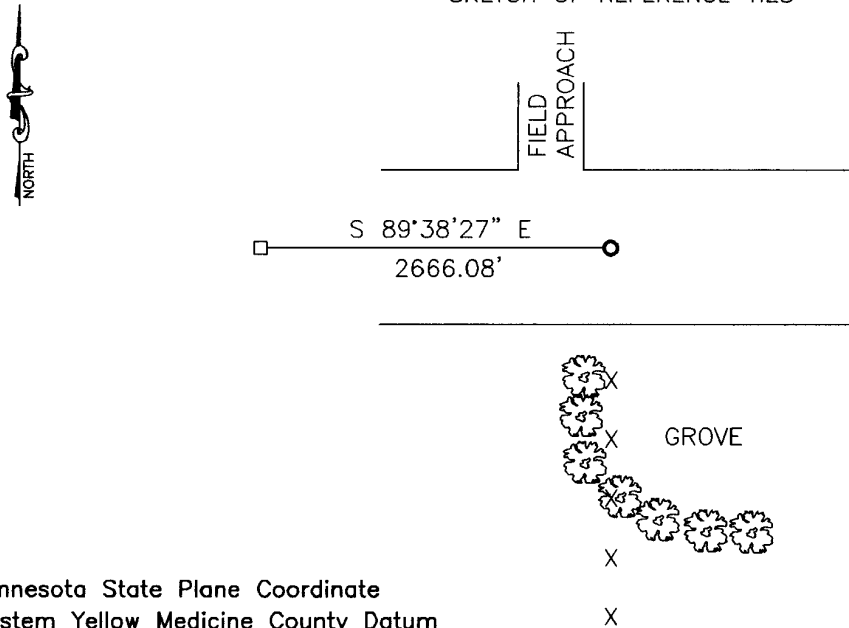
At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On 11-12-2010 found a 1" GAS PIPE WITH IRON CAP.  
DATE

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

On \_\_\_\_\_ placed a \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



Minnesota State Plane Coordinate  
System Yellow Medicine County Datum  
NAD83 (1996)

N: 153995.889  
E: 420568.217

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James Bush 1/6/11  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 43844

Land Surveyor,  Professional Engineer  
 County Surveyor,  County Engineer

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that this document was filed in the Co. Recorders office at \_\_\_\_\_ .M on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A.D. 20 \_\_\_\_\_

County Recorder \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

## Statement of Evidence

In 1871, L. Harrington did the original subdivision of the township.

In June 1892, Johan Peterman recorded stones along the north line of Section 18-114-44.

On November 12, 2010, Bueltel-Moseng Land Surveying dug with a backhoe. We found a 1" gas pipe with an iron cap 4'± below the road surface. We tied out the pipe and continued to dig. We did not find anything else. We raised the gas pipe to the road surface. It is in line with the fence to the south.

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Bueltel-Moseng Land Surveying  
P.O. Box 32  
Marshall, MN 56258

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Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
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BONNEMA SURVEYS INC  
PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYING  
1809 22ND STREET SW, SUITE 104  
WILLMAR, MN 56201

Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Debra Blood Deputy

### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

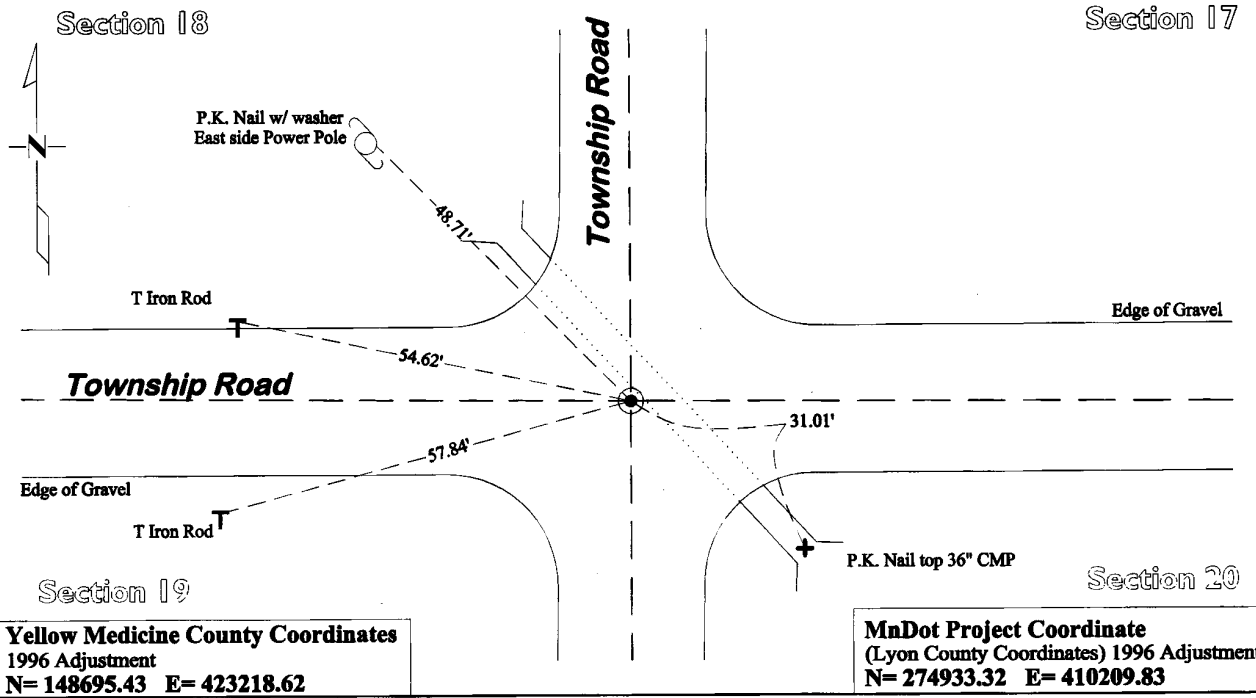
Northeast Corner of Section 19, Township 114, Range 44  
Fifth Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 30, 2012 found No Monument at Surface, at a depth of 4 1/2' deep found a 6"x 6"x 25" Quarried  
DATE  
Red Granite Jasper Stone Monument that had been flattened

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 7, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Square Telspar Monument at the location  
DATE  
determined by the USFWS and the Dan Bueltel 2011 certificate



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

Signature [Handwritten Signature]  
Date May 1, 2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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## **Northeast Corner Section 19, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for the corner to secs 17, 18, 19, & 20 raised mound as per instructions."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book B, Page 188, "Found stake in the government mound. Set top of monument 2" above ground."
- October 1913 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, Records in County Surveyor's Record Book, Page 307, that he found "Jasper Stone Monument" at this corner location.
- 1920's County Surveyor's Record Book, Page 457, records 2 witness ties to this corner, but does not mention what type of monument was found.
- March 22-24, 2010 Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor for the United States Fish and Wildlife Service while performing work in the SE ¼ of section 20, states in his field notes "set ½" x 16" iron pipe 3" down." He further notes on his section breakdown sheet "on CL-CL" and established 2 section corner witness ties.
- Nov 8, 2010 Daniel L. Bueltel, LS 43844, prepared a Certificate of Location of Government Corner and states "found a ¾" iron pipe. We accepted the pipe; it is in the center of the intersection. We did not dig because there is a 30" culvert running diagonally under the intersection." He also established 1 section corner witness tie and assigned a Yellow Medicine County coordinate to the monument.
- July 30, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation excavated a 6.3' deep hole alongside a 36" Corrugated metal culvert. The hole was a rectangle lying parallel with the 36" metal culvert and covered an area extending 6.0' Northwesterly, 6.0' Southeasterly, 1.0' Northeasterly, 4.0' Southwesterly of Bueltel's coordinate position for this corner. At a depth of 4.5' a quarried 6"x6"x24" red granite Jasper Stone was found lying on its side. The original topsoil was observed at a depth of 3.5'. The 6"x6" stone lying horizontal and may have been disturbed by the installation of the corrugated metal culvert. The 6"x6" granite stone was found just south of the location where the United States Fish and Wildlife Service placed an iron in 2010, which is also the location certified by Bueltel in 2011. The United States Fish and Wildlife Service and Bueltel position were verified using their section corner witness ties. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Iron Monument was placed at the United States Fish and Wildlife Service location and the coordinate position recorded by Bueltel. The 6"x6" granite stone was lying completely horizontal therefore I held with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service and Bueltel position. The 6"x6" granite stone was removed to prevent future confusion.

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Property Records Division  
Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
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Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Debra Blood Deputy

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PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYING  
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WILLMAR, MN 56201

### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**North Quarter** Corner of Section **19**, Township **114**, Range **44**

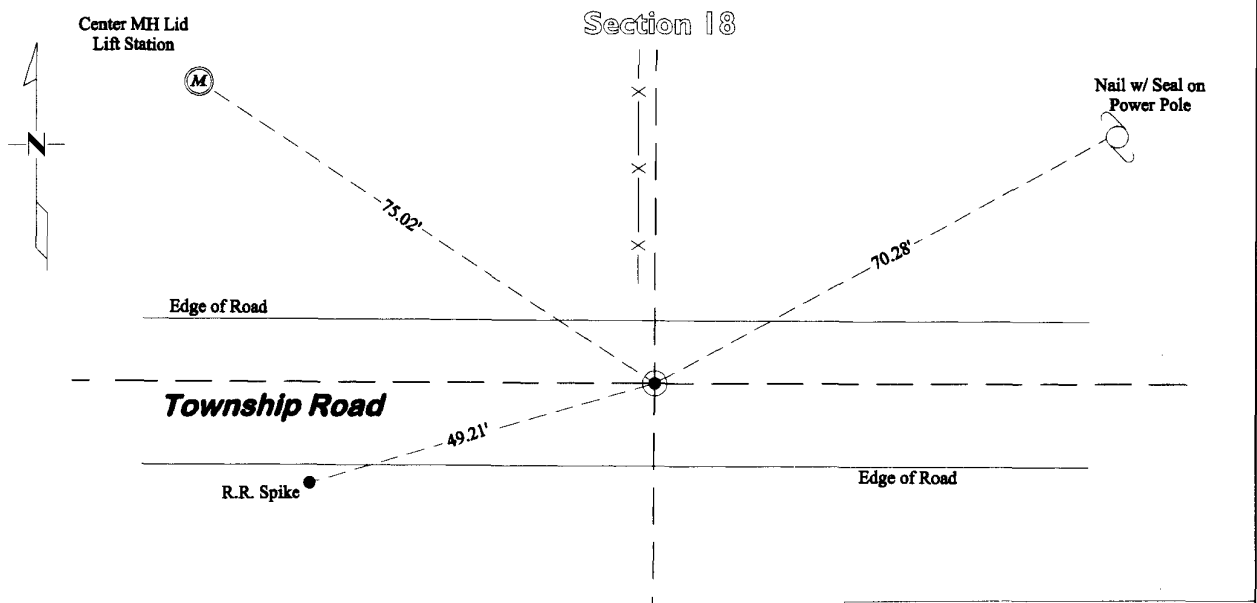
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On May 29, 2012 found a RLS # 43844 Capped Iron Rod 0.5' Below Road Surface (Bueltel)  
DATE

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 7, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Telspar Monument at the  
DATE  
location of the capped iron rod



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
1996 Adjustment  
N= 148709.92 E= 420575.51

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
(Lyon County Coordinates) 1996 Adjustment  
N= 274949.36 E= 407566.70

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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

Signature Matthew D. Runke  
Date 4/30/13

Typed or Printed Name: Matthew D. Runke  
Reg. No. 46171

# ***STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE***

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## **North Quarter Corner Section 19, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor. raised mound as per instructions."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Survey Record Book B, page 39, a dimension to the corner while doing a re-survey of section corners across the county at the request of the County Board, but he does not mention what type of monument was found.
- Nov 12, 2010 Daniel L. Bueltel, LS 43844, prepared a Certificate of Location of Government Corner and states "dug with a back hoe and found nothing. We set a 1" pipe with seal #43844 on line and single proportionate distance between section corners. It is in line with the fence to the north."
- Aug 7, 2012 Matthew D. Runke, LS 46171, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, found a 1" Capped Iron Pipe with seal # 43844 at the corner position. Bueltel excavated at this corner location with a backhoe and found no evidence of the Original Public Land Survey corner in 2010. Runke verified the location of the Capped Iron Pipe by checking existing section corner witness ties and the coordinate recorded by Bueltel on his Certificate of Location of Government Corner. The Capped Iron location fits well with the dimension shown on Norgaard's survey, the center line of the existing road, the fence and use lines to the north and south of this corner and is right on the Original Public Land Survey proration along the North line of this section. The 1" capped iron pipe appears to be the best available evidence of the location of this section corner. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Monument was placed at the location of the 1" capped Iron pipe

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Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
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Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Debra Blood Deputy

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PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYING  
1809 22ND STREET SW, SUITE 104  
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### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**East Quarter** Corner of Section **19**, Township **114**, Range **44**

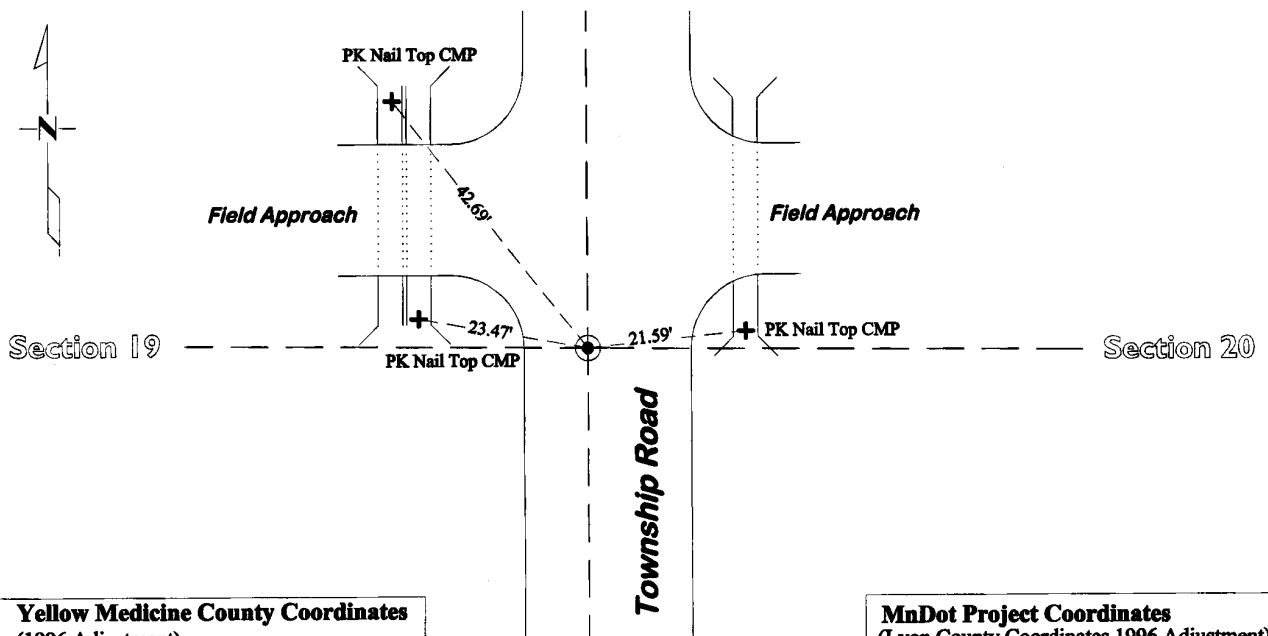
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 30, 2012 found a 1/2" Iron Pipe at Surface with 1 1/4" Square Topped Rod 2.2' Below  
DATE  
Surface and a Piece of Charred Oak Stake at a depth of 3' Below Surface

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 7, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Square Telspar Monument  
DATE  
at the Location of the 1/2" Iron Pipe



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
(1996 Adjustment)  
N= 146047.03 E= 423225.87

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
(Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
N= 272284.89 E= 410215.53

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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Signature [Signature]  
Date 4/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

## **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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### **East Quarter Corner Section 19, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor and raised mound as per instructions."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Survey Record Book B, page 39, that he measured to the corner while doing a re-survey of section corners across the county at the request of the Co. Board.
- March 22 -  
April 29, 2010 Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor, for the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, while performing work in the SE 1/4 of Section 20, states in his field notes that he Set a 1/2" x 16" iron pipe down 3" and dimensions to the northeast and southeast corners of this section. He further notes on his section breakdown sheet that he set this corner using "single proportion, hit fences E + W." He also established 2 section corner witness ties.
- July 30, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation located a 1/2" iron pipe at the road surface at the corner position. With the aid of a MnDOT backhoe he excavated a 4.5' deep hole that covered an area extending 6.0' North, 5.0' South, 4.0' East, 1.0' West of this Section Corner location. At a depth of 2.2' he found a Square Topped 3/4" diameter iron rod. At a depth of 3' he found a piece of charred oak stake. The original topsoil appeared to be at a depth of 1.5'. The Square Topped 3/4" diameter iron rod and piece of charred oak stake verified the location of the 1/2" Iron Pipe. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Iron Monument was placed at the location of the 1/2" iron pipe that was found at the surface.

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTHEAST Corner of Section 19, Township 114, Range 44, 5TH P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

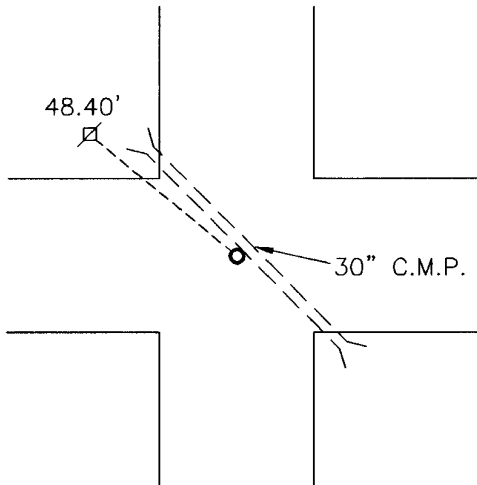
At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On 11-08-2010 found a 3/4" IRON PIPE  
DATE

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

On \_\_\_\_\_ placed a \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



Minnesota State Plane Coordinate  
System Yellow Medicine County Datum  
NAD83 (1996)

N: 148695.429  
E: 423218.620

Spike with washer in utility pole NW 48.40'

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

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*[Signature]* 1/6/11  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 43844

Land Surveyor,  Professional Engineer  
 County Surveyor,  County Engineer

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By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

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## Statement of Evidence

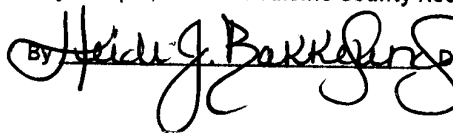
In 1871, L. Harrington did the original subdivision of the township.

On November 8, 2010, Bueltel-Moseng Land Surveying found a 3/4" iron pipe. We accepted the pipe, it is in the center of the intersection. We did not dig because there is a 30" culvert running diagonally under the intersection.

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By  Deputy

N/C

Bueltel-Moseng Land Surveying  
P.O. Box 32  
Marshall, MN 56258

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 19, Township 114, Range 44, 5TH P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

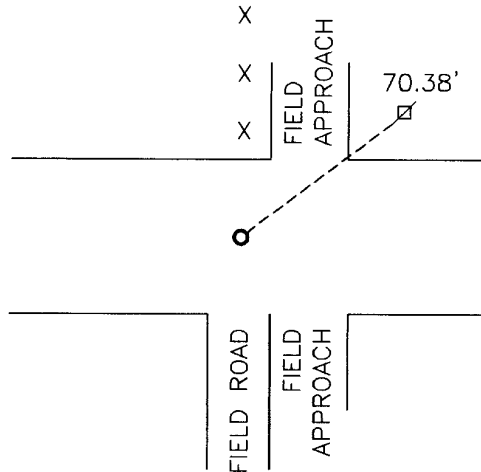
At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On \_\_\_\_\_ found a \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

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

On 11-12-2010 placed a 1" PIPE WITH SEAL #43844  
DATE

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



Minnesota State Plane Coordinate  
System Yellow Medicine County Datum  
NAD83 (1996)

Nail and survey marker in utility pole NE 70.38'

N: 148709.922  
E: 420575.509

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Statement of Evidence

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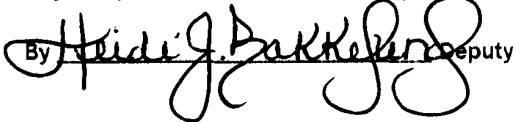
~~In 1951, MNDot found a stone 18" below road surface.~~ JLB

On November 12, 2010, Bueltel-Moseng Land Surveying dug with a backhoe and found nothing. We set a 1" pipe with seal #43844 on line and single proportionate distance between section corners. It is in line with the fence to the north.

