

**Statement of Evidence:**

**A093**

The East Quarter Corner of Section 9, Township 38 North, Range 28 West, Granite Ledge Township, 4<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian, Benton County, Minnesota.

1855 Original US General Land Office survey set a wood post at this location and bearing trees were recorded.

10" Maple	S 13 W	33 links
9" Birch	S 81 E	11 links

1924 County Engineer's Notebook No. 37 shows survey of SR No. 7 running through this corner with stationing distances of 2585.8 feet to the SE corner and 2639.7 feet to the NE corner.

1960 County Engineer's Notebook No. 231 contains survey for CSAH 7 running south to north on section line. Notes show spike set in center of road on fence lines east and west. Ties same as listed below in 1963 with note that placed iron. Stationing gives distances of 2575.9 feet to the SE corner and 2640.3 feet to the NE corner with a delta angle of 0-32' left.

1963 County Surveyor's Record Book 2, page 326 contains ties to an iron at the corner:

5" Poplar	NW	79.3
PP	E	34.75
TP	SW	58.7

Undated ties shown as:

5" Poplar	NW	79.15
PP	E	34.8
TP	SW	58.5

1995 David Regan, LS 12236, found a cast iron monument in center of north-south road and in line with fences east-west. He filed Certificate No. 231237. Tie to PP East 34.78'

2001 Westwood Professional Services, Inc. found the CIM as noted in 1995. Origin of CIM is not known.

2008 The Benton County Surveyor's Office found the CIM noted first in 1995. The distances north and south fit the 1960 measurements within a half foot per half mile distance. The 1924 distance north fits within 0.2 feet and distance south fits within 10.2 feet bringing into question a 10-foot blunder. The CIM falls in the north-south centerline and on fences east and west as called for in 1960. Believing the CIM to be the best available evidence, GPS coordinates were obtained and reference ties established.

County Coordinates  
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)  
N-  
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