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NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE	FORM		
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SITE IDENTIFICATION					
Field Code Albion Town	nship School		Ibion Township		
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City: Ellendale	·····				3 = S½
Street Number:					4 = W½ 5 = NE¼
Street Name: 82nd Ave	SE				6 = SE¼ 7 = SW¼
Urban Legal Description	n:				8 = NW¼
SITE DATA					
Total # Architectural Fe	eatures:1				
Fieldwork Date:	11/3/2014				
Reconnaissance Survey		sive Survey			
Project Title & Superviso	br:				
Country Schoolhouse P	Project				
Report Title & Author(s):					
Additional Information: _					
SHSND USE Area of Significance Area of Significance Area of Significance	Ecozone Ecozone	Verified S Non-Site	ite	CR Type	2
Recorded By	Kathy Wilne	er	Date Reco		2/26/2015
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NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE FORM PAGE 2—Feature Data

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Complete one Pa	ge 2 <u>for each ar</u>	<u>chitectural feature</u> at	the site.	
Architectural Featu	ıre #1			
Construction Date	Fe	eature Type <u>9</u>	Condition 5	
Feature Date 4	C	ontext 7	Plan Shape	
Structural System 25	Pi	rimary Exterior <u>26</u>	Style Other S	ityle Hippe of Rost Bor
Original Owner's Ethn	icity So	econdary Exterior 27	Architect/Bui	
Other Information:				
Foundation Concrete		<u></u>	Stories1	
Roof/Cornice_Hip roof	with gable on entry			,
Window Double hung				
Dating Method(s):	rofessiona	estimate	<u> </u>	<u></u>
Feature Preservation	on Recommendat	ion(s) (Check all that a	pply):	
Individual nom	nination			
Contributes to	a potential district			
No nomination	potential			
Will not contril	oute to a district			
Potential distri	ict-feature would be	e a contributing element if o	other properties c	onstitute a district
	ination potential			
Component of	a historic site or lan	dscape		
recreates origi	inal site, orientation,	ces)—a) relocation occurre landscape, & spatial relatio cation has damaged eligib	onships; c) compa	
Historical asso	ociations require furt	ner investigation		
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Complete a Page 3 for each feature.

1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:

The feature is a large, wood framed one room prairie school on a poured concrete foundation. The roof of this school has a mixture of asphalt shingles over wood shakes as well as a lot of bare wood sheathing. The hip roof has metal capping on all seams and the gable roof of the entry also has metal capping. There is a cement chimney near the peak on the south facing slope of the roof. The eaves all have soffits closed with beadboard. Under the peak end of the entry roof there is a half moon window opening and a short, decorative roof piece, all covered with wood shakes. The building measures 36 feet north to south and 24 feet east to west. The entry measures 8 feet east to west and 14 feet north to south.

A broken wood step and platform lead to an old wood entry door. Above that door is framing for a four pane transom window. On the east facing wall of the entry there is also a high window opening with another small window opening on the south facint side of the entry, light for the bathroom. One more window opening is covered on the north side of the entry. The door is offset to north side of the east wall as the south half of the entry housed bathrooms. A wide header runs under the eaves of the main body of the school. The building has 6 inch wood lap siding with 4 inch corner trim. Another wide board finishes the bottom of the siding on all sides. A window on the south side of the east wall of the school has one double hung window opening with a few bits of framing left. There are two tall windows on the south side, one covered and one with some frame work and little glass. On the west side there is one double hung window near the south side and then a bank of 6 windows fills the north 2/3 of the west wall. There are three covered and the other three are open with some framing and no glass. The entry is a pass through area as the coat rooms are at the south end of the school. Walking through the entry and into the main school room there are rooms to the left that are coat rooms. Most times boys and girls were separated so thinking that is what happened here. Nothing left in the rooms. Doors enter the main body of the school from the coat rooms on either side of an oil burning stove. The school has high ceilings of lathe and plaster. The walls are lathe and paster here as well with a narrow trim board on all walls about 2 feet from the ceiling. The floor in the building is tongue and groove hardwood. The south rooms have some wainscot, also some in the main body of the school while other walls had plaster, much of which if falling away. Lathe from the ceiling is also falling in. There are blackboards on most of the north wall and it wraps around to 1/2 of the east wall. There are light switches and light fixtures that give evidence of electricity.

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Complete one Page 4 for the entire site.

2. Owner's Contact Information:

David Retzlaff 8354 92nd St SE Ellendale ND 58436

3. Access (to rural areas):

From Ellendale drive north on Highway 281 2 miles to 94th St SE. Turn left and drive west 7 miles to see the school on the northwest corner of the intersection.

