

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

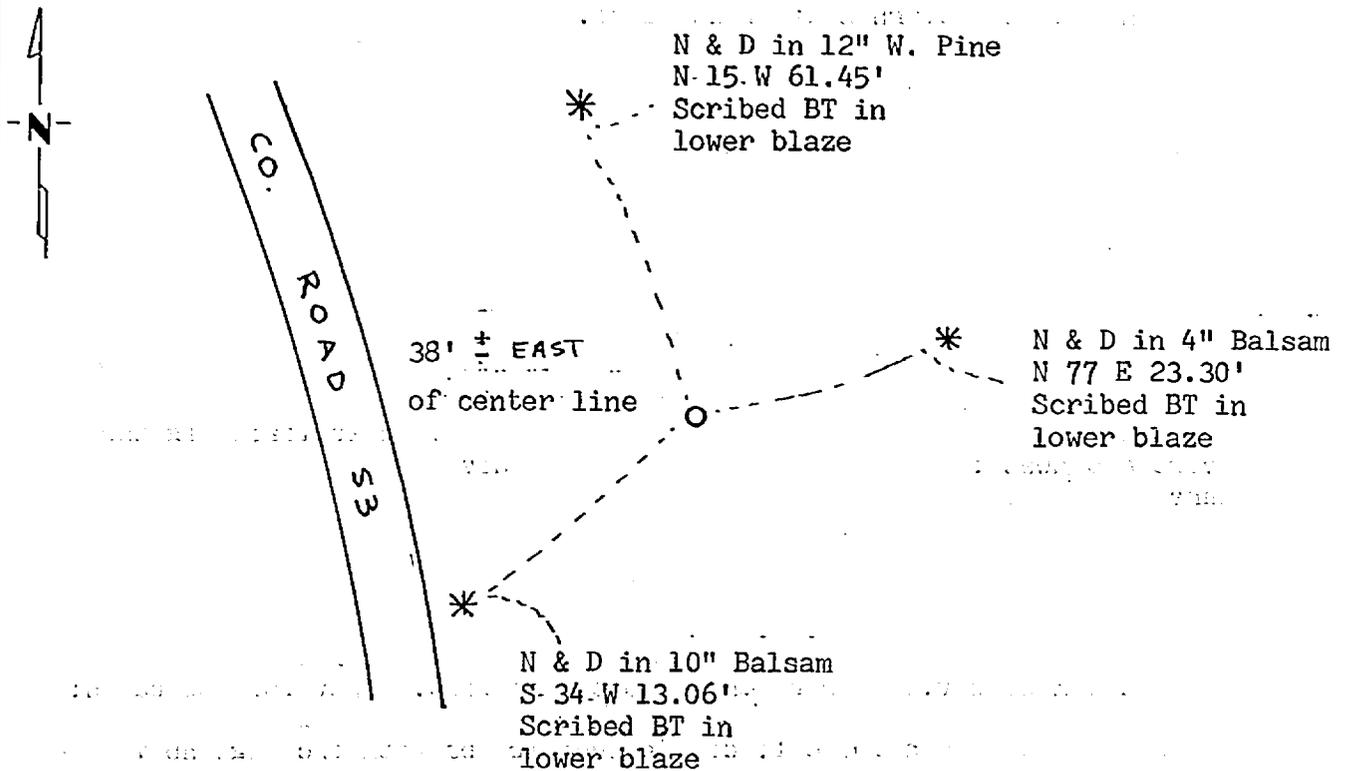
North Quarter Corner of Section 26, Township 142, Range 27, 5th P.M.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Cass

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On _____ found a _____
DATE
- left monument as found, lowered monument, removed monument (explain)
- On 10/27/81 placed a cast iron monument at position determined from
DATE
USFS information and record of 1922 survey.

SKETCH OF REFERENCE TIES



BEARINGS ARE APPROXIMATE

Statement of evidence relative to this corner location is on back of page. 260599

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

Nancy A. Stevenson 12-2-81
SIGNATURE DATE

Registration No. 12684

Land Surveyor, Professional Engineer

County Surveyor, County Engineer

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER

County of Cass

I hereby certify that this document was filed in the Co. Recorders office at 11:15 A. M. on the 3 day of Dec. A.D., 1981

County Recorder Bendah Hurdish

By M.S., Deputy

DOCUMENT NO. 260599

Statement of Evidence:

- 1873 U.S. General Land Office survey set a wood post for this corner. No bearing trees are given.
- 1922 County Surveyor's Record Book D pages 108 & 109 show survey by E.B. Horst.
The survey shows corner marked by a post. Horst states that BTs were: 7" Aspen N 54° E 40 feet and 6" Maple S 10° E 38'4" and now is: 8" Aspen stub-marks plain - N 54° E 40 feet.
- 1935 U.S. Forest Service office in Cass Lake was contacted for information. A corner card dated 3/6/35 under the CCC program shows a marked cedar post found at this corner. It states a metal location poster was attached to the post and the post is 20 feet east of the road.
Corner search on 10/4/72 by L. Witthoeft, USFS technician, shows a 1" marked iron pipe was found at this corner. A yellow tag was placed on a 12" Aspen from which the pipe bears S 14° W 15 links.
- 1981 Walter Curo, RLS, was contacted to see if he had any information on this corner or the notes from Horst's surveys. He had no information on this corner.
- 1981 I conducted a search of this corner in cooperation with Bill Olson, USFS technician. We found the Aspen with the tag placed in 1972. The 1" x 30" iron pipe was found laying down just south of the Aspen. We also found a rotted wooden post with a yellow tag laying down and also a part of an Aspen log with a yellow tag laying down. All of these appeared to have been pulled and thrown about. We could not find any evidence of their original holes. We found no evidence of Horst's ties. A spike was set for the approximate corner S 14° W 9.8' from the Aspen as noted in 1972. A traverse was then run east and west to the section corners. The distance between section corners was 5311.25 and the spike was found to be 35.02' east and 6.36' south of the lost position. The spike is 30', more or less, east of the extension of the center line of the road to the south.
- Analysis of the history of this corner is very confusing. Evidently Horst had conducted a survey in 1915 of which we have no record. This is noted in the 1922 survey and on the 1935 corner card. Therefore, we do not know how the corner position was determined. The distance south to the South $\frac{1}{4}$ corner of Sec. 26 was found to be 134 feet longer than the 1922 survey. However, the 1922 survey calls for a low area 180 feet to the south. This agrees with the set spike. The GLO notes give no bearing trees, but Horst lists found BTs in 1922. The iron pipe must have been set sometime between 1935 and 1972. I concluded that the iron pipe found in 1972 was set from some evidence that was then in existence. Such as from the wood post or bearing tree. Therefore, I accepted the set spike as marking the obliterated position of the corner. I replaced the spike with a county cast iron monument.