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SITE IDENTIFICATION		5115# 52	
Field Code Clear Lake Township School	Site Name <u>Clear Lake Township School</u>		
Map Quad_ <u>Driscoll</u> Map Quad			<u>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </u>
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City: Driscoll			$2 = E\frac{1}{2}$ $3 = S\frac{1}{2}$
Street Number:			$4 = W\frac{1}{2}$ 5 = NE ¹ / ₄
Street Name: 405th St NE			$6 = SE\frac{1}{4}$ 7 = SW $\frac{1}{4}$
Urban Legal Description:		_	8 = NW ¹ / ₄
SITE DATA			
Total # Architectural Features:1			
Fieldwork Date: 7/8/2014			
Reconnaissance Survey 🖌 Inten	sive Survey		
Project Title & Supervisor: Country Schoolhouse Project			
Report Title & Author(s):			
Additional Information:		<u></u>	
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	PAGE 2—Feature Data

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Complete one Page 2 for each architectural feature at the site.						
Architectural Feature	#1					
Construction Date	Feature Type	Condition 7				
Feature Date 3	Context 7	Plan Shape 5				
Structural System 25	Primary Exterior	Style Other Style	/le			
Original Owner's Ethnicity	Secondary Exterio	Architect/Build	ег			
Other Information:						
Foundation Concrete		Stories1	-			
Roof/Cornice_Gable	. <u> </u>					
Window Double hung, sm	naller fixed 4 pane					
Dating Method(s):	ofessional estima	te	·····			
Feature Preservation Recommendation(s) (Check all that apply):						
Individual nomina	ition					
Contributes to a	potential district					
No nomination potential						
Will not contribute	e to a district					
Potential district—feature would be a contributing element if other properties constitute a district						
Thematic nomination potential						
Component of a historic site or landscape						
Moved (specify all applicable choices)—a) relocation occurred within a historic period; b) recreates original site, orientation, landscape, & spatial relationships; c) compatible in context with neighboring structures; d) relocation has damaged eligibility						
——Historical associations require further investigation						
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Complete a Page 3 for each feature.

1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:

This feature is a one room prairie school that was moved into the city of Driscoll to be used as a museum for the Alumni of Driscoll School. It was originally located about 4 miles out of town to the north.

The gable roof is covered with newer asphalt shingles. There are eave or cornice returns at all corners of the main body of the school with the same asphalt shingles. The returns have wood (moulding) facia. There is a gold colored brick chimney at the west end of the peak of the roof. The gable roof of the entry shows a little bit of a swoop when viewed from the east, also covered with asphalt shingles. Under the peak of the entry is a decorative bit of asphalt shingle roof look. The school measures 18 feet 4 inches north to south and 36 feet east to west.

An 8 inch header runs along either peak of the main body of the school. There is a small vent on both the north and south walls near the peak for air movement in the attic space. The eaves have closed soffits. The outside walls are covered with 6 inch wood lap siding with 4 inch wood corner trim.

There are three two pane, double hung windows on the south wall of the school. The windows all have screens. I don't know if there were ever more windows or if these are original. Two more windows are on the east side, these are smaller, 4 pane fixed windows.

There is a newer, solid core door that leads into the school from a wood porch. All this is newer construction. Inside the school the entry walls are covered with bead board. There are rounded corner at both the north and south walls. Some of the flooring in the entry is hardwood tongue and groove. Small rooms are at both the left and right as you step into the entry. An older, wood door leads in to the main body. Here the flooring is laminate. In the main body of the school there are no rounded corners at the ceiling. There is wall board on all the walls and ceiling, painted white. Wainscoating is present in the large room. No blackboards remain. There is electricity in the building.

The alumni of the Driscoll School has decorated the interior with student desks, teachers desk, books and etc. for the old shool feel. In addition to these items there is a trophy case, composite class pictures, band uniforms, cheerleader uniforms and other items that talk of the history of the school in Driscoll. That school no longer exists.

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Complete one Page 4 for the entire site.

2. Owner's Contact Information:

Driscoll School Alumni Association Norman Meland PO Box 6 Driscoll ND 58532

3. Access (to rural areas):

Driscoll exit off of Interstate 94, drive into town and find the school on the west side of the road just south of the grocery store.

4. Site Area (ft²):

5. Description of SETTING:

The school sits right in town with houses and business buildings all sides.

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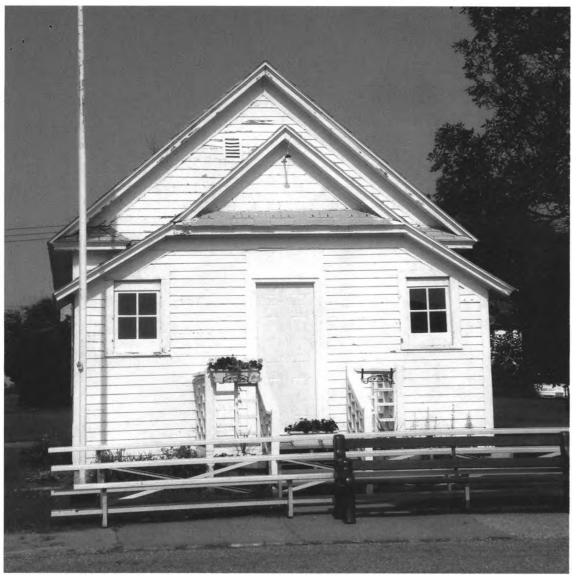
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6. Summary of ALL Site Features & Evaluation of Significance:

7. References/Comments: Kathy Wilner 366 43rd Ave SE Bowdon ND 58418

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East Side

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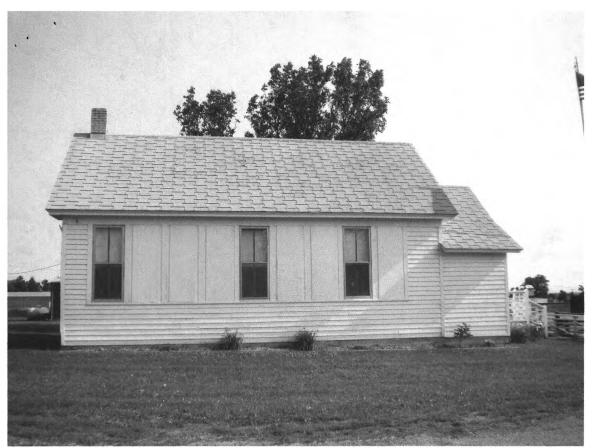
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North Side





South Side

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West Side

