

LAND CORNER RECORDATION CERTIFICATE
Requirement of Act 74, Mich. P.A. 1970

For corners in
Houghton
 (County)

Located In: _____ Corner Code # _____

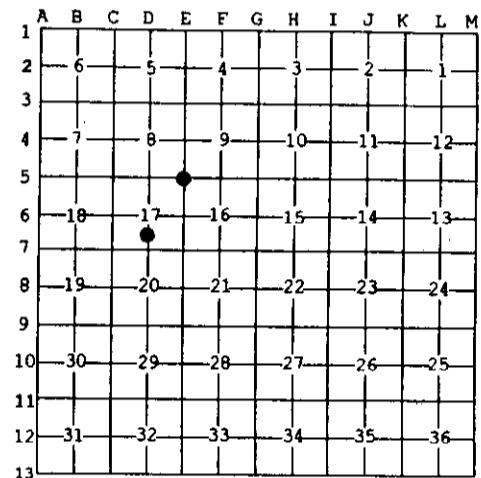
1. Public Land Survey	T <u>53</u> N R <u>34</u> W	E5
	T _____ R _____	_____
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2. Property Controlling in Section	S <u>17</u> T <u>53</u> N R <u>34</u> W	12
	S _____ T _____ R _____	_____
3. Miscellaneous Property in Sec.	S _____ T _____ R _____	_____
	S _____ T _____ R _____	_____

Register of Deeds Stamp & File Number

4. Lot No. _____, Recorded Plat _____
 5. Private Claims _____

12 Jul 07 2003
 E5 Jul 10 2003

I, Stephan J. Szyszkoski, in a field survey on _____, 20____ do hereby state that under requirements of P.A. 74, Michigan P.A. of 1970, the corner points mentioned in lines 1 and 2 above were in conformance with regulations and rules therefore as required in the current manual of survey instructions of the United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management or by a decree of a Court of Law and for that the corner points mentioned in lines 3, 4 and 5 above were in conformance with the rules of the Michigan Board of Land Surveyors or by a Decree of a Court of Law, established, re-established, monumented, recovered, found as expressed below:



NOTE: Not more than 2 corners, all in the same town and range, may be recorded on this certificate.

A. Description of original monument and accessories and/or subsequent restoration:
 (E5) Corner common to Sections 8-9-16-17. 1846: Established by Sylvester Higgins: North between 16 & 17...80.00 Set post cor. Sec. 8,9,16,17. W.Pine 30 S25E 27, W.Pine 30 N40W 22. 1919: P.A.Larson notes [which I rec'd from S.Hein, PS] state: "Set I.P. from orig'l Pine 30" S25E 17.8'. 89.8' E. to Gibbs Cor." On a fieldbook sketch of the subdivision of the W1/2 of Sec. 9 Larson notes dist. 2559.2' North to orig'l 1/4 corner and an angle at the 1/4 cor. of 181 deg. 09' between Sec. corners (clockwise from E5). Inexplicably, Larson also shows, on a different sketch of T53N-R34W, an angle of 180 deg. 33' at this same location. The two sketches show distances of 2728' and 2738' E. to F5, both described as "calculated". 1966: record for D5 by Billy D. Buckler indicates there is a fence at this corner which he used to establish D5. 2003: Wester Rintala, former long-time resident of the NE1/4 of the NE1/4 of Sec. 17 told me that the fence along the East lines of Sec. 17 and 8 were recognized by local land owners as marking the section lines and that his father, perhaps 70 years ago, built a road from the section corner west and south to their home on the NE1/4 of the NE1/4. (12-Sec. 17) South 1/16 corner Section 17. Not established in the original survey.

B. Description of corner evidence found and/or method applied in restoring or reestablishing corner:
 (E5) The original post and accessories were not recovered, probably destroyed long ago by road construction. The Larson I.pipe was not recovered. Found old fences along the section lines north and south and reestablished the corner in the fence lines produced, and in the physical centerline of Old Road. From this position, the distance north to E4 and the angle at E4 both agree well with Larson (2557.45' N, and 181 deg. 09'48" between Sec. corners clockwise from E5). The road to the old Rintala homestead runs SW from this position. Distances to adjacent 1/4 corners West, South and East run longer than the GLO record, consistent with the observed length of other lines in this part of the township. The dist. E. to F5 was found to be 2696.38', shorter than Larson's calculation. The difference appears to be a function of the difference in the two angles noted above.
 (12-Sec. 17) Established the corner midway and on a straight line between Center of Section 1331.39' north and Quarter corner 1331.39' south.

C. Description of monument for corner and accessories established to perpetuate locating the position of the corner:
 (E5) Set 1"IDx32" I.pipe with 4" alum. MDNR cap 6" below the surface of Old Road. Blazed, scribed, and set measuring nails in:
 8" Oak N38E 21.55' "S9 NBT"
 5" W.Spruce S51E 14.9' "S16 NBT"
 7" W.Spruce N84W 34.1' "S8 NBT"
 10" Oak N11W 29.9' do
 Bearings are magnetic. Distances are to nail with tag.
 (12) Set 1"IDx32" I.pipe with 4" alum. MDNR cap. Blazed, scribed, and set measuring nails in:
 6" Spruce N18E 16.2' "1/16S BT"
 8" Maple in clump S57E 21.1' do
 8" Spruce S13W 28.2' do
 6" Sugar N33W 47.8' do
 Set sq'd spruce post adjacent. Bearings are magnetic. Distances are to nail with tag.



Signed by Stephan J. Szyszkoski Date 8/11/03
 Surveyor's Michigan License No. 33986