

Statement of Evidence:

M141

North Quarter Corner of Section 14, Township 36 North, Range 31 West, Sauk Rapids 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" Blk. Oak S 78 1/2 E 154 links
8" Blk. Oak N 57 E
- 1934 County Engineer's Notebook No. 95 for survey of CAR 29 running west to east. Corner is marked by a spike in center of east-west road with fence line north. Ties:
Twin Oak NW 34.8'
2" Oak SW 43.0'
Stationing shows corner 2716.6 feet east of the NW corner.
- 1959 Roll E-3, of the MN/DOT Highway plans for TH 10, show a nail set by Benton County. The nail is 2650.6 feet from the NE corner Sec 14. Roll F-3, of the MN/DOT Highway plans, show the nail as set by Benton County in 1959.
- 1960 County Engineer's Notebook No. 216 for survey of CSAH 29 running west to east. Corner is marked by a spike in center of east-west road. Ties:
TP NW 39.5'
5" R. Oak SW 43.0'
Stationing shows corner 2718.8 feet east of the NW corner.
- 1969 The Minnesota Highway Department found a spike that was set by the Benton County Highway Department in 1959, a distance of 2718.70 feet east of the NW corner of Section 14.
- 1982 Dave Regan, LS 12236, found a 1" iron pipe in the centerline of County Road 29, 11 feet east of a fence line from the north. A Certificate of Location (#162595) was filed.
- 1984 Paul Wellen, LS 10461, in Book 39, page 88, shows a cast iron monument at the corner location, which is 2717.62 feet from the NW corner Sec 14 and 2667.09 feet from the NE corner Sec. 14.
- 1991 James Nielsen, LS 11865, found a cast iron monument and 1 of Regan's reference ties. A distance of 2717.64 feet was measured from the NW corner of Section 14. A Certificate of Location (#216782) was filed.
- 1993 MN/DOT Right of Way Plat No. 05-12 notes a Benton County CIM at the corner.
- 1997 Roll F-15, of the MN/DOT Highway plans, show a cast iron monument at the intersection of a centerline east/west and a power pole line south.
- 2000 Westwood Professional Services, Inc. found a cast iron monument and located it using GPS.
Coordinates Obtained by GPS (Cast Iron Monument)
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)
N-121181.534
E-470661.933
- 2003 Linda Brown, LS 23682, reported CIM destroyed.

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2008 The County Surveyor's Office searched and found a PK nail $7.6\pm$ feet north of the median of an east-west road (C.S.A.H. No. 29) and on line with a south fence line and east of a north fence line. The position gives distances to the NW Cor. and NE Cor. of 2717.38 feet and 2667.53 feet respectively, which agrees with the County Engineer's 1934 report and Wellen's 1984 report. Surveyor questions distance reported by 1959 MNDOT Highway plans. Surveyor accepts PK as best evidence and updated ties.

Coordinates Obtained by GPS (PK)
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)
N-121181.491
E-470661.891