4. Site Area (ft²):

5. Description of SETTING:

This school has trees to the west and few more to the north. A farm site is east and there are fields in all directions.

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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

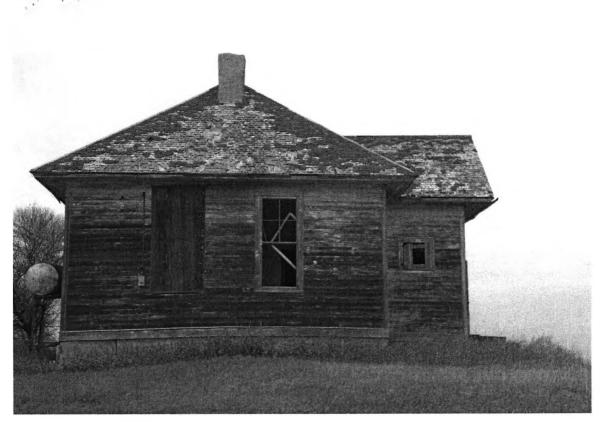
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North Side





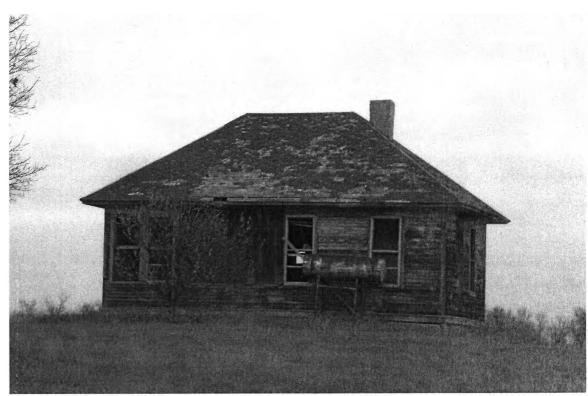
South Side

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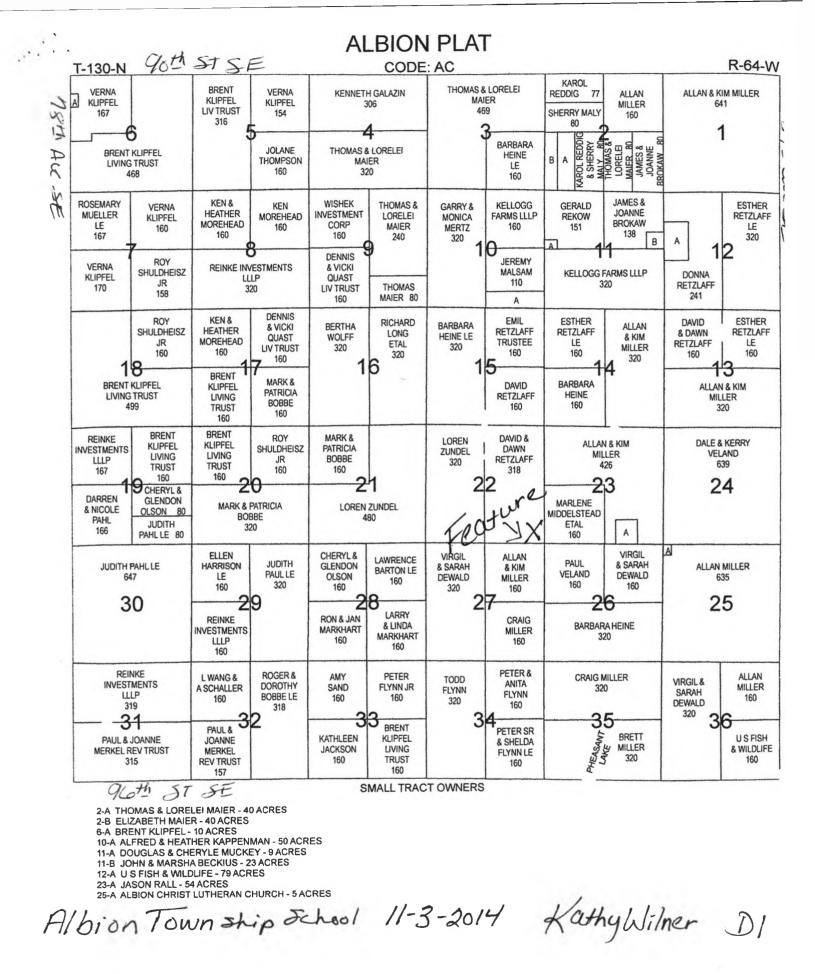
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West Side



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