

Statement of Evidence:

Northeast Corner of Section 17, Township 37 North, Range 31 West, Watab Township,
4th Principal Meridian, Benton County, Minnesota.

- 1850 Original US General Land Office survey set a wood post at this location and bearing trees were recorded.
12" Bur Oak S 80 1/2 W 57 links
12" Bur Oak N 57 1/2 E 107 links
- 2002 No resurvey information has been found on this corner in the Benton County records.
- 2003 Surveying & Engineering Professionals, Inc reported finding a spike set by William Lunser, LS 9394, marking the corner 2646.35 feet west of the North 1/4 corner of Section 16. They set a 1/2 " iron pipe over the spike.
- 2008 Westwood Professional Services, Inc. found a 1/2" iron pipe capped 42621 at the corner location. Measured 2646.27 feet to the N1/4 of Section 16 which agrees with SEPI distance. Searched area for any evidence of original bearing trees and nothing found. No evidence of occupation exists in the area. Iron pipe is 6.27 feet long of GLO measurement and fits line well when compared to the N1/4, NE corner of Section 16 and the witness corner to the MC on the north line of Section 17. After analysis of this corner, I believe we are using the best available evidence and have no basis to dispute its location. 1/2" iron pipe capped 42621 is accepted as marking the obliterated position for this corner.
County Coordinates Obtained by GPS
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)
N-153456.153
E-457484.378