

Statement of Evidence:

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Northeast Corner of Section 13, Township 36 North, Range 31 West, Sauk Rapids Township, 4th Principal Meridian, Benton County, Minnesota.

- 1849 Original US General Land Office survey established this corner and set a wood post at this location and bearing trees were recorded.
2" Blk Oak N 66 E 143 links, 4" Blk Oak S 19 1/2 W 185 links, 4" Blk Oak S 5 E 146 links
- 1913 County Surveyor Record Book, pages 24 and 25, contains a survey in Section 12 by J. A. Stanton. Survey shows placed a granite monument, 8" diameter marked + on top, 8" below surface in center of public road grade for the corner.
- 1923 County Engineer's Notebook No. 32 contains a survey for SR No. 1 running west and north from this corner. Corner is shown as a hub with ties:
TP NW 93'
Cor FP SW 45'
- 1938 County Engineers' Notebook No. 116 shows survey of SAR 1 running north from this corner. Notes show corner being a set spike in center of road. Ties:
Cor. FP SW 45.7'
NW cor. Gran. post 26.7'
- 1944 County Engineer's Notebook No. 156 lists ties to 2 x 2 hub set in center of road with CAR 29 west:
TP NW 71.45
TP SW 46.15
- 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 CSAH 1. Ties same as 1944.
- 1976 Paul Wellen, LS 10461, notes in his Book 1, page 42 a distance of 2665.20 feet to the East 1/4 corner Sec 13.
- 1977 Paul Wellen notes in his Book 4, page 66 a distance of 2672.04 feet to the North 1/4 corner Sec 13 and a distance of 2664.47 feet to the East 1/4 corner Sec 13.
- 1980 Paul Wellen notes in his Book 17, page 140 an I.M. at the corner.
- 1984 William Lunser, LS 9394, found a 1/2" iron pipe at the centerline of County Road 1 and County Road 29. He set a cast iron monument in its place and filed a Certificate of Location (#173426).
- 1990 Paul Wellen notes in his Book 70, page 33 a cast iron monument at the corner.
- 1995 Comstock and Davis performed GPS work under contract with Benton County and Coordinates Obtained by GPS NAD 83 (1986 Adjustment) to a CIM:
N- 121251.636
E- 478620.680
- 2008 Westwood Professional Services, Inc. found a cast iron monument in the centerlines of roads north/south/east/west. CIM fit the one remaining tie from 1984 Lunser certificate and we measured 2672.02 feet to the N1/4 and 2664.54 feet the E1/4 of Section 13 which agrees with Wellen measurements. No ties prior to 1977 remain. CIM is accepted as marking the obliterated position for this corner.
County Coordinates obtained by GPS (Cast Iron Monument)
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)
N-121251.762
E- 478620.131