

**Statement of Evidence:**

**G123**

East Quarter Corner of Section 12, Township 37 North, Range 30 West, 4<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian, Mayhew Lake Township, Benton County, Minnesota.

- 1849 Corner established by Original US General Land Office survey and marked by a wood post with bearing trees noted as.

6" Elm                      N 12 E                      175 links

Line tree was noted as a 8" Poplar, North, 21.00 chains.

- 1892 County Road Book, page 71, shows road laid by out Felix Parrent on east-west ¼ line.

- 1932 County Engineer's notebook No. 73 contains a road survey by H. G. Elletson for SAR No. 13. Corner is shown in east-west road and in line with fences north-south. Ties same as in County Surveyor's Record Book 1, page 409:

Cor FP	N	50.3
FP	NE	63.7

- 1978 Paul Wellen, LS 10461, found a 1/2" iron pipe on the centerline of Co. Rd. No. 13 east/west and a fence line north. Certificate of Location was drafted, but not filed.

- 2008 Westwood Professional Service found a 1/2" open iron pipe in the east-west centerline of County Road No. 13 and fence line north. The iron pipe fits a split of the distance between section corners within a half foot and falls five feet west of a straight line between section corners.

Coordinates Obtained by GPS

NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)

N-156174.181

E-510898.929

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- 2011 The Benton County Surveyor's Office found the 1/2" iron pipe and verified the 2008 coordinates. The iron pipe is located in the east-west centerline as laid out in 1892 and fits the location as described in 1932. Since the iron pipe is located at long-standing occupation lines measures well to the section corners north and south, it is accepted as marking the obliterated corner position.