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTHEAST Corner of Section 20, Township 114, Range 44, 5th P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

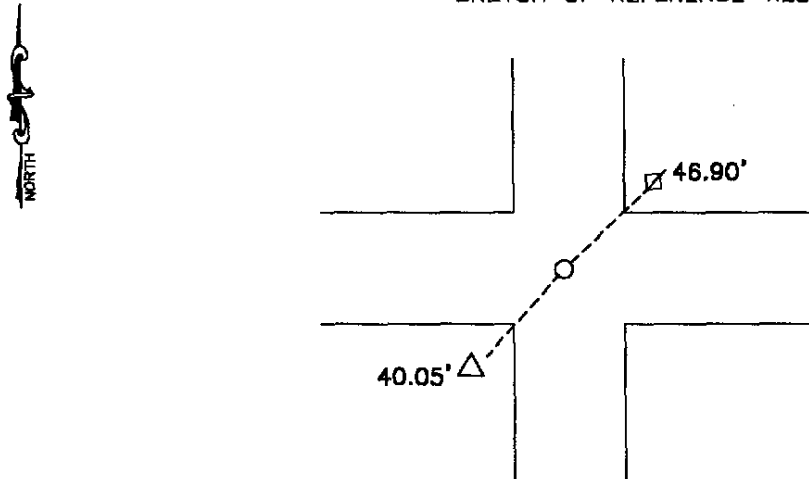
At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On April 16, 1993 found a \*\* SEE BACK \*\*  
DATE

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

On April 16, 1993 placed a 1 1/4" iron pipe w/seal #11943 at road surface above  
DATE  
granite stone

SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



Nail & seal in power pole NE 46.90'

Nail & seal in telephone post SW 40.05'

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Lyle C Mosing 2-5-96  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 11943

Land Surveyor,  Professional Engineer  
 County Surveyor,  County Engineer

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County of Yellow Medicine

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County Recorder Thomas O. ...  
By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. 213052

STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE:

April 16, 1993, Moseng Land Surveying dug with a back hoe and found a square cut granite stone 2 1/2' down. Placed an iron on top of the stone and a 1 1/4" iron pipe w/seal #11943 at the road surface.

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By Helen J. Bakkelund Deputy

N/C Daniel G. Nickols, PLS  
Minnesota Dept. of Natural Resources  
500 Lafayette Road  
St. Paul, MN 55155-4037

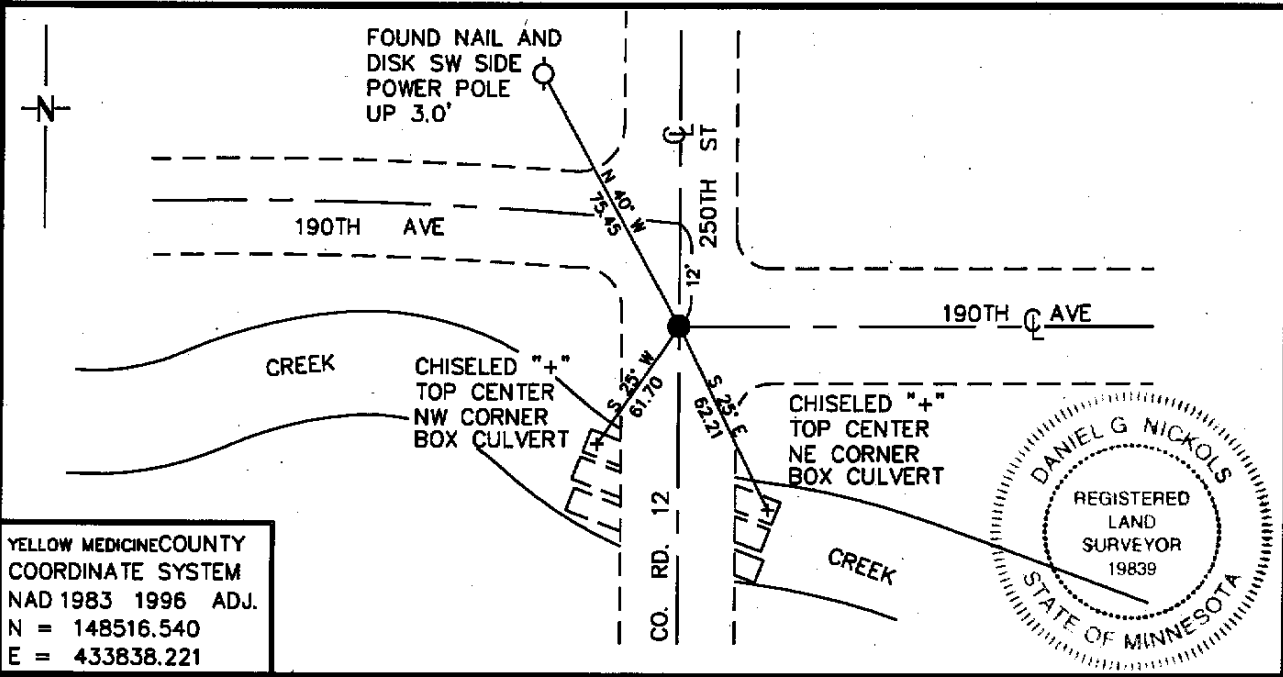
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTHEAST Corner of Section 21, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 3/25/09 found a PK NAIL AT INTERSECTION ROADS N-S AND E.  
DATE
- left monument as found,     lowered monument,     removed monument (explain)
- On \_\_\_\_\_ Placed a \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 1983 1996 ADJ.  
N = 148516.540  
E = 433838.221

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page. 07/06/09  
WMA01797.00.00.01

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE MARCH 25, 2009 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor     Professional Engineer     County Surveyor     County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the Northeast Corner of Section 21, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871 The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north on true line between Sections 21 & 22.  
At 40.00 Chains he set a post in raised mound for ¼ Section Corner;  
At 80.00 chains Set a post in raised mound for the corner to Sections 15, 16, 21 & 22. (No ties taken).

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

1901 Surveyors Record Book B, Page 187: County Surveyor John Norgaard set a 6" X 6" X 24" jasper granite monument 2" above ground. His notes state "Located at equal proportionate distances between the East ¼ post Section 21 and the Northeast Corner Section 9 and the South ¼ post Section 15 and the Southwest Corner Section 16.

1910 Large Red Surveyors Record Book, County Surveyor John Norgaard indicates setting a stone equal distance and on line between the Section Corners at the North Quarter Corner of Section 22. No mention is made concerning whether a monument was found or set at the Northeast Corner of Section 21 nor are reference ties given to it.

1909 Large Red Surveyors Record Book, County Surveyor John Norgaard indicates distance south and west of the corner but does not indicate the nature of the monument at the corner. The following ties are indicated :

Bridge SW	60'	Bridge SE	60.4'
Tele Pole SE	43.5'		

Unknown "Section Corner Tie" Book at Yellow Medicine County Highway Department does not indicate the nature of a monument but the following ties are shown

W Rail SSW	60.3'	Tele Pole SE	43.5'
E Rail SSE	60.4'		

1963 "Section Corner Tie" Book at Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicates ties to an unknown monument.  
Cor. Fence Post NW 70.9' Cor. Fence Post SE 58.2'

1993 Survey by Lyle Moseng (LS 11943) in the Northeast Quarter indicates found iron pin over granite monument. No ties are given.

2000 Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicated unknown monument on highway plan. The following ties are shown:  
Power Pole NW 75.45' X on Box SW 61.5'  
Spike in Road E 100' X on Box SE 61.8

2009 Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) located a PK nail at the centerline-centerline road intersection (N, S & E). No excavation of the site was undertaken as the found PK nail fit the 2000 ties by the highway department. We have accepted the found PK Nail as the position of the subject corner.

For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

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Kay Zempel, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Heidi J. Bakkehus Deputy

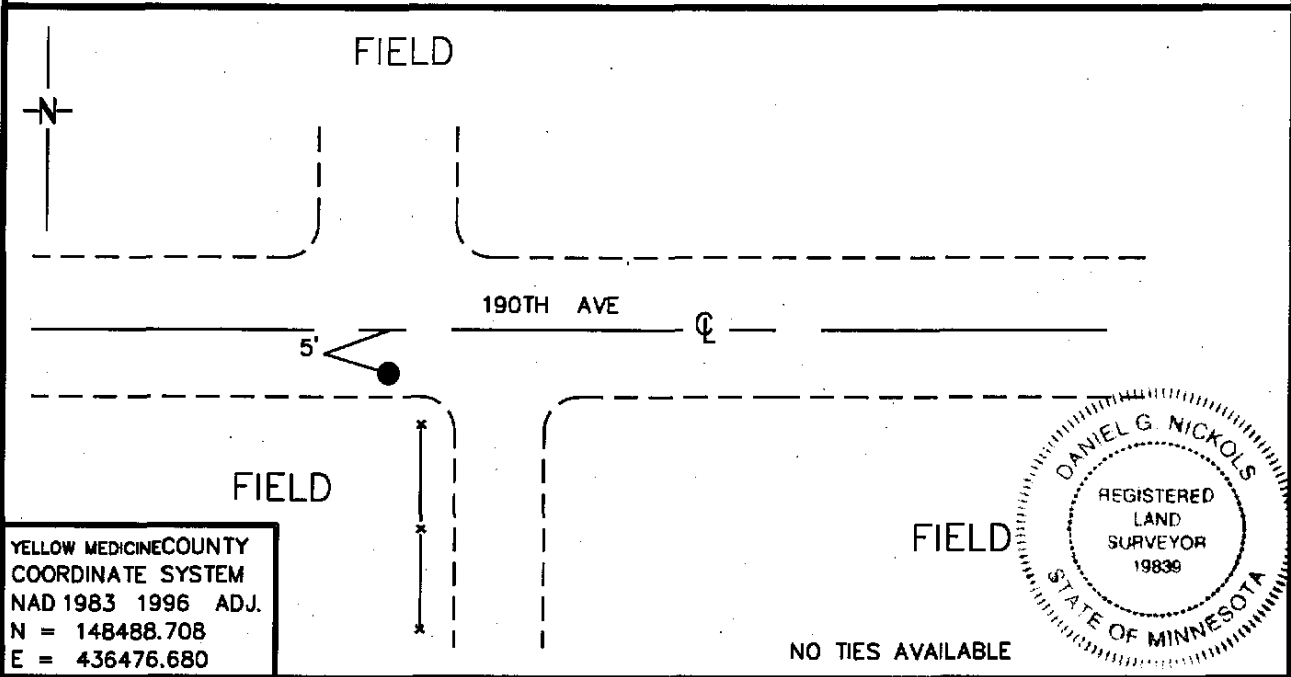
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 22, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 5/19/09 found a 8"X 8"X 15" STONE DOWN 3.2'  
DATE
- left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 5/19/09 Placed a 1/2"X 12" REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP  
DATE  
STAMPED "MN DNR LS 19839" SET, W. EDGE STONE



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 1983 1996 ADJ.  
N = 148488.708  
E = 436476.680

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page. 07/06/09 WMA01797.00.00.01

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE MAY 19, 2009 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the North Quarter Corner of Section 22, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

- 1871            The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran East on a random line between Sections 15 & 22.  
At 40.00 Chains he set a temporary post for ¼ Section Corner;  
At 79.76 Chains he intersected N & S line 19 links N of the corner to Sections 14, 15, 22 & 23. He returned along true line and  
At 39.88 Chains set post for ¼ Section and raised mound per instructions;  
At 79.76 Chains The corner to Sections 14, 15, 22 & 23. (No ties taken).

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

- 1910            Large Red County Surveyor Record Book; County Surveyor John Norgaard Set a stone on line and equal distance between Section Corners.
- 2009            Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) was unable to find any surface monument at this location. An excavation was undertaken and a 10' X 10' X 4' hole was excavated and at a depth of 3.2' and 5' south of centerline an 8" X 8" X 15" cut stone in a vertical position was found. The stone has been accepted as Norgaard's 1910 monument and a ¾" X 12' capped Rebar marked MN DNR LS 19839 was placed mark its location. The stone was left beneath the rebar.

For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

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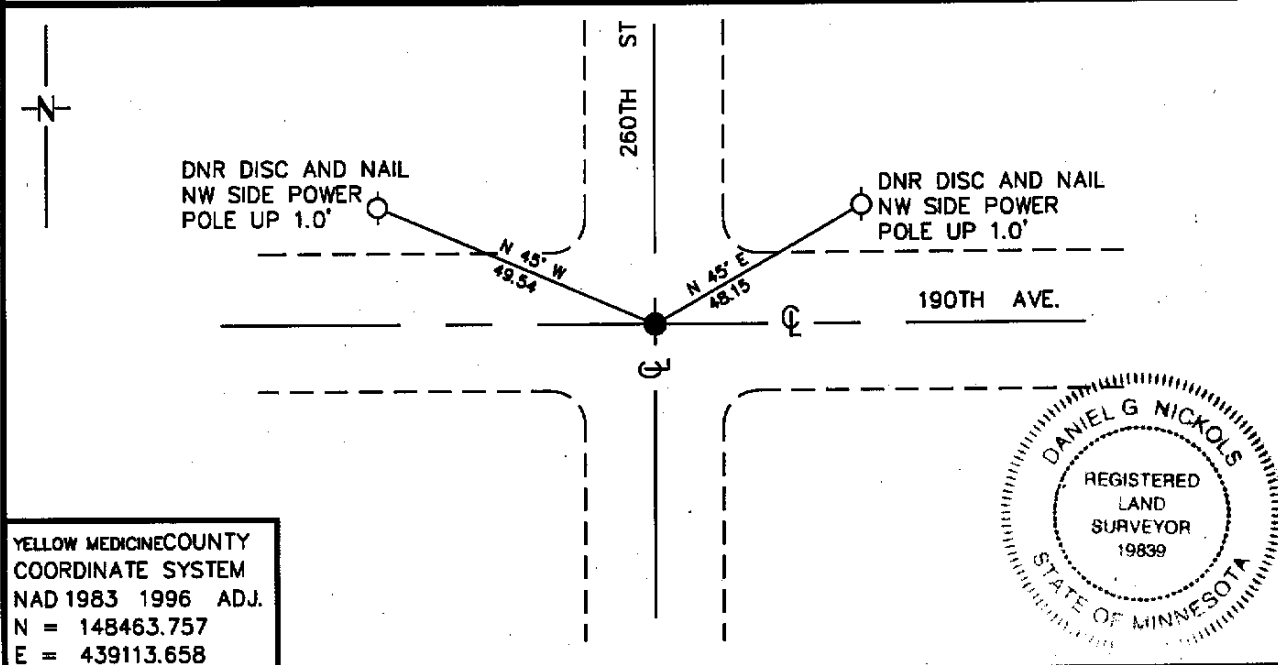
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTHEAST Corner of Section 22, Township 114, Range 44  
5 Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On \_\_\_\_\_ found a REBAR MARKED 19092  
DATE
- left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 5/19/09 Placed a 3/4" X 24 REBAR WITH PLASTIC CAP  
DATE  
STAMPED "MN DNR LS 19839" SET. DN. 0.4' REPLACING FOUND REBAR



YELLOW MEDICINE COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 1983 1996 ADJ.  
N = 148463.757  
E = 439113.658

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE MAY 19, 2009 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the Northeast Corner of Section 22, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871 The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north on true line between Sections 22 & 23.  
At 12.00 Chains he intersected a dry creek or slough;  
At 40.00 Chains he set a post in raised mound for  $\frac{1}{4}$  Section Corner;  
At 80.00 chains set a post in raised mound for the corner to Sections 14, 15, 22 & 23. (No ties taken).

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

1901 Surveyors Record Book B, Page 187: County Surveyor John Norgaard found stone and stake in Government Mound set a 6" X 6" X 24" jasper granite monument 2" above ground.

1910 Large Red Surveyors Record Book, County Surveyor John Norgaard states that he established the North Quarter Corner of Section 22 equal distance and on line between Section Corners. However no description of what was found or set at the Northeast Corner of Section 22 is given nor are ties shown.

Unknown "Section Corner Tie" Book at Yellow Medicine County Highway Department No description of a monument set is given. The following ties are shown  
4<sup>th</sup> Fence Post WSW 83.0' 1<sup>st</sup> Steel Fence Post WSW 84.5'  
3<sup>rd</sup> Fence Post SW 61.0' Corner Fence Post NE 46.8

2009 Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) found a monument marked 19092 (Marihart) at the centerline-centerline road intersection. Contacted Roy Marihart and he said that he placed monument at centerline-centerline without any other found monument. MN DNR performed an excavation of the site 8' X 8' X 3' as the record indicates that there had been a stone marking the location of the corner. No stones or other evidence of the corner could be found. We have accepted Marihart's position of the subject corner and have palce a  $\frac{3}{4}$ " X 24" Rebar capped MN DNR LS 19839.

For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

Statement of Evidence for the North Quarter Corner of Section 15, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1874           The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran east on random line between Sections 15 & 22. At 40.00 Chains he set a temporary a quarter section post. At 79.76 chains Intersect N & S line 19 links North of the corner to Secs 14, 15, 22 & 23 from which he ran N 89-52 W on true line. At 39.88 Chains Set post in mound with pits for ¼ Sec Cor. (No ties taken).

At 79.76 Chains The Corner to Sections 14, 15, 22 & 23.

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument nor accessories were found during our survey.

1994           Highway plans obtained from Yellow Medicine County Highway Department indicate an unidentified monument at this location

2009           Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) was unable to find any monument at this location. An excavation was not undertaken as this is an area of substantial fill due to the proximity of creek and there being no historic monuments in the record after the original survey. The corner was established on the centerline of the road and at proportional distance shown on the highway plan.

For more information concerning this survey contact Minnesota Department of Natural Resources.

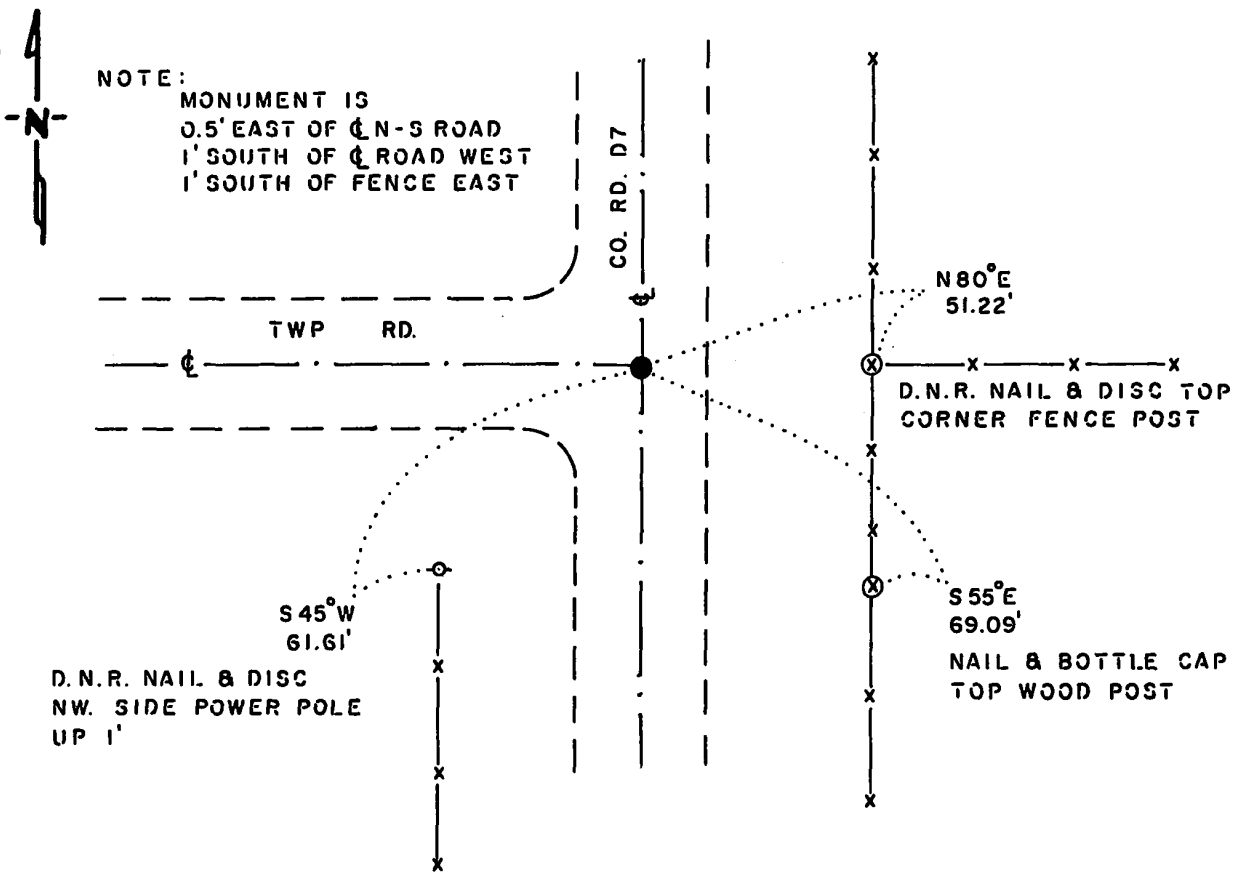
# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**NORTHEAST** Corner of Section 23, Township 114 N., Range 44 W., 5th. P.M.  
 STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 4-7-86 found a 10"x10"x11" FIELD STONE, DOWN 26"  
DATE
- left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 4-7-86 placed a 1 1/4"x 1 1/4"x 20" PERFORATED STEEL TUBE WITH  
DATE  
ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED "D.N.R. SURVEY MARKER" OVER STONE, DOWN 0.4'

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



### BEARINGS OBSERVED WITH COMPASS

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J.B.M. 4-14-86  
G-651

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Bruce W. Sheppard 4-28-86  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 17003

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County Recorder Norman J. Opdahl

By Kay Nordahl, Deputy

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Northeast Corner Section 23, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1871. The government notes show:

set post and raised mound as per instructions

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:

Surveyor's Record B, introductory page and Page 187 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1901. Survey states that a stake was found in the government mound and a 6" by 6" by 24" jasper granite was set 3 inches above the ground in its place.

