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# [TOWN BOUNDARY RESEARCH AND MAPPING]

Outline of the various sources of Town Boundary information including where these sources are potentially located. Examples of sources are included as well as a description of field techniques to locate town boundary markers with a mapping grade GPS.

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## State Records (assumed to be at state library)

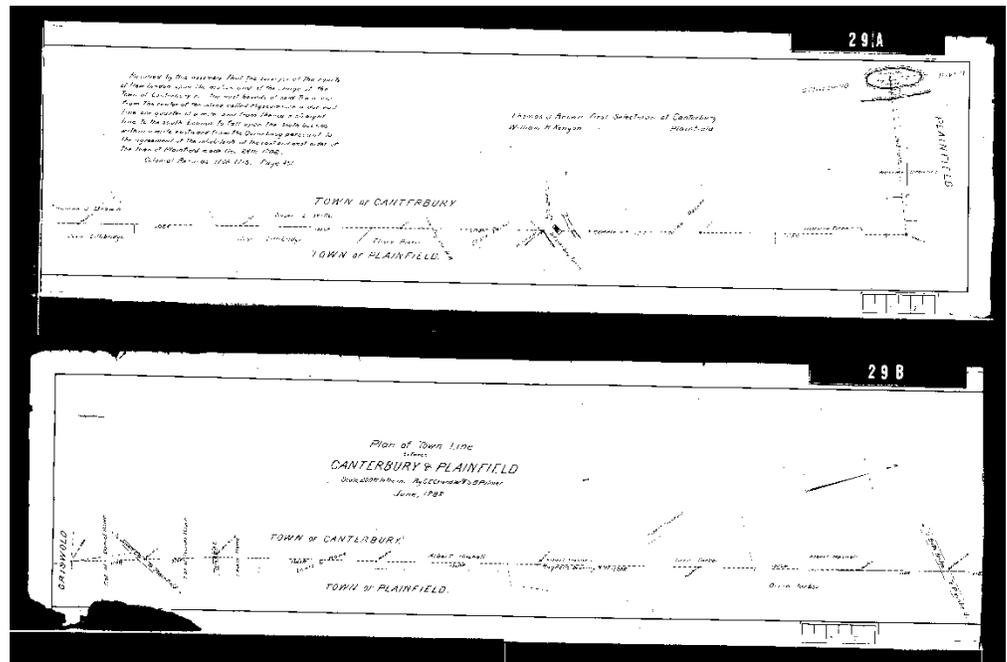
- a. Incorporating Act – Legislative Special Acts
- b. Town Boundary Revision Act

## Federal Records

- USGS Topographic Maps
  - a. Current Set (ESRI US Topographic Map Service)
  - b. 1950's version (MAGIC georeferenced topos)
  - c. 1940's version (MAGIC georeferenced topos)

## Private Records

- Surveyor Maps
  - a. On file with Town Clerk
    - i. Specific townline map created for the purpose of delineating townline.



- ii. Subdivision or any other survey with a property that abuts or spans townline. May or may not be adequately indexed indicating townline on map.
- b. Unfiled maps with local surveyors

## Compilation and Field Work

### Compilation

## Field Work

- a. At least a Sub-Foot GPS receiver. Load any existing data sources even if preliminary
- b. Photograph bounds/monuments
- c. Type, height above grade,