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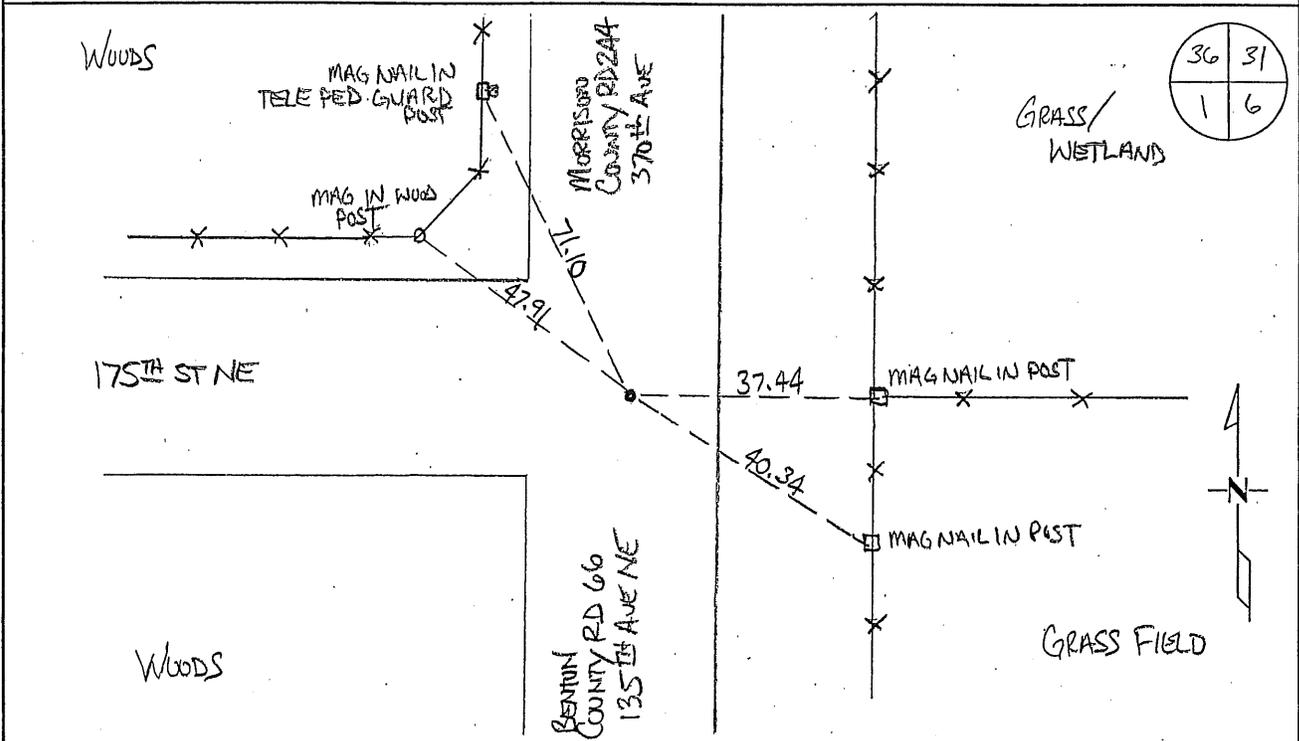
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COUNTY RECORDER

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION OF GOVERNMENT CORNER

NORTHEAST Corner of Section 1, Township 38, Range 29
4TH Principal Meridian, State of Minnesota, County of Benton

At the corner location shown on the sketch:

- On 07/14/10 found a CAST IRON MONUMENT ON CENTERLINE N/S ROAD AND ON FENCELINE EAST AND 4 1/2' SOUTH OF CENTERLINE WEST
- left monument as found lowered monument removed monument (explain)
- On _____ placed an _____



Statement of evidence for this corner location is on back of this page.

I hereby certify that this document was researched and prepared by me or under my direct supervision and that I am a licensed Land Surveyor under the laws of the State of Minnesota.

Signature Jerome C. Wittstock
Benton County Surveyor
License No. 19552

Date: 7/26/2010

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Statement of Evidence:**B012**

Northeast Corner of Section 1, Township 38 North, Range 29 West, Alberta Township,
 4th Principal Meridian, Benton County, Minnesota.

1849 Original US General Land Office survey set a wood post and bearing trees noted
 as

6" W Birch	N 61 E	38 links
6" W Birch	S 19 E	23 links
10" W Oak	S 23 W	75 links
12" Sugar	N 30 W	66 links

Township Landmarks: Minnesota Statutes 381.13 required every county to have placed
 by a surveyor at the northeast corner of each congressional township a durable magnetic
 monument having a head not less than 3-1/2 inches in diameter and a length of 20 inches.
 We have not been able to find evidence that this was done in Benton County, but it was
 done in most counties in the late 1800's and is a possibility that it was also done in
 Benton County. Many of the counties used stone monuments instead of iron.

1919 Nels Peterson, Morrison County Surveyor, notes he set a concrete monument at
 all government corners along the south line of Lakin Township in Morrison
 County.

1936 County Engineer's Notebook No. 101 shows survey for road running south to
 north and terminating at this corner. Notes show corner as a cement monument in
 road intersection with town road west and fence line east. Ties:

FP	E	38.1
FP	NE	44.75

1955 County Surveyor's Record Book 2, pages 238 and 320, show a 6" square cement
 with the following reference ties:

PP	NE	50.5
Cor FP	E	35.9
4" W Oak	NW	97.7

1967 County Engineer's Notebook No. 2, page 24, shows square concrete monument
 found.

1986 Thomas Thiessen, LS 16097, found a 9" X 9" X 1.3' concrete monument at the
 centerline of roads. He set a Morrison County cast iron monument and filed a
 Certificate of Location (#307821) in Morrison County.

1995 Comstock and Davis performed GPS work under contract with Benton County
 and County Coordinates Obtained by GPS NAD 83 (1986 Adjustment) to a CIM:

N- 196296.070
 E- 541820.785

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- 2003 Westwood Professional Services, Inc. found CIM.
County Coordinates Obtained by GPS to CIM
NAD 83 (1996 Adjustment)
N- 196296.403
E - 541820.712
- 2010 The Benton County Surveyor's Office found the CIM set in 1986 over the 1919 concrete monument. The concrete monument fits the description of other monuments found along the north line of Township 38 North, Range 28 West from the 1919 survey. The CIM is accepted as marking the obliterated corner position, coordinates were verified and reference ties establish as shown.