Surveyor's Plat Book on Page 184 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1904. Survey shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:

2693 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 24

2640 feet from the east quarter corner of Section 14

Surveyor's Plat Book on Page 376 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1916. Survey shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:

2635 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 24

The following information was obtained from the Highway Engineer's Office:

Section Corner Book, date not indicate, shows corner but does not state what was found or set. The following ties are shown to corner:

third fence post, southwest, 79.5 feet

third fence post, east, 46.7 feet

fence post, west-southwest, 85.9 feet

corner fence post, northwest, 69.9 feet

guard rail, north, 29.9 feet

third fence post, northwest, 77.9 feet

corner of bridge post, southeast, 38.8 feet

corner of bridge post, southwest, 39.3 feet

fence post, south-southwest, 64.0 feet

fence post, south-southeast, 80.8 feet

Section Corner Book, dated 1961, shows that a monument was found at corner 1.5 feet below the road surface. The following ties are shown to corner:

fence post, northwest, 58.0 feet

power pole, southwest, 62.0 feet

fence post, southeast, 69.7 feet

On April 7, 1986, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and found a bridge spike down 0.5 of a foot over a 10" by 1)" by 11" field stone down 26 inches at natural ground. Searched for and found record ties as shown on sketch of ties. The field stone was found to be:

2640.94 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 24

Accept the field stone as the location of the corner. Discarded the bridge spike.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.  
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

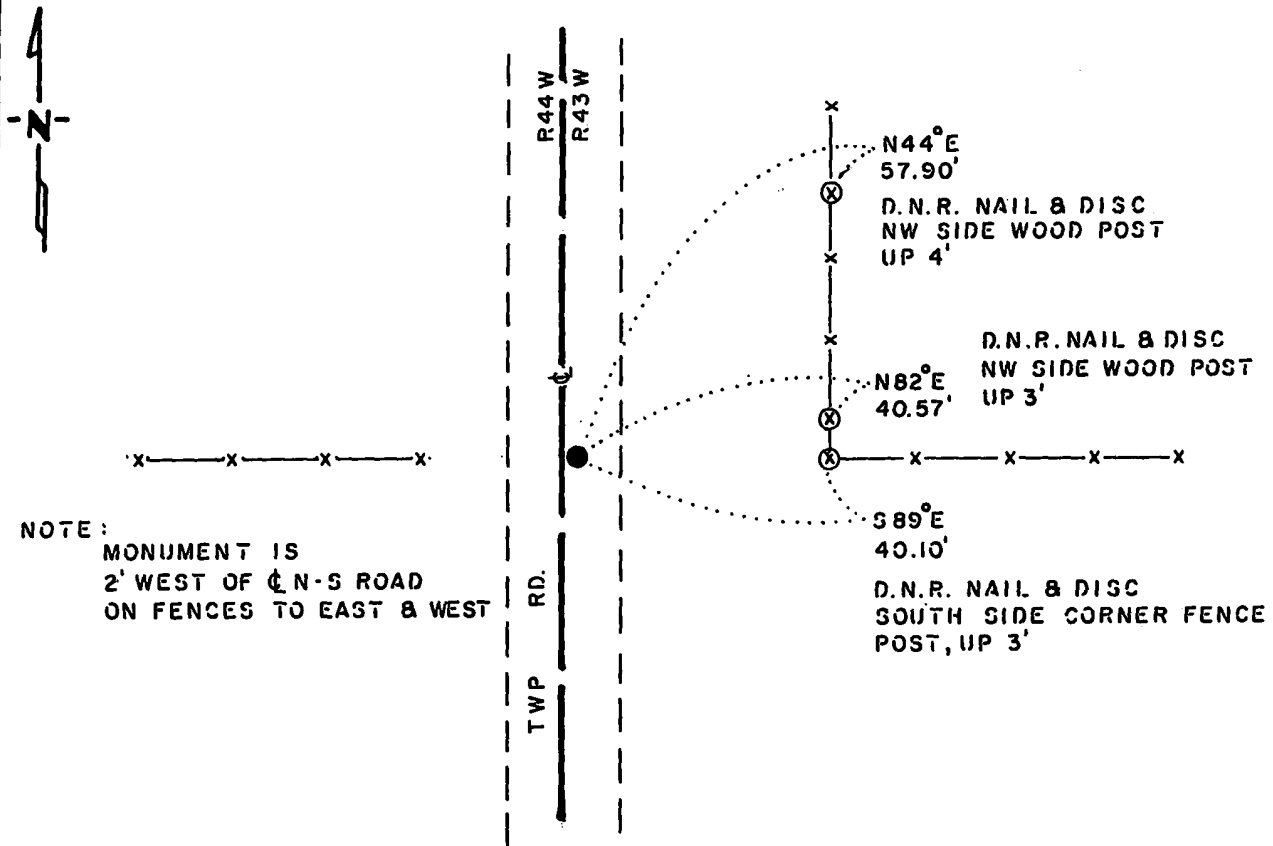
EAST QUARTER Corner of Section 24, Township 114 N., Range 44 W., 5<sup>th</sup> P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 6-30-83 found a 6"x11"x14" FIELD STONE WITH PIECES OF 1"x4" WOOD BESIDE STONE, DOWN 17"  
DATE
  - left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 6-30-83 placed a 1 1/4"x1 1/4"x12" PERFORATED STEEL TUBE WITH ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED "D.N.R. SURVEY MARKER", OVER STONE  
DATE

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



NOTE:  
 MONUMENT IS  
 2' WEST OF  $\odot$  N-S ROAD  
 ON FENCES TO EAST & WEST

### BEARINGS OBSERVED WITH COMPASS

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J. B. M. 1-28-86  
 G-651

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Bruce W. Sheppard 4-28-86  
SURVEYOR DATE

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- County Surveyor,  County Engineer

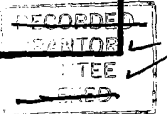
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By Kay Nerdahl, Deputy

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East Quarter Corner Section 24, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1858. The government notes show:

set post, deposited coal, made mound with trench and pits as per instructions

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:

Surveyor's Book B, introductory page, Pages 37, 39 and 183 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1901. Survey shows that a post was found at corner:

2637 feet from the northeast corner of Section 24

2635 feet from the southeast corner of Section 24

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 190 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1905. Survey shows corner as a stake in the government mound.

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 376 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1916. Survey shows that the government mound was found at corner. The corner is shown:

2637 feet from the northeast corner of Section 24

2635 feet from the southeast corner of Section 24

The following information was obtained from the DNR Bureau of Engineering's Records:

In 1969, corner was established in line with fences east and west and on a line from the northeast corner of Section 24 to the southeast corner of Section 24. A railroad spike was set to mark this location.

The corner is shown:

2638.50 feet from the northeast corner of Section 24

2625.91 feet from the southeast corner of Section 24

In 1973, the railroad spike that was set in 1969 was found at corner, 2626.04 feet from the southeast corner of Section 24.

On June 30, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and found the railroad spike set in 1969.

On June 30, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering hired a backhoe operated by Larry Giese, of Porter to dig for evidence of this corner. A 6" by 11" by 14" field stone with pieces of a 1" by 4" wooden board beside it were found down 17 inches. The field stone was found to be:

2.14 feet north and 1.05 feet east of the railroad spike

2640.38 feet from the northeast corner of Section 24

2630.06 feet from the southeast corner of Section 24

1.28 feet east of a line between adjoining section corners

Accept the field stone as the location of the corner.

A 1" inside diameter by 12" iron pipe was set on the west side of the stone flush with the top. The railroad spike was replaced with a nail.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.

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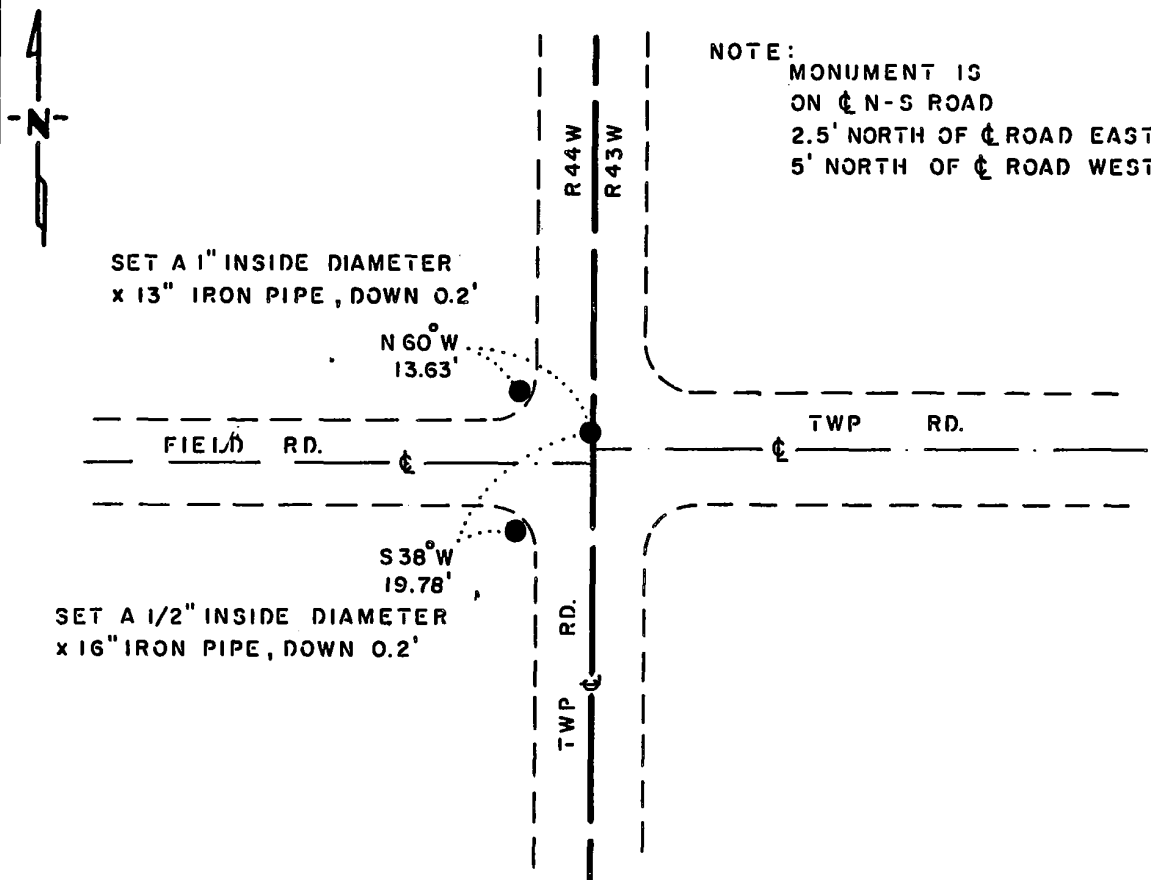
# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTHEAST Corner of Section 24, Township 114 N., Range 44 W., 5th. P.M.  
STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 6-30-83 found a 6"x6" CUT GRANITE STONE WITH WOOD  
RESIDE IT, DOWN 20"  
 left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 6-30-83 placed a 1 1/4" x 1 1/4" x 16" PERFORATED STEEL TUBE WITH  
ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED "D.N.R. SURVEY MARKER" OVER STONE, DOWN 0.3'

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



BEARINGS OBSERVED WITH COMPASS

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J. B. M. 1-28-86  
3-651

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Bruce W. Sheppard 4-28-86  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 17003

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County of Yellow Medicine

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County Recorder Norman J. Opdahl

By Kay Nordahl Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. 188279

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Northeast Corner Section 24, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1858. The government notes show:  
set post, deposited coal, made mound with trench and pits as per instructions

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:

Surveyor's Book B, introductory page, Page 37 and Page 39 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1901. Survey shows that a 6" by 6" by 24" jasper granite was set at corner:  
2637 feet from the east quarter corner of Section 24  
5273 feet from the northeast corner of Section 13

Surveyor's Book B, introductory page, Page 177 and Page 183 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1901. Survey states "found stone and part of the government stake, set top of a 6" by 6" by 24" jasper granite 2 inches above ground."

Surveyor's Plat Book on Page 184 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1904. Survey shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:  
2642.5 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 24  
5288 feet from the northeast corner of Section 13

Surveyor's Plat Book, Pages 190 and 191 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1905. Survey shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:  
2612 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 19

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 376 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1916. Survey shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:  
2622 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 24  
2637 feet from the east quarter corner of Section 24

The following information was obtained from the DNR Bureau of Engineering's Records:

In 1969, corner was assumed at the intersection of the center lines of roads north, south and east. A railroad spike was set to mark this location and the following ties were taken:  
nail and bottle cap, corner fence post, northeast, 46.82 feet  
chiseled hole in 3 foot boulder, northwest, 37.90 feet  
top center, 1" by 2" hub, southwest, 15.05 feet

In 1973, the railroad spike that was set in 1969 was found and used as the corner.

On June 30, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and found the railroad spike set in 1969. Searched for but did not find any record ties.

On June 30, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering hired a backhoe operated by Larry Giese, of Porter to dig for evidence of this corner. A 5" by 5" by 7" field stone was found down 5 inches over a 9" by 10" by 8" field stone down 12 inches over a 6" by 6" cut granite stone with wood beside it down 20 inches at natural ground. The granite stone was found to be:  
3.32 feet north and 0.66 of a foot west of the railroad spike  
2614.19 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 19  
2640.38 feet from the east quarter corner of Section 24

Accept the granite stone as the location of the corner.

A DNR Survey Marker was set over the granite stone and the field stones were placed around it. The railroad spike was replaced with a nail.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

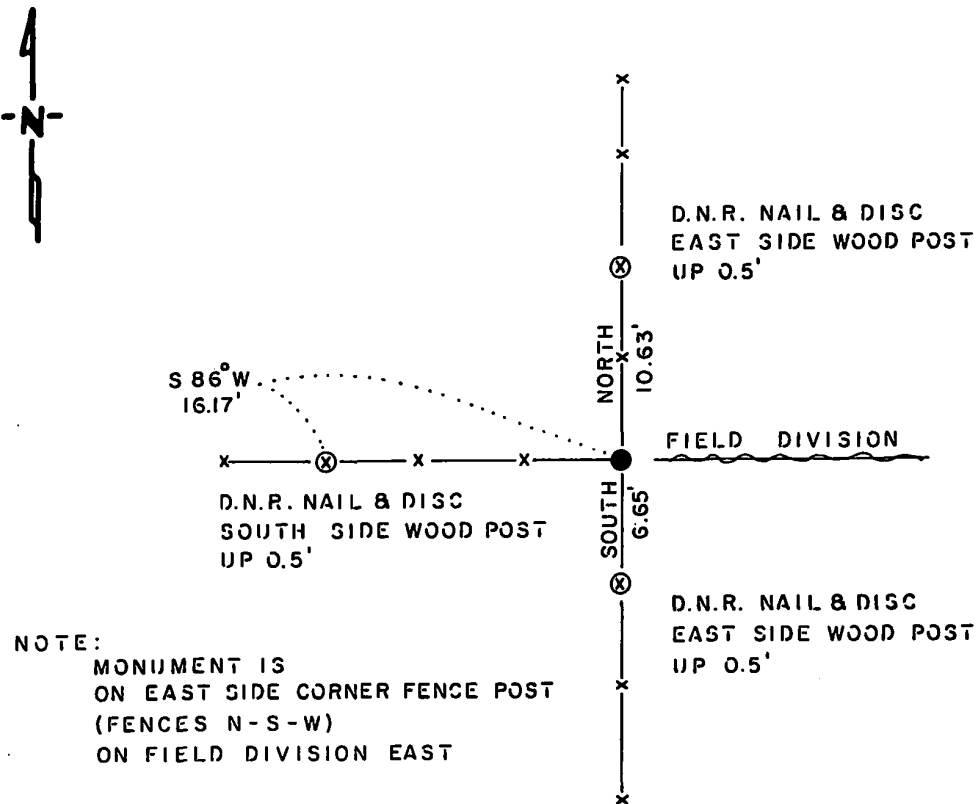
NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 24, Township 114 N., Range 44 W., 5th. P.M.

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 4-7-86 placed a 1 1/4" x 1 1/4" x 20" PERFORATED STEEL TUBE WITH  
DATE ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED "D.N.R. SURVEY MARKER," UP 0.1'

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



NOTE:  
MONUMENT IS  
ON EAST SIDE CORNER FENCE POST  
(FENCES N-S-W)  
ON FIELD DIVISION EAST

### BEARINGS OBSERVED WITH COMPASS

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

J. B. M. 4-15-86  
9-651

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

Bruce W. Sheppard 4-28-86  
DATE

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

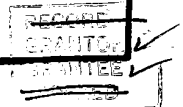
### OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER

County of Yellow Medicine

I hereby certify that this document was filed in the Co. Recorders office at 9:40 A.M. on the 1 day of May A.D. 1986

County Recorder Norman J. Opdahl

By Kay Nerdahl, Deputy  
DOCUMENT NO. 188278



North Quarter Corner Section 24, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1871. The government notes show:  
set post and raised mound as per instructions

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:  
Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 184 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1904. Survey shows that corner was established on line and proportionately between section corners. An iron bolt was set to mark corner. The corner is shown:  
2642.5 feet from the northeast corner of Section 24  
2693 feet from the northwest corner of Section 24

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 225 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1910. Survey states that a stake was found at corner which was approved by Norgaard 11 years ago. No other information is given about corner.

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 376 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1916. Survey states "used fence lines running north and south as now set several years ago where I found government corner." The corner is shown:  
2622 feet from the northeast corner of Section 24  
2635 feet from the northwest corner of Section 24

On July 6, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and set a temporary point next to a corner fence post with fences north, south and west and a field division east. Scanned the area with an electronic metal locator but no metal attraction was obtained. Also, searched the area for a stone monument and again found nothing. The temporary point was found to be:

2623.17 feet from the northeast corner of Section 24  
2640.94 feet from the northwest corner of Section 24  
1.83 feet south and 8.85 feet east of the lost position

Accept the temporary point as the location of the corner.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.

278hab/missul



Northeast Corner Section 25, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1858. The government notes show:

set post, deposited coal, made mound with trench and pits as per instructions

In 1867, the U. S. General Land Office survey found a mound 4 inches high, pits 2 inches deep and a slight appearance of a trench at corner. The corner is shown:

160 chains (10560 feet) from the southeast corner of Section 36

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:

Surveyor's Book B, introductory page, Pages 37, 39, 177 and 183 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1901. Survey shows that a 6" by 6" by 24" jasper granite was set at corner 3 inches above the ground, on line and equal distance between the east quarter corner of Section 24 and the east quarter corner of Section 25. A distance of 2635 feet is shown to the quarter corner.

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 376 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1916. Survey shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:

2635 feet from the east quarter corner of Section 24  
2612 from the north quarter corner of Section 25

The following information was obtained from the DNR Bureau of Engineering's Records:

In 1969, corner was assumed at the intersection of the center lines of roads north, south, east and west. A railroad spike was set to mark this location and the following ties were taken:

nail and bottle cap northwest side telephone pole, southwest, 50.55 feet  
nail and bottle cap southwest side power pole, northwest, 59.32 feet  
nail and bottle cap top west end north headwall of box culvert, north-northwest, 14.89 feet  
nail and bottle cap top west end south headwall of box culvert, south-southwest, 13.88 feet

In 1973, the railroad spike that was set in 1969 was found at the corner. The railroad spike was replaced with a 24 inch long iron rod and the following ties were taken:

"X" top center concrete culvert, northeast, 26.50 feet  
"X" top center concrete culvert, southeast, 30.55 feet  
"X" top center concrete culvert, southwest, 26.00 feet  
hole top center concrete culvert, northwest, 27.75 feet

On June 29, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and found a 3/8 inch by 25 inch iron rod flush with the road surface, 2 feet south of the center line of an east-west road and 1 foot west of the center line of a north-south road. The iron rod was removed and a hole 12 inches in diameter was dug to a depth of 26 inches where a large concrete culvert was encountered. No other monument was found. Searched for and found record ties as shown on sketch of ties. The iron rod was found to be:

2630.06 feet from the east quarter corner of Section 24  
2640.06 feet from the east quarter corner of Section 25  
2616.62 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 25  
2579.52 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 30  
4.93 feet north and 15.20 feet west of the computed lost position

Did not dig for a monument at the lost position because large reinforced concrete pipes have been installed under road.

Accept the iron rod as the location of the corner.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.

