

Abbreviation Descriptions for City of Lincoln Benchmarks

<u>Abbreviation</u>	<u>Description</u>
-BC or BOC	Back Of Curb or top of curb.
-BWI	Back of Walk <u>I</u> ntersection (where the back side of 2 sidewalks intersect).
-CBM	City Bench <u>m</u> ark (a 2” brass cap set in a square concrete post and stamped: “City BM or City of Lincoln). CBM’s are also located in some island noses.
-HDWL	Headwall
-HYD	Fire hydrant
-LCSM	Lancaster County Survey Monument (Lancaster County sets standard 2 1/2” aluminum caps on most of the section corners they have recovered. These caps are stamped with the following information: LCSM and include the township, range and section numbers).
-P/L	Property Line
-TA	Tail of Arrow (the tail or “feathers” of the arrow on the hydrant bonnet, to show which direction to OPEN the valve). These arrows are found in various places on different styles of hydrants. For example: near the very top nut, and these are usually very small arrows; on the flange of newer hydrants, and these are usually very large arrows.
-“107”	Mueller fire hydrants that were made during their 107 th anniversary have the number “107” stamped into the top flange of the bonnet. When “107” shows up in a description, it may be worded, “NE ‘107’ on flange of hyd, SW cor”. Which means the “107” is printed on the hydrant more than once, so the “107” that was used was the, “Northeast ‘107’, on the southwest corner of said intersection”.
-60P Nail	These are very large nails.