

Statement of Evidence:

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Northeast Corner of Section 9, Township 36 North, Range 29 West, St. George Township, 4th Principal Meridian, Benton County, Minnesota.

1855 Original US General Land Office survey set a wood post with bearing trees:

18" Maple	N 26 ½ W	40 links
20" Elm	N 67 E	72 links

1929 County Surveyor's Record Book 1, page 89 and Record Book A, Map No. 50 shows H.G. Elletson surveyed Section 3, doing a complete section subdivision with all 1/16th corners set. The survey notes an iron monument at the corner with ties:

12" Oak	SW	54.4
TP	SE	76.6

He notes a distance of 2656 feet to the East ¼ corner Sec 4 and a distance of 2627.8 feet to the North ¼ corner Sec 10. (Notes in Notebook 48)

1931 County Engineer's notebook 61 contains road survey that shows corner marked by an iron pipe with same ties as in 1929.

1957 County Surveyor's Record Book 1, page 101 notes an iron pin over the iron pipe with the following reference ties

PP	NW	59.4
TP	SE	73.5
SW Cor Conc Water tank	NE	114.75

1966 County Engineer's notebook No. 2, page 17, notes J. Kotsmith found iron axle at the corner.

1977 Paul Wellen, LS 10461, found an iron monument at the centerline of roads north/south/east. He filed a Certificate of Location (#147246). Ties fit 1957 as:

PP	NW	59.4
SW Cor Conc Water tank	NE	114.75

2003 Barry Dorniden, LS 23044, reported finding a PK nail at the corner.

2004 County Coordinates Obtained by GPS to CIM
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)
N- 127021.454
E- 526828.420

2008 The County Surveyor's Office searched and found the cast iron reported at the same position as in 2004, lying 1.5 ft± south of the centerline of east-west 45th St. N.E. and 2.5 ft. ± east of the centerline of north-south 105th Ave. N.E. The position fits Elletson's 1929 ties to the E ¼ Cor. of Sec. 4 (2654.30 ft. vs. 2656 ft.) and ties to the N ¼ Cor. of Sec. 10 (2629.37 ft. vs. 2627.8 ft.). The position agrees with occupation and past measurements and is accepted as the best evidence. Ties were updated.