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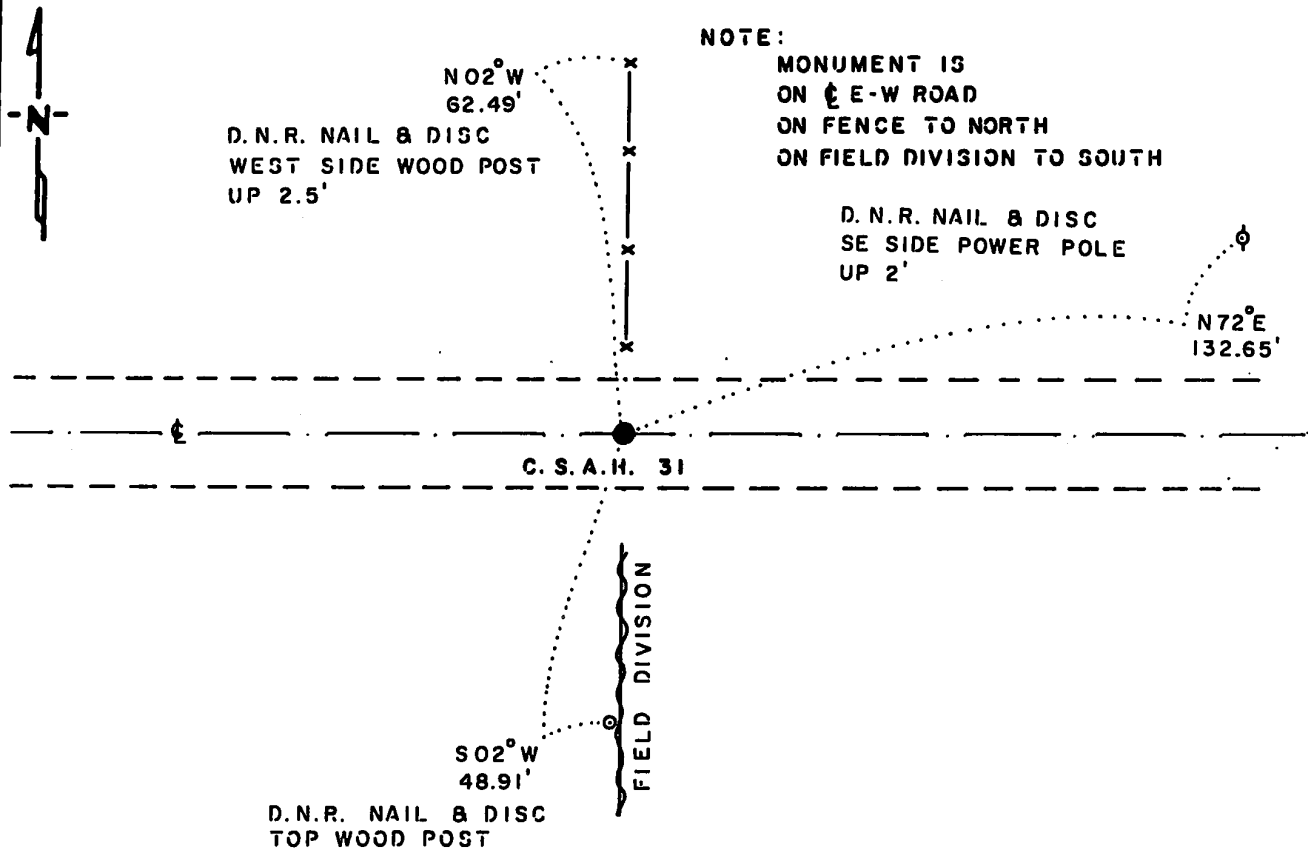
NORTH QUARTER Corner of Section 25, Township 114 N., Range 44 W., 5th. P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 6-29-83 found a 3/8" x 24" IRON ROD, DOWN 0.2'  
DATE
- left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 3-3-86 placed a 1 1/4" x 1 1/4" x 20" PERFORATED STEEL TUBE WITH  
DATE  
ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED "D.N.R. SURVEY MARKER", DOWN 0.4'

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



**NOTE:**  
 MONUMENT IS  
 ON E E-W ROAD  
 ON FENCE TO NORTH  
 ON FIELD DIVISION TO SOUTH

BEARINGS OBSERVED WITH COMPASS

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

J. B. M. 4-14-86  
9-651

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

Bruce W. Sheppard 4-28-86  
SURVEYOR DATE

Registration No. 17003

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

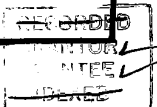
**OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER**  
 County of Yellow Medicine

I hereby certify that this document was filed in the Co. Recorders office at 10:00 A.M. on the 1 day of May A.D., 19 86

County Recorder Norman J. Opdahl

By Kay Nordahl, Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. 188282



North Quarter Corner Section 25, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1871. The government notes show:

set post and raised mound as per instructions

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 376 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1916. Survey shows that government mound was found at corner:

2612 feet from the northeast corner of Section 25

2638 feet from the northeast corner of Section 26

The following information was obtained from the DNR Bureau of Engineering's Records:

In 1973, corner was established on the center line of an east-west road, in line with a fence north, and on a line from the northeast corner of Section 25 to the northeast corner of Section 26. A 3/8" by 24" iron rod was set to mark this location. The following ties are shown to corner:

notch, top east end corrugated metal culvert, north-northwest, 40.87 feet

notch, top west end corrugated metal culvert, northwest, 53.36 feet

2616.50 feet from the northeast corner of Section 25

2641.24 feet from the northeast corner of Section 26

On June 30, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and found a 3/8" by 24" iron rod on the center line of an east-west road, in line with a fence north and in line with a vague field division south.

On June 29, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering hired a backhoe operated by Larry Giese, of Porter to dig for evidence of this corner. Dug a hole 10 feet north-south by 12 feet east-west by 36 inches deep the center being on the center line of east-west road and fence north. Natural ground was encountered down 27 inches. No other monument was found. The iron rod was found to be:

2616.62 feet from the northeast corner of Section 25

2640.74 feet from the northeast corner of Section 26

on line between adjoining section corners

Accept the iron rod as the location of the corner.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.

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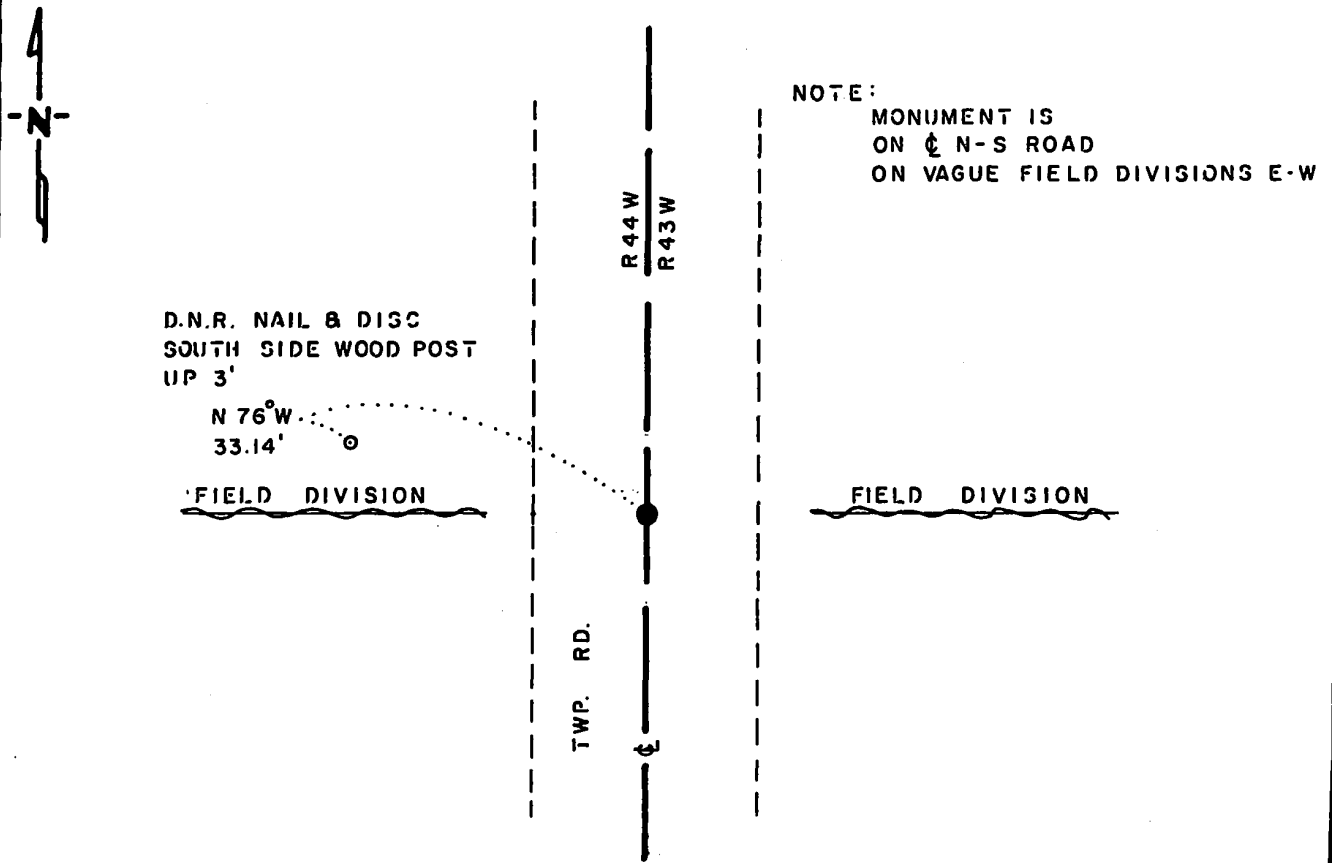
# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

EAST QUARTER Corner of Section 25, Township 114 N., Range 44 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 3-3-86 placed a 1 1/4" x 1 1/4" x 20" PERFORATED STEEL TUBE WITH  
DATE  
ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED "D.N.R. SURVEY MARKER", DOWN 0.3'

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



BEARING OBSERVED WITH COMPASS

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

J. B. M. 4-14-86  
6-651

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

Bruce W. Shupard 4-28-86  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 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 9:55 A.M. on the 1 day of May A.D., 1986

County Recorder Norman J. Opdahl

By Kay Nordahl, Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. 188281

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 GRANTEE  
 INDEXED

East Quarter Corner Section 25, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1858. The government notes show:

set post, deposited coal, made mound with trench and pits as per instructions

This corner was reestablished by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1867. Survey shows that corner was set:

40 chains (2640 feet) from the northeast corner of Section 25

120 chains (7920 feet) from the southeast corner of Section 36

A boulder in a mound with pits were set to mark corner.

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:

Surveyor's Book B, introductory page, Page 37, 39, 177 and 183 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1901. Survey shows that a post was found at corner 2635 feet from the northeast corner of Section 25.

On June 6, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and set a temporary point on the center line of a north-south road in line with field divisions east and west. Scanned the area with an electronic metal locator but no metal attraction was obtained.

On November 18, 1985, the DNR Bureau of Engineering hired a backhoe owned by Yackley Digging of Canby to dig for evidence of this corner. Dug a hole 12 feet north-south by 12 feet east-west by 24 inches deep the center being 2 feet west of the temporary point. Natural ground was encountered down 12 inches. No monument was found. The temporary point was found to be:

2640.06 feet from the northeast corner of Section 25

Accept the temporary point as the location of the corner.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

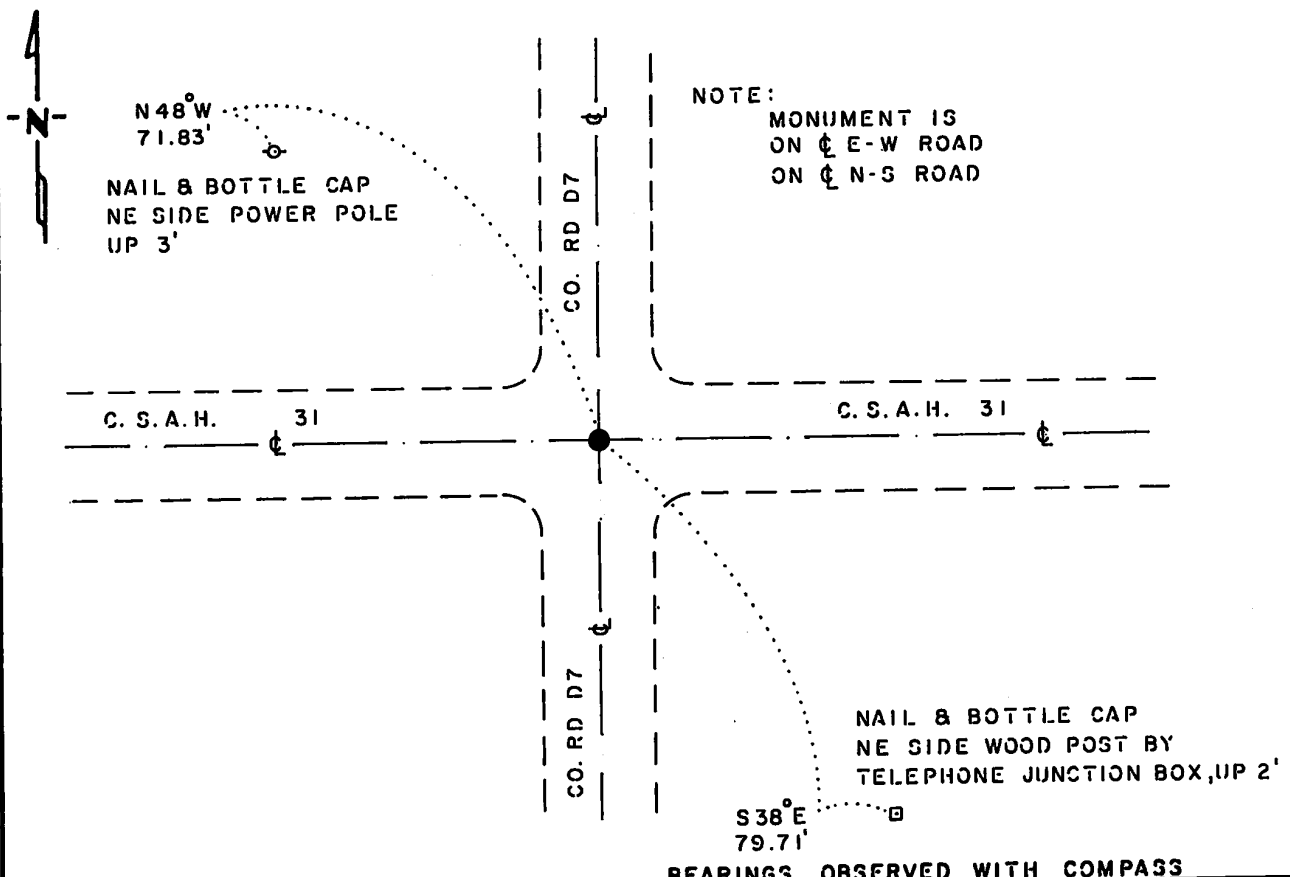
NORTHEAST Corner of Section 26, Township 114 N., Range 44 W., 5<sup>th</sup> P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of YELLOW MEDICINE

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 6-30-83 found a 1" x 30" IRON ROD OVER A 6" x 6" CUT GRANITE  
DATE  
STONE, DOWN 46"  
 left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 6-30-83 placed a 1 1/4" x 1 1/4" x 20" PERFORATED STEEL TUBE WITH  
DATE  
ALUMINUM CAP STAMPED "D.N.R. SURVEY MARKER, OVER STONE, DOWN 0.4'

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



Statement of evidence relative to this corner location is on back of page. J. B. M. 1-28-86  
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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. Shopp 4-28-86  
SURVEYOR DATE

Registration No. 17003

Land Surveyor,  Professional Engineer  
 County Surveyor,  County Engineer

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER  
 County of Yellow Medicine

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County Recorder Norman J. Opdahl

By Kay Nordahl, Deputy  
 DOCUMENT NO. 188284



Northeast Corner Section 26, Township 114 North, Range 44 West

This corner was originally established by the U. S. General Land Office survey in 1871. The government notes show:

set post and raised mound as per instructions and for witness drove charred stake as usual

In June 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering contacted the Yellow Medicine County Offices of the Recorder and Highway Engineer for corner information.

The following information was obtained from the Recorder's Office:

Surveyor's Book B, introductory page, and Page 189 contain a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1901. Survey states "found stone and stake in the government mound, set top of a 6" by 6" by 24" jasper granite level with ground."

Surveyor's Plat Book, on Page 376 contains a survey by John Norgaard, County Surveyor, in 1916. Survey shows corner but does not indicate what was found or set. The corner is shown:

2638 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 25

The following information was obtained from the Highway Engineer's Office: Section Corner Book, date not indicated, shows corner but does not state what was found or set. The following ties are shown to corner:

fence post, west-southwest, 62.9 feet  
fence post, west-southwest, 86.4 feet  
fence post, east-northeast, 70.2 feet

fifth fence post, south-southwest, 92.3 feet  
fourth fence post, north-northwest, 78.7 feet  
third fence post, northeast, 81.1 feet  
third fence post, northeast, 82.1 feet  
second fence post, southeast, 108.2 feet  
telephone pole, northwest, 116.6 feet

The following information was obtained from the DNR Bureau of Engineering's Records:

In 1973, corner was assumed at the intersection of the center lines of roads north, south, east and west. A 3/8 inch by 24 inch iron rod was set to mark this location.

On June 30, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering traversed to the area of the corner and found a 1 inch by 30 inch iron rod at the intersection of the center lines of roads north, south, east and west.

On June 30, 1983, the DNR Bureau of Engineering hired a backhoe operated by Larry Giese, of Porter to dig for evidence of this corner. A 6" by 6" cut granite stone was found down 46 inches at natural ground under iron rod. A 1/2 inch inside diameter by 20 inch iron pipe was set on the west side of stone, flush with the top and the iron rod was discarded. The granite stone was found to be:

2640.74 feet from the north quarter corner of Section 25

Accept the granite stone as the location of the corner.

Traverse information is available from the DNR Bureau of Engineering.

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Property & Public Services  
Property Records Division  
Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
I hereby certify that the within instrument  
was filed on May 3, 2013 at 10:15 AM

N/C  
BONNEMA SURVEYS INC  
PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYING  
1809 22ND STREET SW, SUITE 104  
WILLMAR, MN 56201

Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Debra Blood Deputy

### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

North Quarter Corner of Section 29, Township 114, Range 44

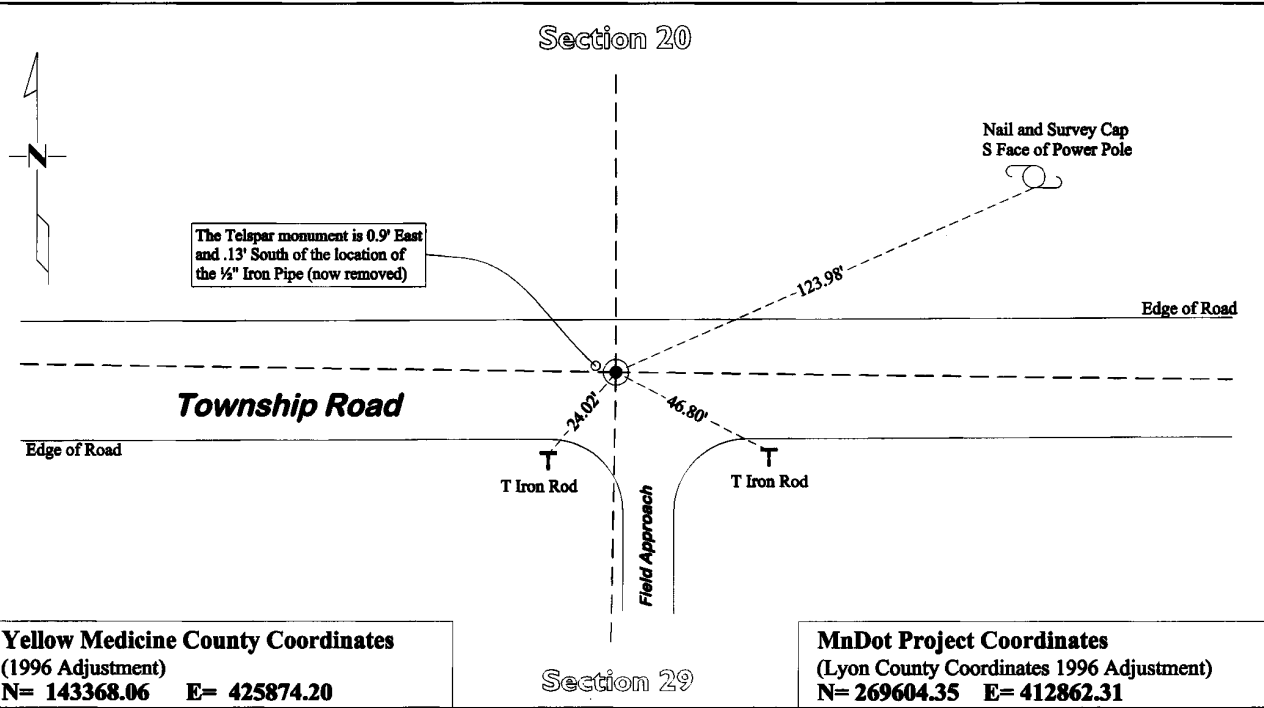
Fifth Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 30, 2012 found a 1/2" Iron Pipe 0.2' Below Road Surface  
DATE

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Jan. 11, 2013 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Telspar Monument 0.9' East and 0.13' South  
DATE  
of the 1/2" iron pipe location



Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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

Signature [Signature]  
Date May 1, 2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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## **North Quarter Corner Section 29, T114N-R44W**

1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for ¼ sec cor raised mound as per instructions."

March 22 - Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor for the United States Fish and  
April 29, 2010 Wildlife Service, while performing work in the SE ¼ of section 20, records in his field notes that he set a ½" x 16" iron pipe down 3" and dimensions to the NE and NW corners of this Section. He further notes on his section breakdown sheet that he set his monument by "single proportion fits land use S-ly Vague field line" and established 2 section corner witness ties.

July 30, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, found a ½" x 16" Iron Pipe at the corner position. With the aid of a MnDOT backhoe he excavated a 4.3' deep hole that covered an area extending 2.0' North, 4.0' South, 16.0' East, 3.0' West of this Section corner location. At a depth of 2.8' he found the top of original top soil. There is no record evidence as to the location of this corner prior to Kratz's work in 2010. Bonnema also excavated the Northwest and Northeast corners of this Section, as part of his work for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, and found 7"x7" Jasper stones set by John Norgaard sometime between 1889-1901 at each of these corner locations. The stone at the Northeast corner was found at a position that differed from the position Kratz used for his survey in 2010, which would move the lost position for the North quarter corner 0.9' East and 0.13' South of the Iron Pipe he set. A large excavation was done at this corner position and no evidence of the Original Government Land Survey corner could be found. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Iron Monument was placed at the lost location, on a straight line and equal distance between the Northwest and Northeast corners of this Section. This corner position is 0.9' East and 0.13' South of the Gary Kratz ½" Iron Pipe location set at the surface in 2010.

