

**Statement of Evidence:**

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East Quarter Corner of Section 5, Township 36 North, Range 29 West, St. George Township, 4<sup>th</sup> Principal Meridian, Benton County, Minnesota.

- 1855 Original General Land Office survey established this corner set a wood post at this location and bearing trees were recorded.  
16" Poplar                      S 9 ½ W                      220 links
- 1949 County Highway Engineer's Notebook No. 169 contains road survey for CAR 37 running from south to north on the section line. Corner is shown marked by a stake and iron in the center of road. Ties are the same as listed in County Surveyor's Record Book 1, page 93, which also show a stake and iron with ties:  
RR X-ing sign Post                      NE                      58.4  
Stone E edge of ditch                      E                      17.1  
Stationing gives distances of 2635.75 feet to the SE corner and 2605.0 feet to the NE corner with a delta angle of 0-20' left. (A later note in 1957 shows set iron with tie: PP NE 58.3')
- 1949 County Highway Engineer's Notebook No. 1, page 67, shows a found iron monument at the corner with no ties available.
- 2001 Westwood Professional Services, Inc. found a rebar at the centerline of roads north/south and a fence line east.
- 2003 Barry Dorniden, LS 23044, reported finding a spike in center of north-south road in line with old fence line east. No evidence was found of the 1949 ties. He measured 2628.13 feet to the SE corner and 2613.94 feet to the NE corner of Section 5.
- 2004 MN/DOT found 12" spike and replaced it with a CIM. Measured 2628.40 feet to the SE corner and 2613.88 feet to the NE corner of Section 5 with a deflection angle of 0-18-11 left.  
County Coordinates Obtained by GPS  
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)  
N- 129615.201  
E- 521330.930
- NOTE: The found spike was approximately 9 feet south of the lost position and 8 feet south of the 1949 position. ***Need to check for 1949 iron.***
- 2005 MN/DOT excavated area to search for 1949 position and found wood post that fit. Measured 2636.67 feet to the SE corner and 2605.6 feet to the NE corner of Section 5 with a deflection angle of 0-19-36 left.  
County Coordinates Obtained by GPS to wood post  
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)  
N- 129623.490  
E- 521330.864
- 2010 Westwood Professional Services, Inc. found a CIM. CIM position agrees with MNDot 2005 location. Ties were established and 2005 coordinates were verified.