Property & Public Services  
Property Records Division  
Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
I hereby certify that the within instrument  
was filed on April 30, 2013 at 10:00 AM

Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Debra Blood Deputy

N/C  
BONNEMA SURVEYS INC  
PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYING  
1809 22ND STREET SW, SUITE 104  
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### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**East Quarter** Corner of Section **29**, Township **114**, Range **44**

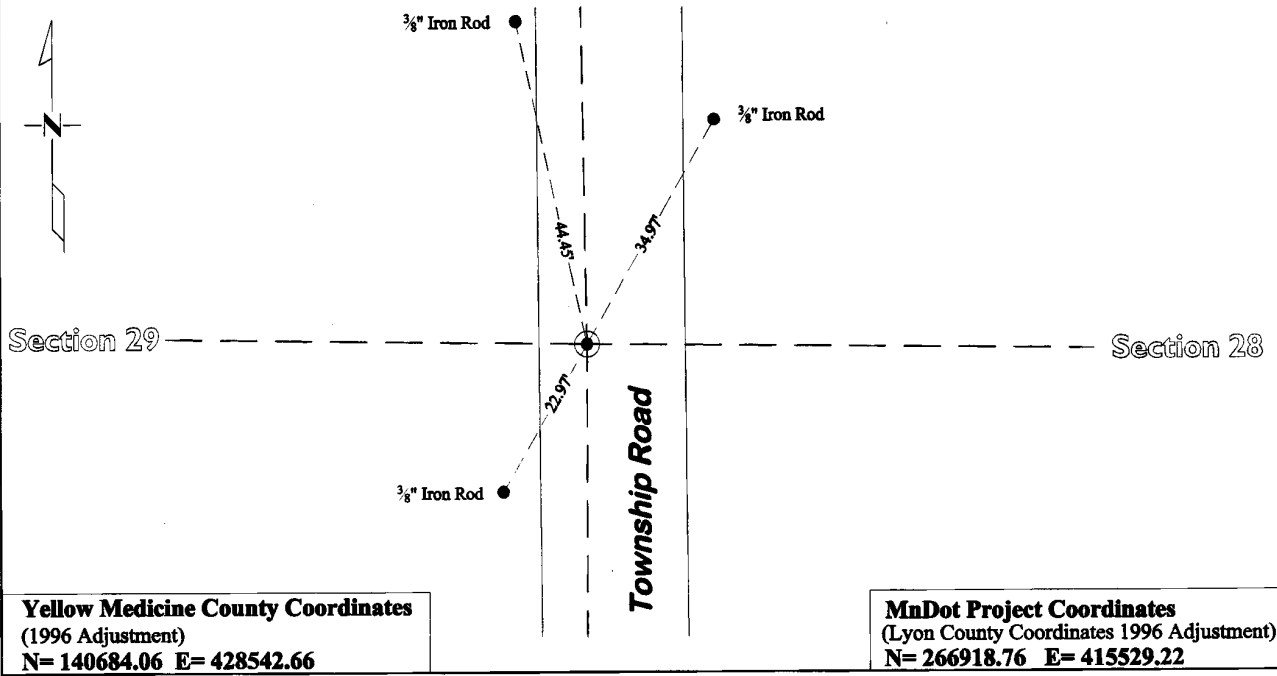
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 17, 2012 found a 7"x10"x14" Stone with small traces of wood on side of stone at a depth  
DATE of 1.5' below surface

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 7, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Telspar Monument at the location of the  
DATE 7" x 10" x 14" Stone



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
(1996 Adjustment)  
N= 140684.06 E= 428542.66

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
(Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
N= 266918.76 E= 415529.22

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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

Signature [Signature]  
Date 4/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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## **East Quarter Corner Section 29, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes "Set a post for  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec cor and raised mound as per instructions."
- July 11, 1910 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, Pg 220 "Set a stone on line and equal distance between Section Corners" Norgaard does not indicate any description of the "Stone" that he set.
- July 17, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, dug a 3' deep hole that covered an area extending 10.0' North, 4.0' South, 5.0' East, and 3.0' West of this section corner position. A 7"x10"x14" Granite stone with small traces of wood alongside was found in the original topsoil at a depth of 1.7 feet below the surface. The stone had been tipped on its side. Apparently this stone is the stone set by Norgaard in 1910. A large area was excavated around Norgaard's "on-line and equal distance" position and this was the only stone we uncovered. The stone had a pointed end, which is typical of a stone used to mark a section corner location. A Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at the location of the 7"x10"x14" stone.

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By Debra Blood Deputy

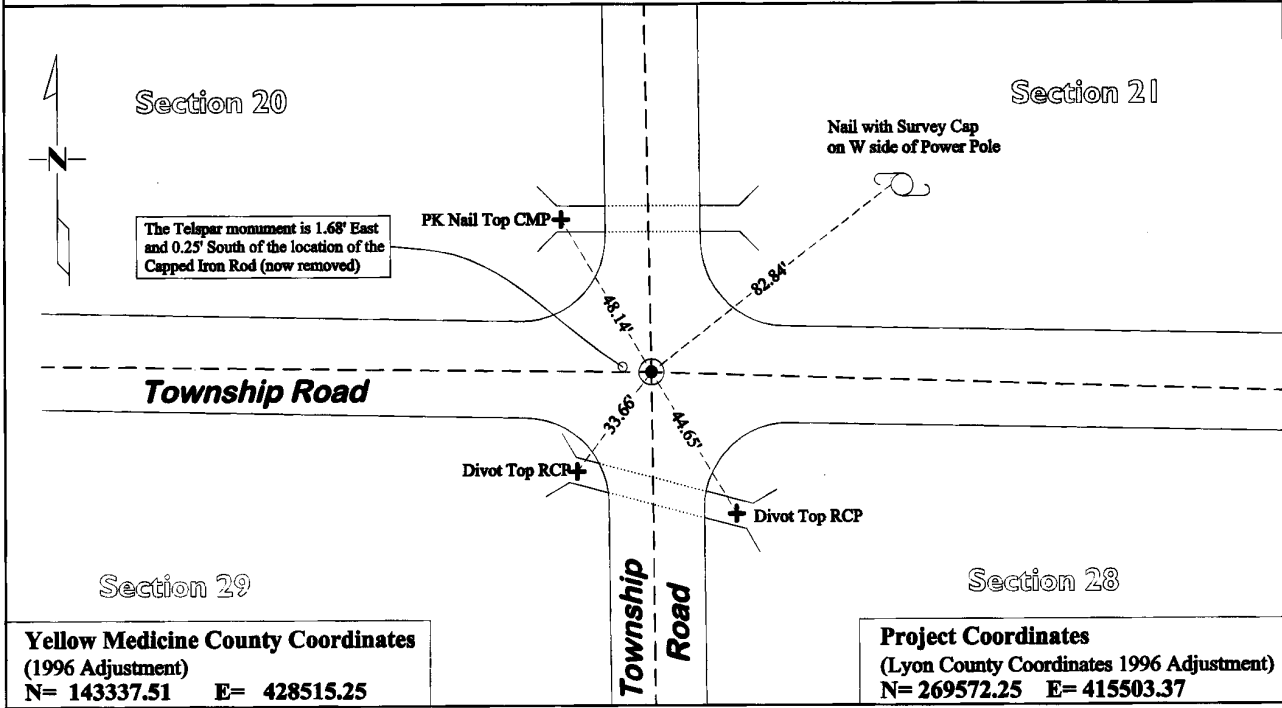
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## CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**Northeast** Corner of Section 29, Township 114, Range 44  
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On July 16, 2012 found a Capped Iron Rod 0.2' Below Road Surface RLS# 19092 with 7" by 7" Quarried Jasper Stone at a depth of 4.2' Below Surface and Charred Wood Stake Next to Stone  
DATE
- left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)
- On Aug. 7, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Telspar Monument at the location of the found 7" x 7" Jasper Stone  
DATE



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
 (1996 Adjustment)  
 N= 143337.51    E= 428515.25

**Project Coordinates**  
 (Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
 N= 269572.25    E= 415503.37

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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Signature [Signature]  
 Date 4/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
 Reg. No. 14895

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

## **Northeast Corner Section 29, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for the corner to sections 20, 21, 28 & 29 raised mound as per instructions."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book B, Pg 188, at the NE corner of section 29 he "Found stake in the government mound. Set top of monument 5" above ground."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book B, Pg 39, that he measured to the corner while doing a re-survey of section corners across the county at the request of the Co. Board.
- July 11, 1910 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, Pg 220, that he used this corner to position the W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> corner of Section 28 as part of his survey and dimensions to this corner position.
- 1926 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, Pg 493, dimensions to this corner position and establishes 2 section corner witness ties.
- July 10, 1962 The Yellow Medicine County Hwy Dept corner tie book for Wergeland Twp shows that they recorded 5 witness ties to the corner. They further note, "Iron pipe in place" and "located iron pin 3' deep."
- March-April, 2010 Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor for the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, while performing work in the SE <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 20, states in his field notes found 5/8" rebar w/cap RLS # 19092 down 6" and dimensions to this corner. He also prepared a Section Breakdown sheet for Section 20.
- July 17, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation excavated a 6.7' deep hole that covered an area extending 4.0' North, 3.0' South, 2.0' East, 3.5' West of the corner location. The Jasper Stone was found at a depth of 4.2' at the level of the original top soil. A 7"x7" Quarried Red Jasper Stone has the remnants of a charred wood stake lying alongside of it, which are evidently remnants of the stake noted by Norgaard in 1899 -1901. Norgaard's early work ties the current section corner location all the way back to the U.S. Government Land Office monument placed in 1871. A Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at the surface at the position of the found 7"x7" Quarried Jasper Stone. Said telspar monument lies 0.25' south and 1.68' east of the found Capped Iron Rod RLS # 19092 (now removed). I find it interesting that in 1926 John Norgaard, an excellent surveyor could not find the Quarried Stone he used 16 years earlier and placed by him 27 years earlier even using the aid of the "Road Eng. Ties". In today's surveying world we would spend our lives in a similar situation, however with the assistance of measurement, study, plus a MnDOT backhoe crew; we were able to recover the evidence of the true Section Corner Location.

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By Debra Blood Deputy

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**East Quarter** Corner of Section **30**, Township **114**, Range **44**

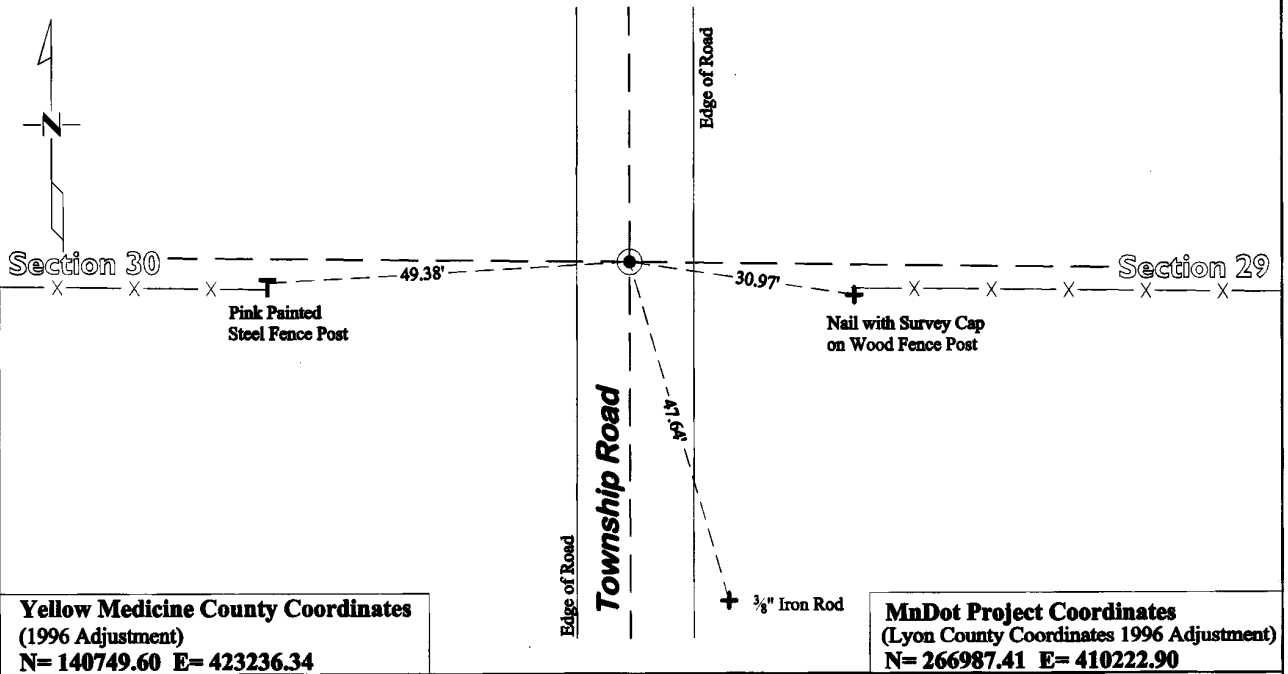
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 17, 2012 found a Capped Iron Rod RLS#19092 (Marhart) was Found 0.2' Below Surface  
DATE

left monument as found  lowered monument  removed monument (explain)

On Jan. 11, 2013 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument at the location of the  
DATE  
Marhart Iron Rod



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Signature [Signature]  
Date 4/29/13

Typed or Printed Name: Joshua M. Stern  
Reg. No. 46169

## **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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### **East Quarter Corner Section 30, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor raised mound as per instructions."
- 1951 MnDOT SP 8709 & SP 4106, Alignment Land Ties Field Book No. 2, Page 2-12, notes "1/4 cor assumed to be at int of RD N&S and fence E&W." It also shows a distance from the highway POT to the assumed corner.
- June 1952 MnDOT State Project No. 8709-02 & 4106-6, Between Canby and 1 Mi W of Taunton, sheet No. 9 shows a dimension from the Center line of the highway to the Section Corner, but does not mention what type of monument was found.
- July 7, 2012 Joshua M. Stern, LS 46169, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, located a 5/8"x 18" re-rod with a "RLS 19092" stamped plastic cap at the corner position 0.2' below the road surface. With the aid of a MnDOT backhoe he excavated a 3.2' deep hole that covered an area extending 4.0' North, 10.0' South, 6.0' East, and 3.0' West of the corner location. A small piece of oak stake was found in the backhoe bucket; however, the original undisturbed location of the stake could not be determined. There is no record of a monument ever being set to perpetuate this corner location, prior to Marhart placing his capped Iron Rod. Stern excavated a large area and found no evidence of the Original Public Land Survey corner. The Marhart position fits the center line of the road and the fence lines running east and west of this corner position. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Iron Monument was placed at the location of the Capped Iron Rod RLS #19092.

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### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**Northeast** Corner of Section **30**, Township **114**, Range **44**

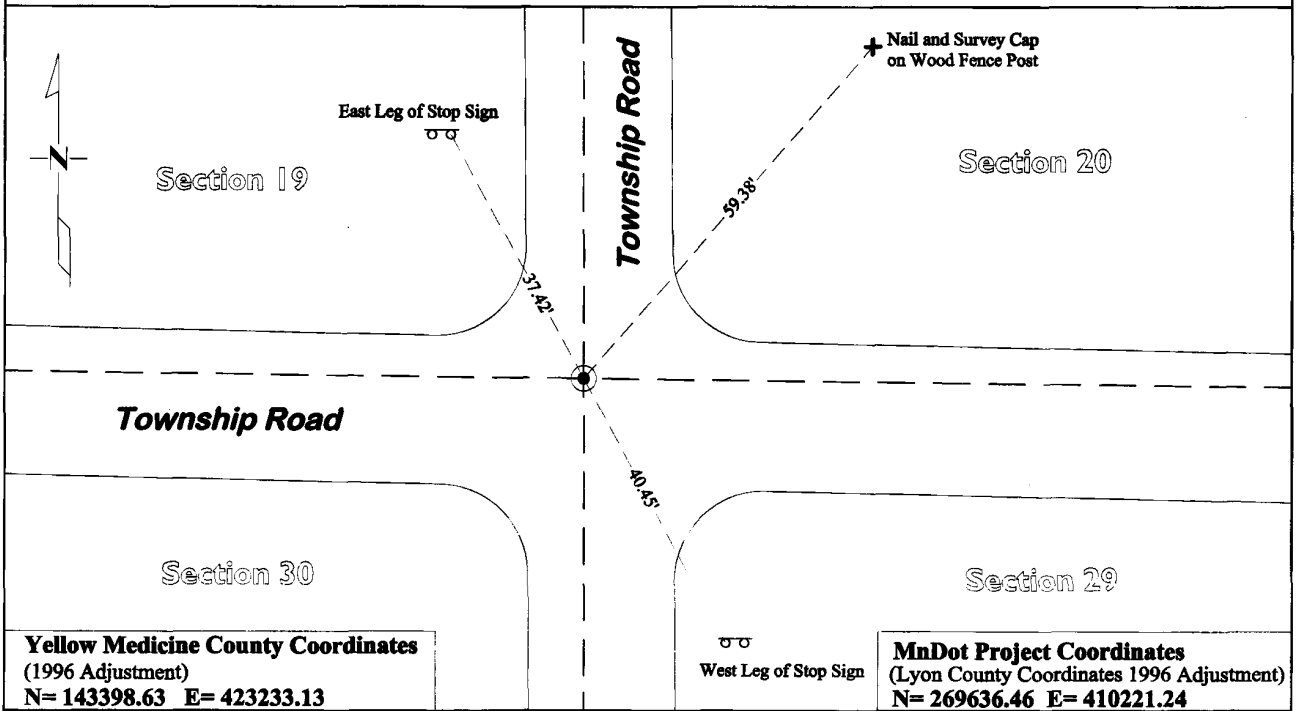
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 16, 2012 found a Capped Iron Rod 0.1' Below Road Surface RLS# 19092 (Marihart) at a depth  
DATE of 1.2' below the Surface a 7"x 7"x 24" Quarried Red Granite Jasper Stone was Found

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 7, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument  
DATE at the Location of the Found 7"x 7"x 24" Stone and capped iron rod



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Signature [Signature]  
Date 4/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

## **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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### **Northeast Corner Section 30, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for the corner to secs 19, 20, 29 & 30 raised mound as per instruction."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book B, page 39, that he measured to the corner while doing a re-survey of section corners across the county at the request of the Co. Board.
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book B, Page 188, "Located at the intersection of roads running north, south, east & west. Set top of monument level with ground."
- 1920's County Surveyor's Record Book, Pg 457 records 2 section corner witness ties, but does not mention what type of monument was found.
- Oct 25, 1965 The Yellow Medicine Co Hwy Dept Corner Tie Book, Wergeland Twp, shows "Granite Monument 1 foot below surface" and records 7 section corner witness ties.
- Mar - Apr 29, 2010 Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor for the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, while performing work in section 20, records in his field notes "In CL of N-S-E-W graded gravel roads Found: 5/8" rebar w/cap stamped RLS 19092 down 1" and dimensions to the corner. He also prepared a section breakdown for Section 20.
- July 16, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, dug a 3.3' deep hole that covered an area extending 3.0' North, 7.0' South, 3.0' East, and 2.0' West of this section corner location. A 5/8" capped re-rod (L.S. # 19092 Roy Marhart) was found at the road surface, at a depth of 1.2' a 7"x7"x24" Quarried Red Jasper Stone, placed by John Norgaard the County Surveyor in 1899 during his resurvey and re-monumentation of the County was found. At a depth of 1.8' the top of the original topsoil was located. The Marhart iron found at the surface (now removed) was located above the found a 7"x7"x24" Quarried Red Jasper Granite Stone. A Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at the surface at the position of the found 7"x7"x24" Quarried Red Jasper Granite Stone.

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

North Quarter Corner of Section 30, Township 114, Range 44

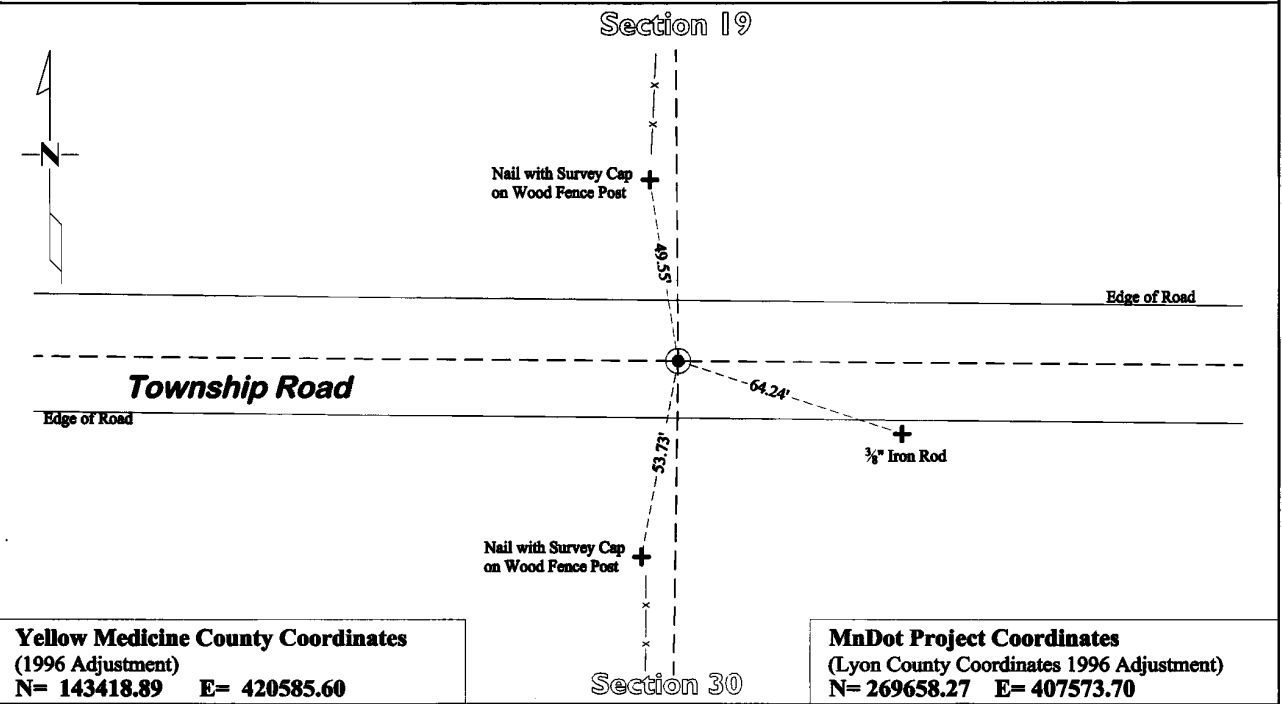
Fifth Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 30, 2012 found a Axle Shaft 2.3' Below Road Surface  
DATE

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Jan 11, 2013 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Square Telspar Monument  
DATE  
at the Location of the Found Axle Shaft



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
(1996 Adjustment)  
N= 143418.89 E= 420585.60

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
(Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
N= 269658.27 E= 407573.70

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Signature [Signature]  
Date 4/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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## **North Quarter Corner Section 30, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 Sec Cor raised mound as per instructions."
- 1951 MnDOT SP 8709 & SP 4106 Alignment & Land Ties Field Book # 2, Pg 2-10, notes "1/4 cor assumed at int of RD. E&W and Fen N&S."
- June 1952 MnDOT State Project No. 8709-02 & 4106-6 Between Canby and 1 Mi W of Taunton, Sheet No. 8 shows a dimension from the center line of highway to the 1/4 section corner, but does not mention what type of monument was found.
- July 30, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, dug a 4' deep hole that covered an area extending 2.5' North, 4.5' South, 2.5' East, and 14.0' West of a straight line proration location along the north side of the Section. At a depth of 2.3' he found an axle hub and shaft lying on its side. The axle shaft was found at the same depth as the top of original topsoil. The axle may have been set as the corner monument and was later knocked over in road construction. The location of the Axle Shaft is right on the Government Proration across the North line of this Section. A Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at the location of the Axle Shaft.

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By *Debra Blood* Deputy

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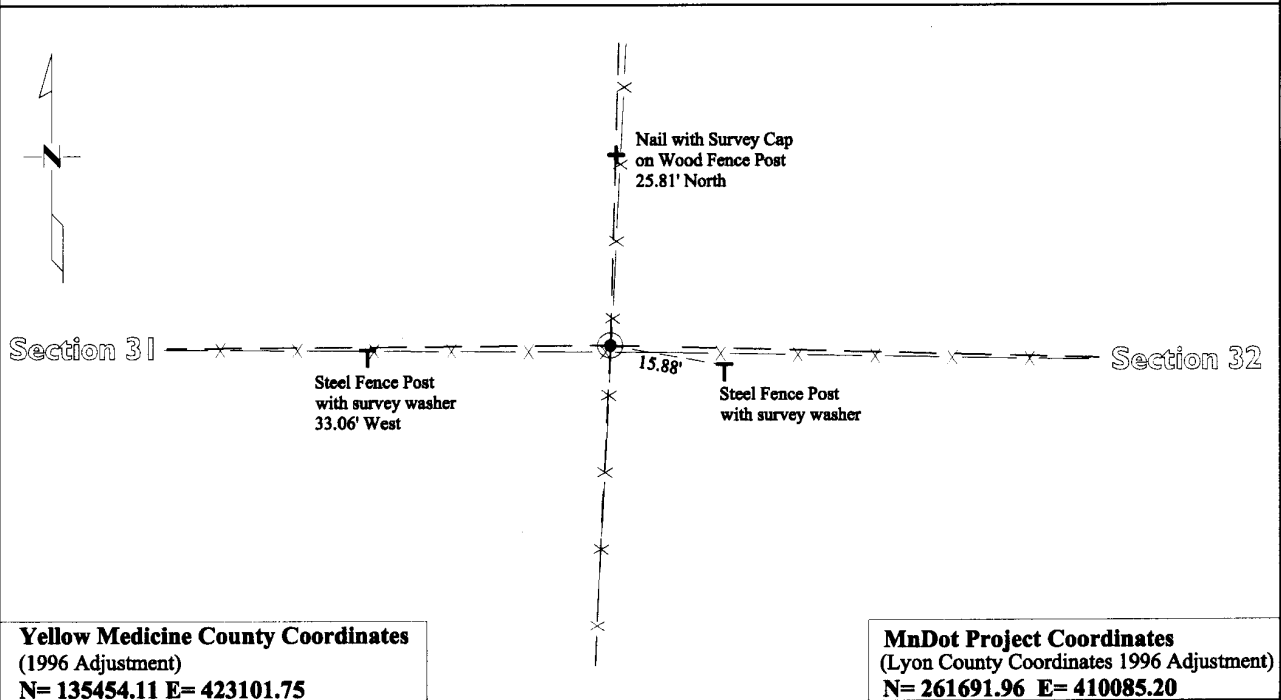
### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**East Quarter** Corner of Section **31**, Township **114**, Range **44**

**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On May 22, 2012 found Nothing  
DATE
- left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)
- On Dec. 6, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Telspar Monument  
DATE



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Signature *Matthew D. Runke*  
Date 4/30/13

Typed or Printed Name: Matthew D. Runke  
Reg. No. 46171

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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## **East Quarter Corner Section 31, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor raised mound as per instructions."
- Oct 1912 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book, page 276, "Located on line and equal distance between Section Cors Set Stake". He also dimensions along the east line of this Section showing this corner to be positioned equal distance from the NE and SE corners of this section.
- Oct 1917 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book, page 381, "fence cor" at this section corner location and dimensions from this corner to the southeast corner of this Section.
- Dec. 2005 - Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor for the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, while performing work in Section 31 records in his field notes and on his section breakdown, that measured straight through this corner position and does not mention any type of monumentation or give any dimensions to this corner location.
- Jan. 2006
- May 22, 2012 Matthew D. Runke, LS 46171, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, searched an area extending 7.0' North, 7.0' South, 4.0' East, and 4.0' West of the straight line and split location with a metal locator and found no monumentation at the corner position. He then probed an area 3.0' North, 3.0' South, 3.0' East, and 3.0' West of the straight split location, and found a few field stones, but nothing that would have been placed by a surveyor. The straight split location falls between 3 old wood fence posts, and at the intersection of old wood post fence lines running North, South, and West. Runke then searched at the 1/16<sup>th</sup> corner to the south, where Norgaard notes he set a stone in 1917, and found a large flat field stone next to a corner of fences running North, South, and East. Norgaard noted the E1/4 corner was located "on line and equal distance between section cor" in 1912 and at a fence corner in 1917. All of the evidence found supports the on line and equal distance position as called for by Norgaard and a Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at this position.

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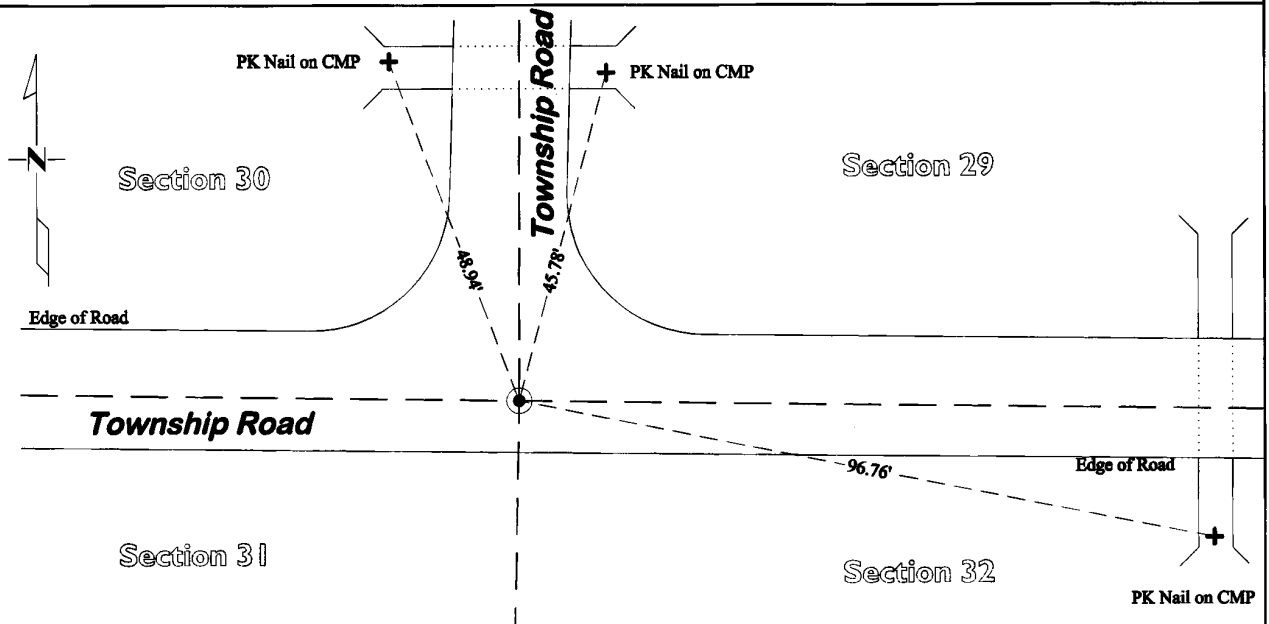
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## CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**Northeast** Corner of Section **31**, Township **114**, Range **44**  
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On July 17, 2012 found a 7 x 7 x 24 inch Jasper Stone 2.0' Below Road Surface which had been  
DATE  
tipped over toward the south
- left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)
- On Jan. 11, 2013 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument  
DATE  
at the location of the 7"x7" jasper stone



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
 (1996 Adjustment)  
 N= 138099.58 E= 423228.70

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
 (Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
 N= 264337.37 E= 410213.70

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Signature [Signature]  
 Date 4/29/13

Typed or Printed Name: Joshua M. Stern  
 Reg. No. 46169

# STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE

## Northeast Corner Section 31, T114N-R44W

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for the corner to secs 29, 30, 31 & 32 raised mound as per instructions."
- 1899 - 1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book B, Page 189, "Found stake in the government mound. Set top of monument 4" above ground."
- 1899 - 1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book B, page 39, that he measured to the corner while doing a re-survey of section corners across the county at the request of the Co. Board.
- Oct 1912 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book, Page 276 "Found Jasper Stone Mont. Set by me 13 years ago."
- 1921 ± John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book, page 457, that he recorded 2 section corner witness ties, however he does not describe the monument probably because he placed the monument in 1899-1901 and it was probably quite visible yet.
- 1951 MnDOT SP 8909 & SP 4106, Alignment Land ties Book No. 2 Pages 2-12 and 2-13 records "Inp Stone down 6" at Int of roads E & W & N" and dimension from the Hwy POT to the corner. Page 2-36 notes "found stone down 6" and records 4 section corner witness ties.
- June 1952 MnDOT SP No. 8709-02 & SP 4106-6 Between Canby and 1 Mi W of Taunton, Sheet No. 9 shows dimensions from the Highway Center line to the Section Corner, but does not mention what type of monument was found.
- Unknown The Yellow Medicine Co Hwy Dept corner tie book, Wergeland Twp, shows "Mon. 6" deep -1951 M.H.D." and recorded 8 section corner witness ties.
- Dec 2005 -  
Jan 2006 Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor for the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, while performing work in section 31 records in his field notes, "(Assumed) in the CL-CL of E,W,N graded gravel roads, set P.K. nail down 2" and dimensions to this corner. He also prepared a section breakdown of section 31.
- July 17, 2012 Joshua M. Stern, LS 46169, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, excavated a 4' 8" deep hole that covered an area extending 8.0' North, 2.0' South, 6.0' East, 7.0' West of the corner location. At a depth of 2' he found a Quarried 7"x7"x24" Jasper Stone monument lying on its side, tipped to the South. There was a farm tile line running near this stone location, so the installation of this line is likely what would have tipped the stone monument on its side toward the south. This Jasper Stone was set in 1899 by Norgaard at the location of the "stake in the government Mound," we could not recover any of the Section Corner ties recorded for this corner between 1920 and 1952, to verify the location of the stone. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Monument was placed at the bottom (North) side of the tipped over Jasper Stone.

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North Quarter Corner of Section 31, Township 114, Range 44

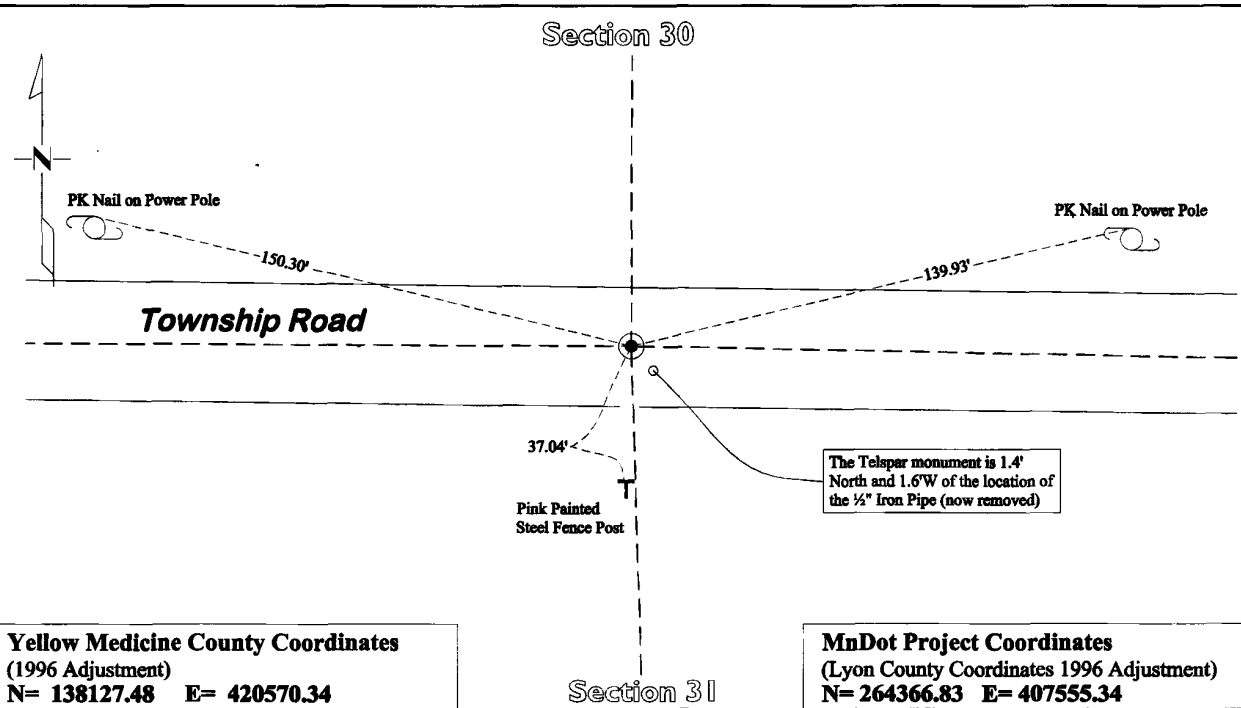
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At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 17, 2012 found a 1/2" Iron Pipe 0.3' below surface and a 10" x 15" x 7" Granite Stone with  
DATE Charred Oak Pieces around Stone at 1.2' below surface

left monument as found  lowered monument  removed monument (explain)

On Jan. 11, 2013 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument  
DATE at the Location of the Granite Stone and charred oak remnants



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
(1996 Adjustment)  
N= 138127.48 E= 420570.34

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
(Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
N= 264366.83 E= 407555.34

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Signature [Signature]

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema

Date 4/29/2013

Reg. No. 14895

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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## **North Quarter Corner Section 31, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor raised mound as per instructions."
- Oct. 1912 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, Pg 276 "Located in line and equal distance between section corners." However, on the map portion of his survey he shows a distance of 2680' for the 1/2 mile to the West and a distance of 2651' for the 1/2 mile to the East.
- Dec 2005 - Gary L. Kratz, Regional Land Surveyor for the United States Fish and Jan 2006 Wildlife Service, while performing work in Section 31, records in his field notes "Found a nail, set a 1/2"x15" iron pipe on top" and dimensions to this corner position. He also established 2 section corner witness ties and prepared a section breakdown of Section 31.
- July 17, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, located 1/2" Iron Pipe, 0.3' below the surface of the road. With the aid of a MnDot backhoe he excavated a 3.0' deep hole which covered an area extending 2.0' North, 5.0' South, 7.0' East, and 5.0' West, of this section corner location. At a depth of 1.0' he found a 7"x10"x15" granite stone standing upright. At a depth of 1.2' he found the top of original top soil. At a depth of 1.4' he found a 7"x9"x16" pointed stone standing upright, with pieces of charred oak stake along side the stone and also below the stone. The bottom of the stone was at a depth of 2.4'. The 2 stones were found stacked, one over the other, both with the pointed ends facing up. The pieces of charred oak are apparently remnants of the charred oak post, set in 1871 by Harrington. A cast iron capped 2" square by 30" long iron telspar monument was placed 0.5' below the surface of the road at the location of the found Stones and Oak Stake remnants. The telspar monument was placed 1.6' West and 1.4' North of the 1/2" Iron Pipe found at the surface (now removed).

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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**East Quarter** Corner of Section **32**, Township **114**, Range **44**

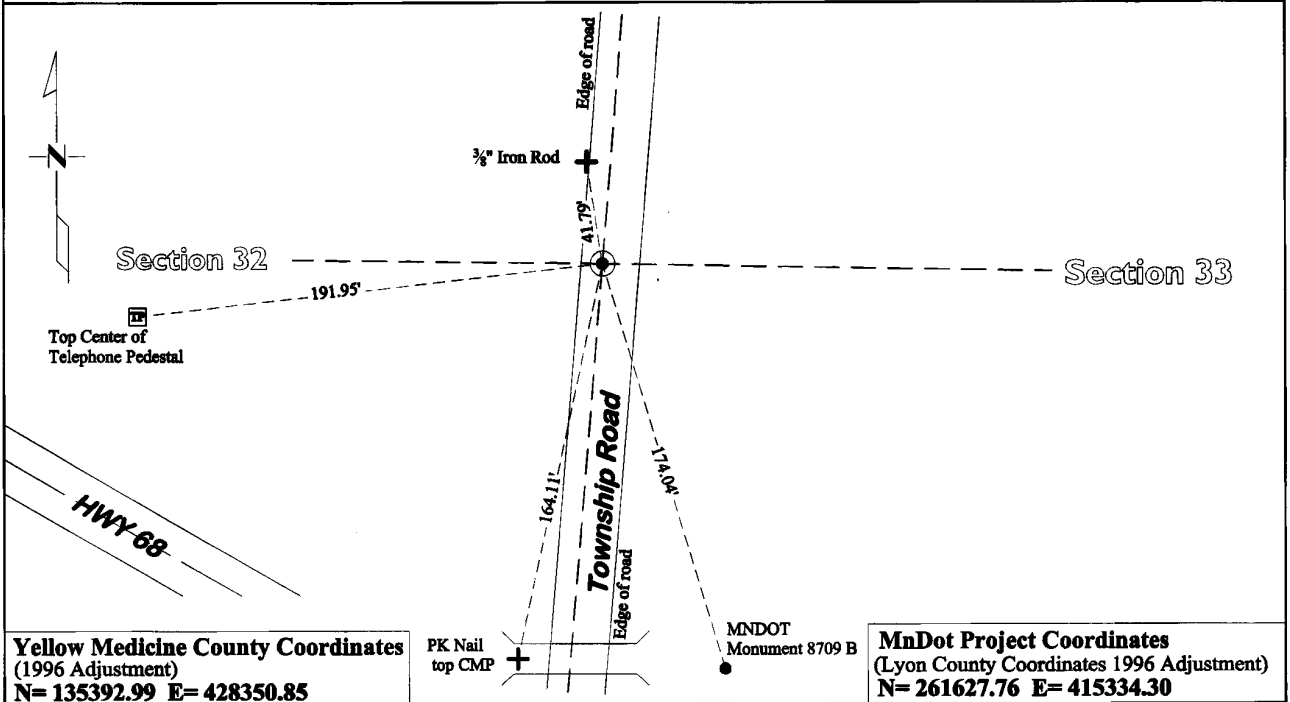
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 16, 2012 found a 2 1/2" x 24" Iron Pipe 0.5 feet below the surface  
DATE

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 8, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument  
DATE  
at the location of the found 2 1/2" x 24" Iron Pipe



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
(1996 Adjustment)  
N= 135392.99 E= 428350.85

PK Nail  
top CMP

MNDOT  
Monument 8709 B

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
(Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
N= 261627.76 E= 415334.30

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Signature Debra Blood

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema

Date 8/29/2013

Reg. No. 14895

# **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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## **East Quarter Corner Section 32, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor raised mound as per instructions."
- Sept 1881 Thomas F. Nicholl, Surveyor, prepared the record plat entitled "PORTER DALSTON" and shows that he measured from the center of this section to this corner.
- Oct 1910 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, page 229, that he used this corner while doing survey work in section 32, however he does not describe the monument probably because he placed the monument in 1899-1901 and it was probably quite visible yet.
- Sept 1917 C.W. Lamphere, Civil Engineer, prepared the record plat entitled "Plat of Sec 33, T. 114N, of R.44W. of 5<sup>th</sup> P.M." On this plat he records that he set an "iron pin" at this corner position and dimensions to this corner.
- Oct 1917 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, page 381, "Found Iron Stake set on line and equal distance between Sec Cor." He was observing the "iron pin" placed by Lamphere in Sept of 1917.
- 1951 MnDOT SP 8709 & SP 4106, Alignments & Land Ties Field Book No. 2, Page 2-15 shows dimensions along the East line of this Section, but does not show a measurement to this corner.
- June 1952 MnDOT SP 8709-02 & SP 4106-6, Between Canby and 1 Mi W of Taunton, Sheet No. 10, shows the corner, but does not show a measurement to the corner or mention what type of monument was found.
- July 16, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation excavated a 5.6' deep hole which covered an area extending 3.0' North, 3.0' South, 7.0' East, and 2.0' West, of this section corner location. The top of the original topsoil was located at a depth of 0.5' below the surface. At a depth of 0.5' below the surface of the road a 2 1/2" diameter by 24" long iron pipe was found. This iron pipe is evidently the "Iron Pin" set by C.W. Lamphere in 1917 and later recorded by John Norgaard in the same year. A MnDOT Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at the position of the found 2 1/2" diameter iron pipe.

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Janel Timm, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Debra Blood Deputy

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### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**Northeast** Corner of Section **32**, Township **114**, Range **44**

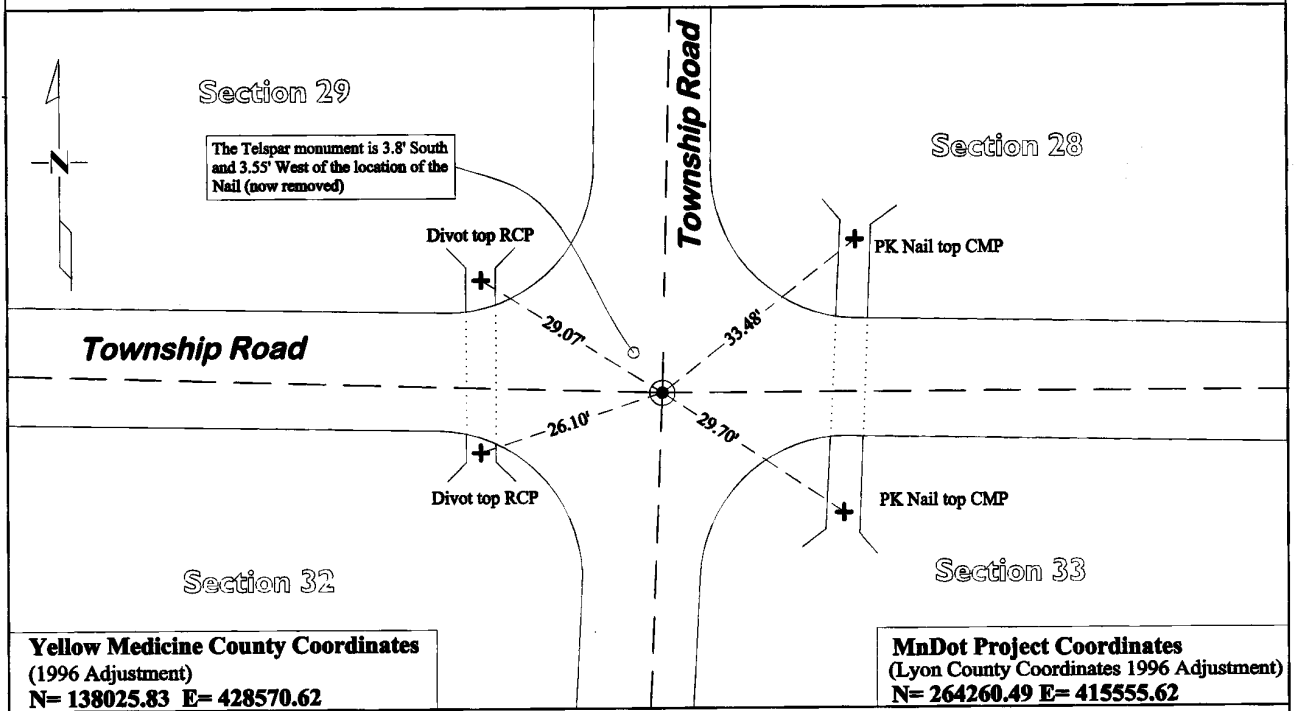
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 16, 2012 found a Nail at the Surface and at a depth of 1.75' a 7"x 7"x 27" Quarried Granite  
DATE  
Stone Monument was found with Traces of Charred Oak alongside the base of the Stone

left monument as found  lowered monument  removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 7, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument  
DATE  
at the location of the found 7"x 7"x 27" Quarried Granite Stone



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Signature [Signature]  
Date 4/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

## **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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### **Northeast Corner Section 32, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for the corner to secs 28, 29, 32 & 33 raised mound as per instructions."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book B, Page 189 "found the government pits, set top of monument level with ground."
- July 11, 1910 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book, Page 220, that he used this corner while doing a survey in Section 28; however he does not cite the monument he used at the corner probably because it was very visible and set by himself in 1900 ±. He also dimensions to this corner position.
- Sept. 1917 C.W. Lamphere, Civil Engineer, prepared the record plat entitled "Plat of Sec. 33, T.114N, of R.44W of 5<sup>th</sup> P.M." on this document he shows a "Found stone" at the corner position.
- Oct 1917 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in the County Surveyor's Record Book, Page 381, "found all Jasper Monuments at the Section Corner" while doing a survey in this Section.
- 1951 MnDOT SP 8709 & SP 4106 Alignments & Land Ties Field Book No. 2 Page 2-15, notes "Sec cor assumed at Int of rds N&S&E" and dimensions to the Highway POT.
- June 1952 MnDOT SP 8709-02 & SP 4106-6, Between Canby and 1 Mi W of Taunton, Sheet No. 10, shows a dimension from the Highway Center line to the Section Corner, but does not mention what type of monument was found.
- 1955 The Yellow Medicine Co Hwy Dept corner tie book, Wergeland Twp, notes "Stone 2' deep" and records 6 section corner witness ties.
- July 16, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, found a Nail just below the road surface. With the aid of a MnDOT backhoe he excavated a 3.75' deep hole that covered an area extending 3.5' North, 4.0' South, 8.5' East, 2.0' West of the nail location. At a depth of 1.75' he found a 7"x7"x27" Quarried Granite Stone Monument with traces of charred oak near the base of the stone. The top of the original top soil was observed at a depth of 1.75'. This 7"x7"x27" Granite Monument was placed by Norgaard around 1900 after he found "the government pits" and is the best evidence of the location of the Original Public Land Survey corner. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Monument was placed at the location of the found 7"x7"x27" Granite Monument. The telspar monument 3.8' South and 3.55' East of the Nail found near the surface (now removed).

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### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

North Quarter Corner of Section 32, Township 114, Range 44

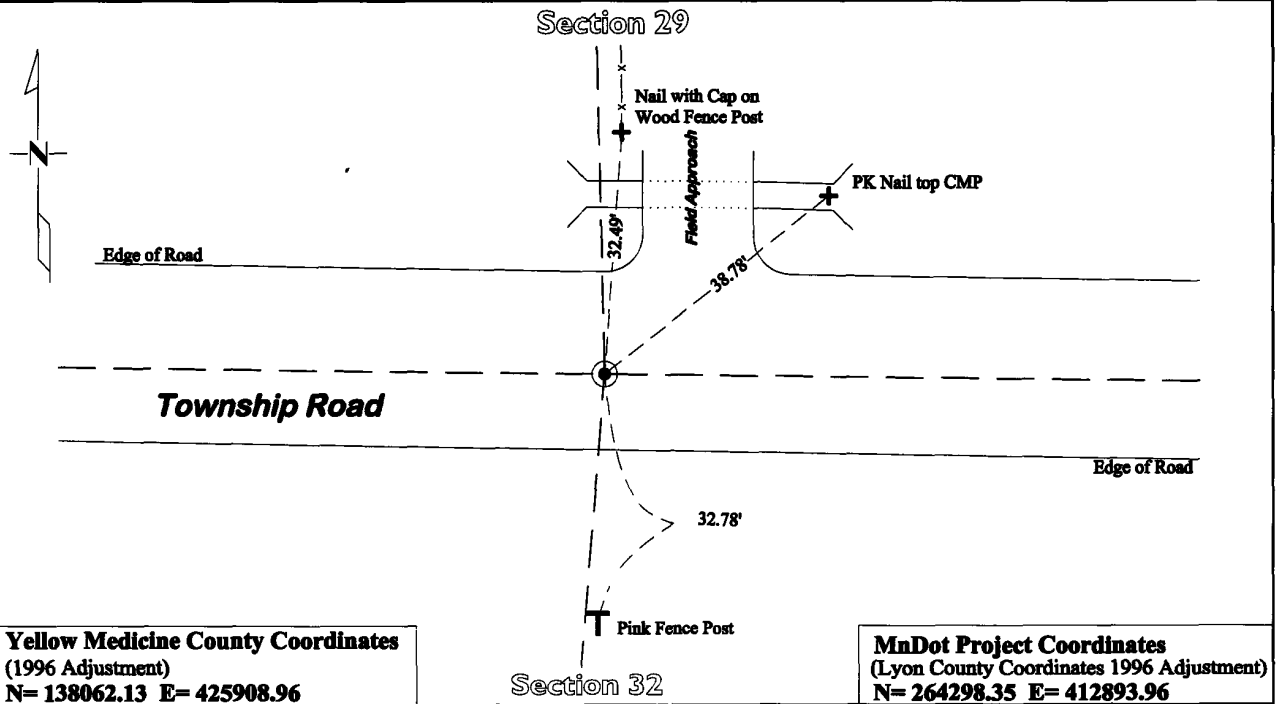
Fifth Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 31, 2012 found a 7" x 13" x 18" Field Stone 0.5' Below Road Surface  
DATE

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Jan. 11, 2013 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument  
DATE  
at the location of the found 7"x 13"x 18" Field Stone



Yellow Medicine County Coordinates  
(1996 Adjustment)  
N= 138062.13 E= 425908.96

MnDot Project Coordinates  
(Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
N= 264298.35 E= 412893.96

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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Signature [Signature]  
Date 4/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

## **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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### **North Quarter Corner Section 32, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the original U.S. Government Land Office Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor raised mound as per instructions."
- Oct. 1917 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, page 381 "Found stake in Gov. Mound set stone in place."
- 1951 MnDOT SP 8709 & SP 4106 Alignment & Land Ties Field Book No. 2 Page 2-13, notes "1/4 cor assumed to be at int of rd E&W and Fen N." It also dimensions from the Hwy POT to the assumed corner.
- June 1952 MnDOT State Project No. 8709-02 & 4106-6, Between Canby and 1 Mi W of Taunton, Sheet No. 9 shows a dimension from the Highway Center line to the Section Corner, but does not mention what type of monument is at the corner position.
- July 31, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation, dug a 2.5' deep hole which covered an area extending 6.0' North, 2.5' South, 11.0' East, and 15.0' West, of this section corner location. The top of the original topsoil was observed to be located at a depth of 0.5' below the surface. At a depth of 1.0' a 7"x13"x18" pointed stone was found tipped on its side. This stone would be the typical shape used by a surveyor in 1917 to mark the corner location. A Cast Iron capped 2" x 30" Telspar Monument was placed at the location of the 7"x13"x18" stone.

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## CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**East Quarter** Corner of Section **33**, Township **114**, Range **44**

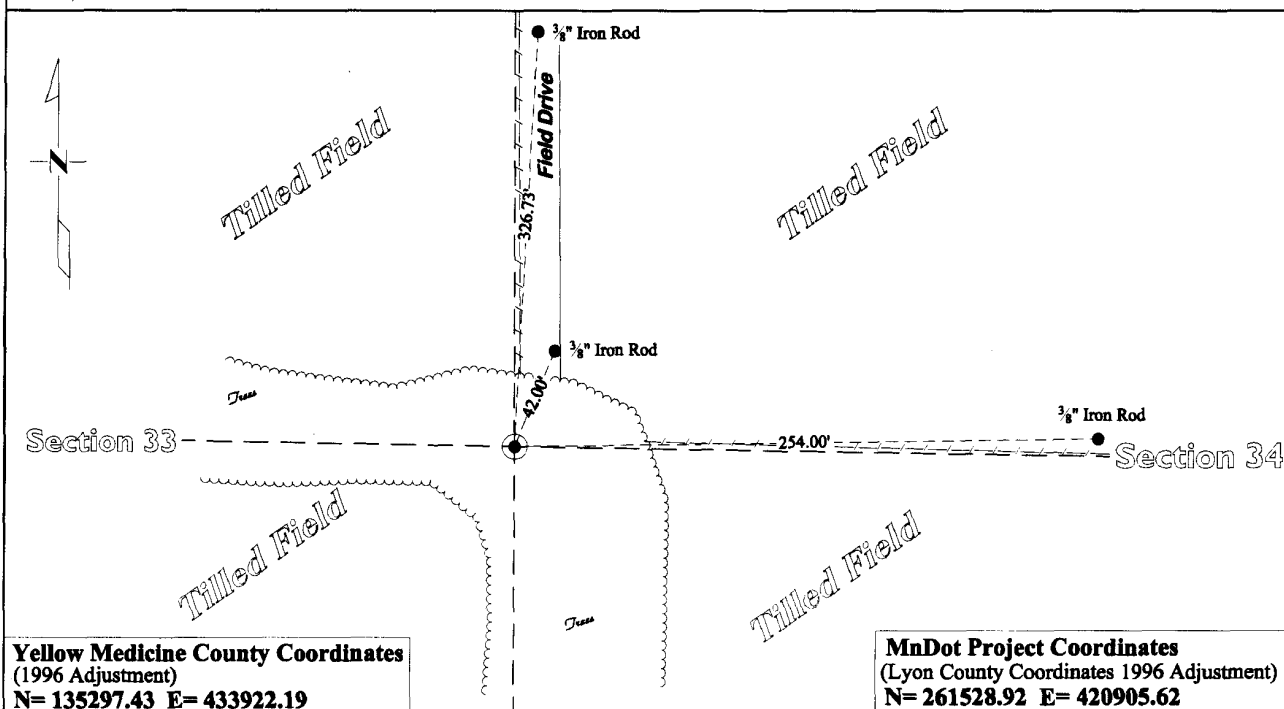
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 16, 2012 found Nothing  
DATE

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Jan. 28, 2013 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" Telspar Monument, midway and online between  
DATE  
the NE and SE corners of this section as done by Norgaard, Lamphere and the MnDNR



Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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Signature Matthew Runke

Typed or Printed Name: Matthew D. Runke

Date 4/30/13

Reg. No. 46171

## ***STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE***

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### ***East Quarter Corner Section 33, T114N-R44W***

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He record in their field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor raised mound as per instructions."
- July 7 & 8, 1903 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, Page 176, "Oak Stake" and dimensions to this corner position, showing it equal distance from the NE and SE corners of this section.
- Sept 1917 C.W. Lamphere, Civil Engineer, prepared the record plat entitled "Plat of Sec 33, T.114N, of R.44W. of 5<sup>th</sup> P.M." On this plat he notes an "Iron Pin" at the corner position and dimensions to this corner, showing it online and midway between the NE and SE corners of this section.
- 1972 The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources prepared a drawing entitled "Antler Wildlife Management Area". On this drawing they note "Wood Hub Set" and dimensions to this corner position, showing it online and midway between the NE and SE corners of this section.
- Jan 28, 2013 Matthew D. Runke, LS 46171, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation searched an area extending 15.0' North, 15.0' South, 10.0' East, and 10.0' West of this section corner location with a metal locator and could not find the Iron Pin set by Lamphere in 1917. There was a lot of downed fence and steel fence posts in this area which made for a difficult search for the Iron Pin. Norgaard in 1903, Lamphere in 1917, and the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources in 1972, all show this corner to be located midway and on line between section corners. This Location lands at a corner of fences running South and West and fits well with a tipped 1" Iron Pipe, set by Lamphere at the 1/16<sup>th</sup> corner, a 1/4 mile to the west of this corner. A Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed midway and online between the NE and SE corners of this section as was done by Norgaard, Lamphere, and the MN DNR.

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### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

**Northeast** Corner of Section **33**, Township **114**, Range **44**

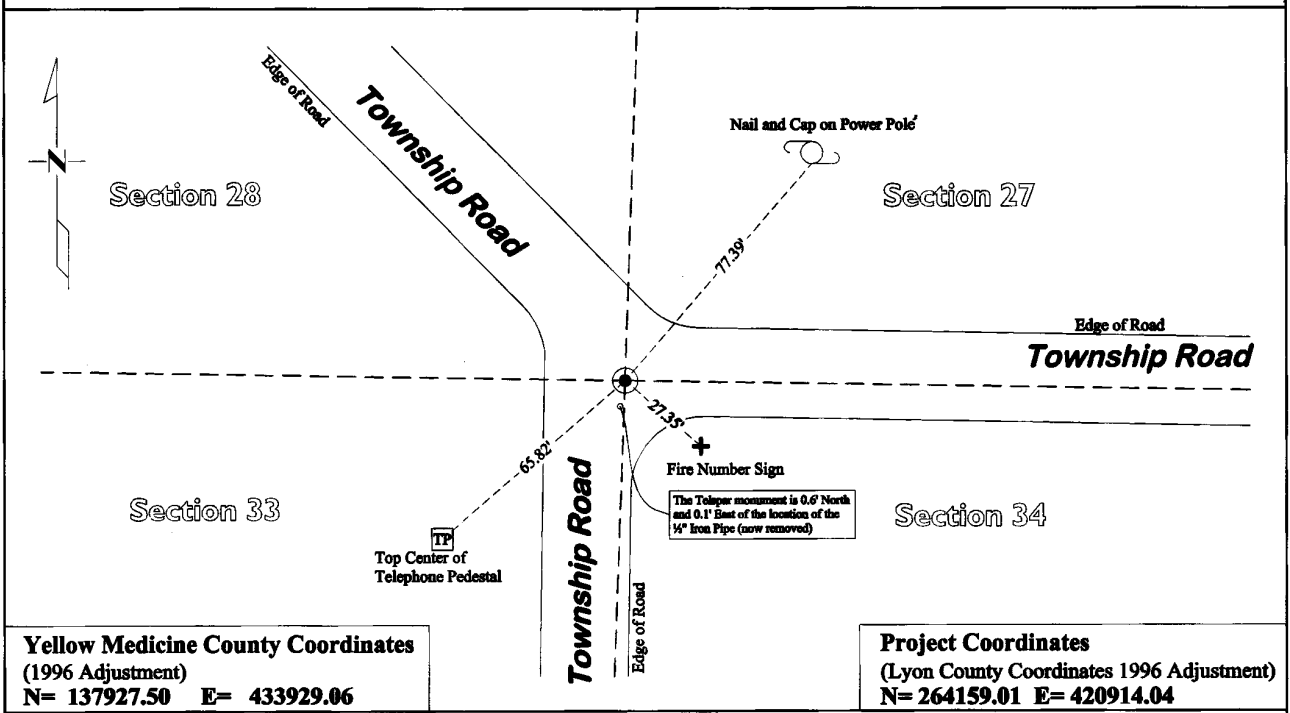
**Fifth** Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of **Yellow Medicine**

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 10, 2012 found a 1/2" x 15" Iron Pipe and a 7" x 7" x 27" Chiseled Granite Stone at a depth of 2.3'  
DATE

left monument as found       lowered monument       removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 8, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument (shown below as ●)  
DATE  
at the location of the found chiseled Granite Stone



Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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Signature [Signature]  
Date 8/29/2013

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema  
Reg. No. 14895

## **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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### **Northeast Corner Section 33, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 & 34 raised mound as per instructions."
- 1899-1901 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book B, Page 189, "Located according to breaking as was done when the government corner, were plain. Set top of monument level with ground."
- July 7 & 8, 1903 John Norgaard, County Surveyor, records in County Surveyor's Record Book, Page 176, dimensions to this corner position, but does not mention what type of monument he found.
- Sept 1917 C.W. Lamphere, Civil Engineer, prepared the record plat entitled "Plat of Sec 33, T.114N, of R.44W. of 5<sup>th</sup> P.M." On this document he notes a "Stone as found" and dimensions to this corner position.
- Unknown The Yellow Medicine Co Hwy Dept corner tie book, Wergeland Twp, shows that they recorded 9 section corner witness ties, but does not mention what type of monument they found.
- 1972 The Minnesota Department of Natural Resources prepared a drawing entitled "Antler Wildlife Management Area." On this drawing they note "Stone In place" and dimension to this corner position.
- July 17, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation excavated a 4.5' deep hole which covered an area extending 7.5' northeast, 3.0' southwest, 3.0' southeast, and 3.0' northwest of this section corner location. At a depth of 0.2' a 1/2"x15" Iron Pipe was found. At a depth of 2.3', a 7"x7"x27" Square Quarried stone was found. This stone is evidently the stone set by Norgaard in 1900±. A MnDOT Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at the position of the found 7"x7"x27" Square Quarried Stone. The telspar monument was set 0.6' North and 0.1' East of the 1/2" iron pipe found near the surface (now removed).

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### CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

North Quarter Corner of Section 33, Township 114, Range 44

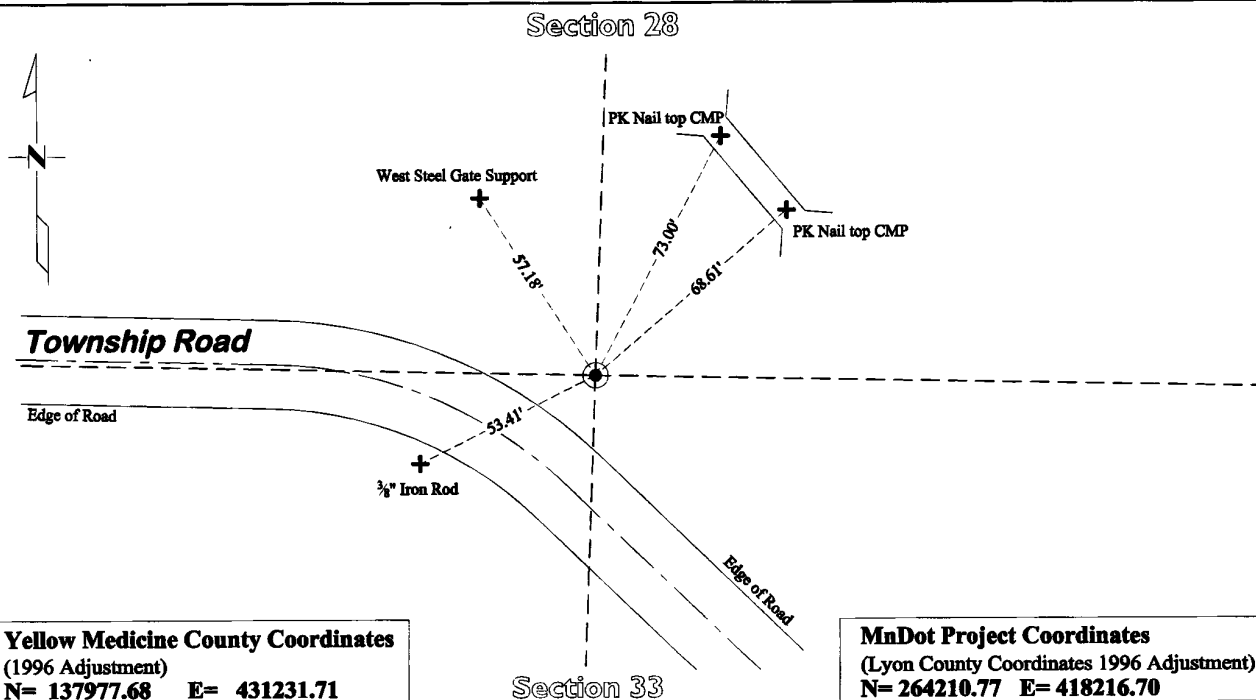
Fifth Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On July 16, 2012 found a "T" Iron Rod 0.3' below Surface and a 2" Iron Pipe Below the "T" Iron  
DATE

left monument as found  lowered monument  removed monument (explain)

On Aug. 8, 2012 placed a Cast Iron Capped 2" by 30" square Telspar Monument (shown below as ⊙)  
DATE  
at the location of the found 2" Iron Pipe and "T" Iron



**Yellow Medicine County Coordinates**  
(1996 Adjustment)  
N= 137977.68 E= 431231.71

**MnDot Project Coordinates**  
(Lyon County Coordinates 1996 Adjustment)  
N= 264210.77 E= 418216.70

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

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Signature [Signature]

Typed or Printed Name: Duane A. Bonnema

Date 4/29/2013

Reg. No. 14895

## **STATEMENT OF EVIDENCE**

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### **North Quarter Corner Section 33, T114N-R44W**

- 1871 L. Harrington was contracted by the United States Government Land Office to perform the Original Public Land Survey in this township. He records in his field notes, "Set a post for 1/4 sec cor raised mound as per instructions."
- Sept 1917 C.W. Lamphere, Civil Engineer, prepared the record plat entitled "Plat of Sec 33, T. 114N, of R.44W. of 5<sup>th</sup> P.M." On this document he shows an "Iron Pin" at this corner position and dimensions to this corner.
- July 17, 2012 Duane A. Bonnema, LS 14895, while doing a re-monumentation survey for the Minnesota Department of Transportation excavated a 3.4' deep hole which covered an area extending 3.5' North, 2.5' South, 6.0' East, and 6.0' West of this section corner location. The top of the original topsoil was located at a depth of 2' below the surface. At a depth of 0.25' a "T" iron was found, which measured 19" long. At a depth of 1.9' a 2"x18" Iron Pipe was found which is probably the "Iron Pin" set by Lamphere in 1917. The "T" iron found at the surface (now removed) was located on top of the found 2"x18" long Iron Pipe. A MnDOT Cast Iron capped 2"x30" Telspar Monument was placed at the location of the found 2"x18" Iron Pipe.

Office of County Recorder  
Yellow Medicine County, Minnesota  
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N/C DANIEL G. NICKOLS, PLS  
DNR DIVISION OF LANDS AND MINERALS  
MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
500 LAFAYETTE ROAD  
ST PAUL MN 55155-4037

Kay Zempel, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

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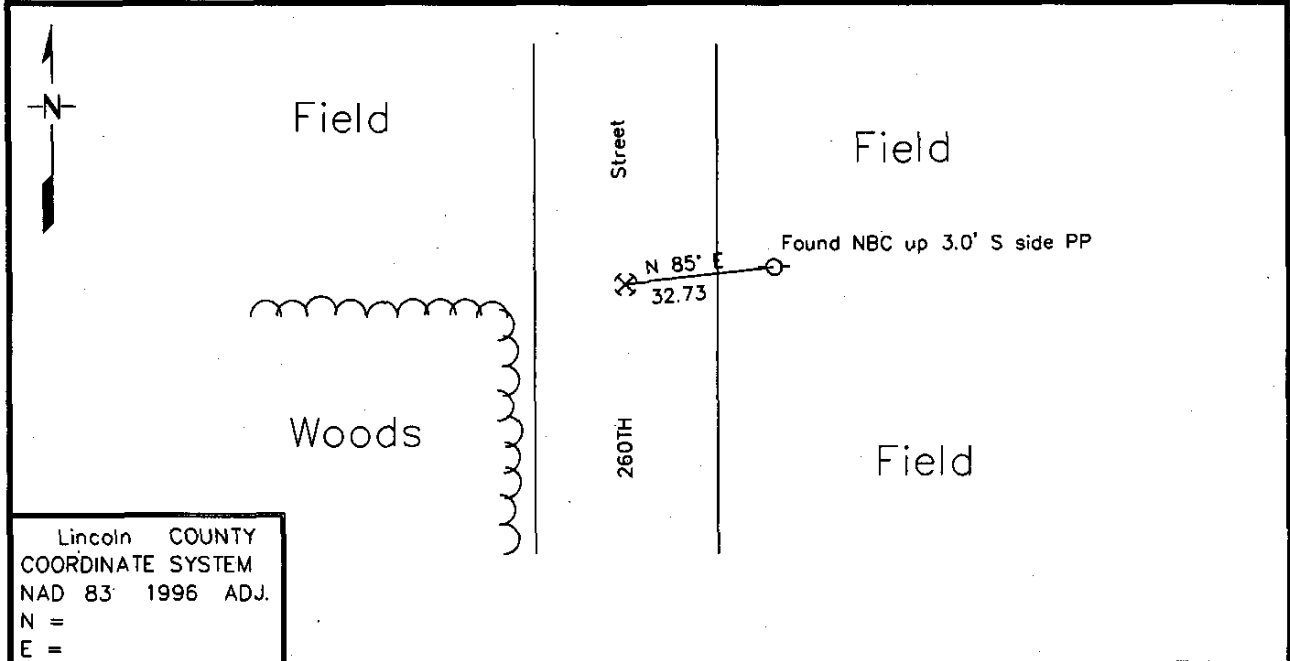
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

East Quarter Corner of Section 34, Township 114, Range 44  
5th Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 9/10/2008 found a RR Spike Down 0.3' Removed, Dug to old road bed down'  
DATE  
found nothing else.  
 left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 9/10/2008 Placed a Set 3/4" X 24" rebar  
DATE  
with a plastic cap marked MN DNR LS 19839 over stone



Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

October 2008  
WMA00898.00.00.01

I certify that this document was researched and prepared by me or under my direct supervision.

SIGNATURE Daniel G. Nickols DATE 12/4/2008 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the East Quarter Corner of Section 34, Township 114  
North, Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871 The subject corner was established by L. Harrington. His notes state that he ran north between Sections 34 & 35.

At 40.00 Chains he set a quarter section post and "Raised Mound as per instructions."

At 80.00 Chains he "Set Post for the corner to Sections 26, 27, 34 & 35 raised Mound as per instructions."

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument or accessories were found during our survey.

1903 County Surveyor John Norgarrd surveyed in Section 34. Notes indicate that he established the North, South and East Quarter Corners "on line and at equal distance between Sec. Corners. His notes indicate that he set an Oak Stake at the subject corner. Said survey shows distances along the North South and West lines and the south line of the NE ¼ of the Section.

1971 Surveyors from the Minnesota DNR set a RR spike midway and on line between the NE & SE Corners of the Section as was done in 1903. Ties for this corner are illegible.

2008 Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) excavated the corner location with the aid of a backhoe. The excavation was 6' N-S; 2' E-W and 3.5' Deep, centered on the Lost Position. Found a Railroad spike (down 0.3'); Encountered old road grade at a depth of 2.0'; Nothing else was found in the excavation. Set ¾" X 24" Rebar with Plastic Cap marked #19839 (down 0.3') midway an on line between the NE & SE corners of the Section as was done in 1903 and 1971.

I feel that this corner is Lost as determined by the standards set forth in the Manual of Surveying Instructions as was the case dating back to 1903. Therefore the monument has been set midway and on line between the NE & SE Corners of the Section.

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Kay Zempel, Yellow Medicine County Recorder

By Debra Blood Deputy

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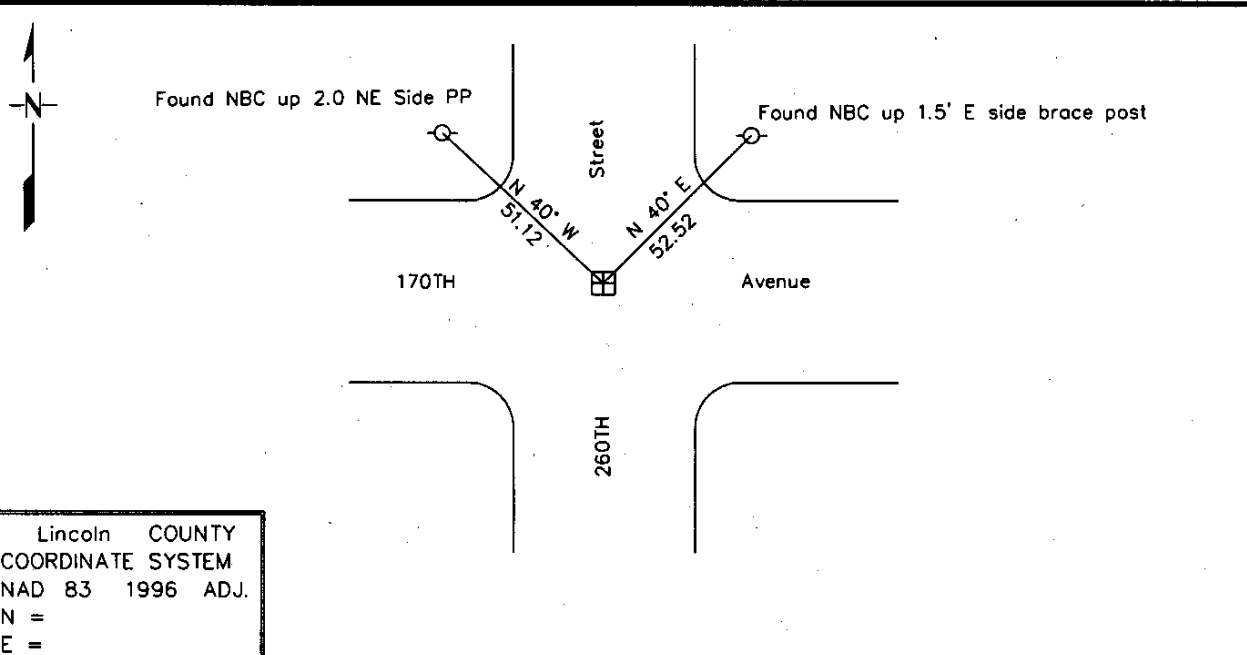
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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

Northeast Corner of Section 34, Township 114, Range 44  
5th Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 9/10/2008 found a 1/2" X 18" Iron Pipe Down 0.2', Found RR Spike Down 1.4'  
DATE  
Found 8" X 18" Stone Down 1.8'  
 left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 9/10/2008 Placed a RR Spike on west edge stone, Set 3/4" X 12" rebar  
DATE  
with a plastic cap marked MN DNR LS 19839 over stone



Lincoln COUNTY  
COORDINATE SYSTEM  
NAD 83 1996 ADJ.  
N =  
E =

Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

October 2008  
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I certify that this document was researched and prepared by me or under my direct supervision.

SIGNATURE Daniel S. Nickols DATE 12/4/2008 License Number 19839

Title:  Land Surveyor  Professional Engineer  County Surveyor  County Engineer

Statement of Evidence for the Northeast Corner of Section 34, Township 114 North,  
Range 44 West of the 5<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian.

1871 The subject corner was established by L Harrington. His notes state that he ran north between Sections 34 & 35.

At 40.00 Chains he set a quarter section post and "Raised Mound as per instructions."

At 80.00 Chains he "Set Post for the corner to Sections 26, 27, 34 & 35 raised Mound as per instructions."

Neither Mr. Harrington's monument or accessories were found during our survey.

1903 County Surveyor John Norgarrd surveyed in Section 34. Notes indicate that he established the North, South and East Quarter Corners "on line and at equal distance between Sec. Corners. No mention of what was found or how the subject corner was established. Said survey shows distances along the North South and West lines and the south line of the NE ¼ of the Section.

1971 Surveyors from the Minnesota DNR found a stone at the location of the corner and took the following ties:

Bottle Cap in PP	NW	51.30'
Bottle Cap in Brace Pole	NE	52.60'

2008 Field Crew from Minnesota Department of Natural Resources (DNR) excavated the corner location with the aid of a backhoe. Found ½" X 18" iron pipe (down 0.2'); Found Railroad spike at old road grade (down 1.4'); Found 8" X 8" Field Stone (down 1.8'). Set RR Spike on west edge of Stone; Set ¾" X 12" Rebar with Plastic Cap marked #19839 over stone (down 0.3'). Said found monuments fit the ties from the 1971 survey.

I feel that this Stone is the same Stone found by the Minnesota DNR in 1971 and therefore is being accepted as the subject corner.

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

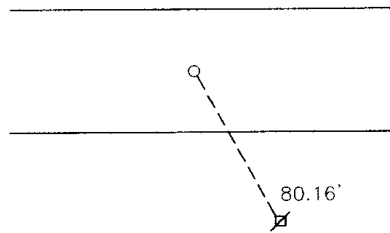
North Quarter Corner of Section 36, Township 114, Range 44, 5th P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Yellow Medicine

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On \_\_\_\_\_ found a \_\_\_\_\_  
 left monument as found,  lowered monument,  removed monument (explain)
- On 7-19-2001 placed a 1" iron pipe with seal #11943 on line and midway between  
section corners

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



Nail with seal in power pole Southeast 80.16'

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

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

Lyle E. Mooring 2-17-04  
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 11943

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

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By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Statement of Evidence

On July 19, 2001 Moseng Land Surveying dug with backhoe in center of road and found nothing. Set 1" iron pipe with seal #11943 on line and midway between section corners.

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Kay Zempel, Yellow Medicine County Recorder  
BY Jan Rehak Deputy

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

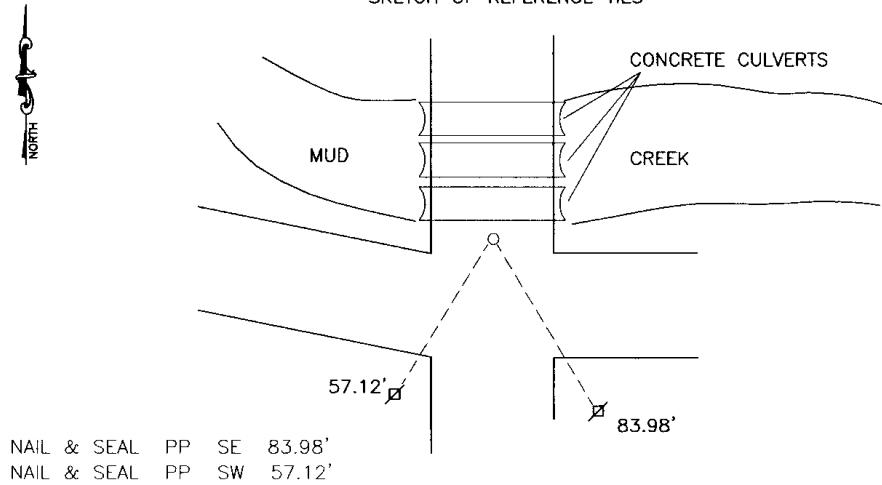
Northeast Corner of Section 36, Township 114, Range 44, 5th P.M.

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 JULY 20, 2001 placed a 1" iron pipe w/seal #11943  
DATE

SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



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 County Recorder \_\_\_\_\_  
 By \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy  
 DOCUMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_

Statement of Evidence

On July 20, 2001 Moseng Land Surveying reset the corner by projecting the east line of the Northeast Quarter of Section 25 South and projecting the existing occupation line from the Northwest corner of Section 36 East. We set a 1 inch pipe with seal #11943. We did not dig, the corner was to close to culverts.

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Kay Zempel, Yellow Medicine County Recorder  
BY Jane Rohlik Deputy

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

North Quarter Corner of Section 36, Township 114, Range 44, 5th P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Yellow Medicine

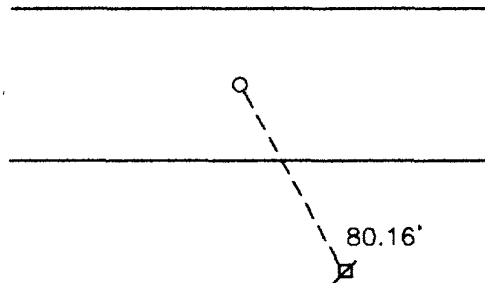
At the corner location shown on the sketch:

On \_\_\_\_\_ found a \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

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

On 7-19-2001 placed a 1" iron pipe with seal #11943 on line and midway between  
DATE  
section corners

### SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



Nail with seal in power pole Southeast 80.16'

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*Styl E Mosing* 5-10-02  
SIGNATURE DATE

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County Recorder Kay Nerdahl

By *Debra Blood* Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. 230057

Statement of Evidence

On July 19, 2001 Moseng Land Surveying dug with backhoe in center of road and found nothing. Set 1" iron pipe with seal #11943 on line and midway between section corners.

# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

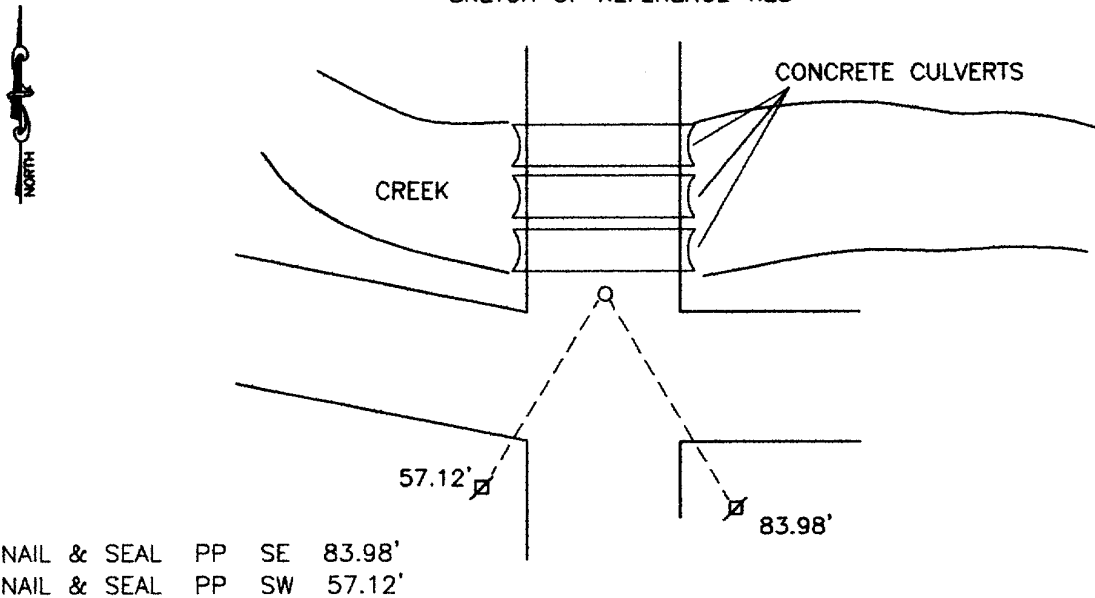
NORTHEAST Corner of Section 36, Township 114, Range 44, 5th P.M.

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 JULY 20, 2001 placed a 1 INCH PIPE WITH SEAL #11943  
DATE

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 By Debra Blood Deputy

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Statement of Evidence

On July 20, 2001 Moseng Land Surveying reset the corner by projecting the east line of the Northeast Quarter of Section 25 South and projecting the existing occupation line from the Northwest corner of Section 36 East. We set a 1 inch pipe with seal #11943. We did not dig, the corner was too close to culverts.