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SITE IDENTIFICATION		5115# 52	<u></u>
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UTM 5247332 N UTM 679429 E	ZONE <u>13N</u> NAD 1927	NAD 1983 📈	Subsection: $1 = N\frac{1}{2}$
City: Dunn Center			$2 = E\frac{1}{2}$ $3 = S\frac{1}{2}$
Street Number:			$4 = W\frac{1}{2}$ 5 = NE ¹ / ₄
Street Name: Museum Trail			6 = SE¼ 7 = SW¼
Urban Legal Description:			8 = NW1⁄4
SITE DATA			
Total # Architectural Features:1	sub-orderated		
Fieldwork Date: 4/13/2016			
Reconnaissance Survey 🖌 Inten	sive Survey		
Project Title & Supervisor: Country Schoolhouse Project			
Report Title & Author(s):			
Additional Information:			
SHSND USE Area of Significance Area of Significance Area of Significance Area of Significance	Verified Site Non-Site	- CR Type	2
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Complete one Page 2 for each architectural feature at the site.				
Architectural Feature #1				
Construction Date <u>1929</u>	Feature Type <u>9</u>	Condition 7		
Feature Date 4	Context 7	Plan Shape <u>5</u>		
Structural System 25	Primary Exterior 26	Style Hip Roofed Box		
Original Owner's Ethnicity	Secondary Exterior	Architect/Builder		
Other Information:				
Foundation Concrete		Stories1		
Roof/Cornice_Hip				
Window_Double hung, glass intact				
Dating Method(s): School history				
Feature Preservation Recommendation(s) (Check all that apply):				
Individual nomination				
Contributes to a potential d	istrict			
No nomination potential				
Will not contribute 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:

The feature is a one room prairie school on a concrete foundation. The hip roof of the school is covered with ribbed metal sheeting. There is a vent on the east slope of the roof and there is no chimney. The soffits are closed. There are eaves troughs on the school with downspouts at the corners on the west end. The building measures 28 feet east to west and 24 feet north to south. There is a wood step leading gup to the entry door with wood railings.

There is a wide trim board under the soffits on all four side of the school. Remainder of the siding is 6 inch wood lap with 6 inch corner trim. The lower part of the wall has waterboard and another wide trim board. The entry has a newer, sold core, locked door. A transom window is above the door. There are two double hung windows to each side of the door, glass intact. On the south wall of the school there is a bank of 6 double hung, two over two, windows with all glass intact. Window shades pull down from the top of the window frame. The interior walls are wall board with beadboard wainscot. The ceiling is finished with wallboard and it angles toward the walls along the north and south sides. There are blackboards on 3/4 of the north wall, into the west corner, and cover about 1/2 of the west wall. At the entry, there is a wall directly in from the entry door and there is a hallway to either side for the bathrooms, girls on the left and boys on the right, and on to the coat room in the northeast corner and the washroom in the southeast corner. Two doors either side of the dividing wall give access to the school room. The floor is tongue and groove hardwood. Cupboards in the school room on the dividing wall and along part of the north wall hold many books and other school items. There are student desks, a teachers desk, more books and other items common to a one room school. There is as floor grate, used when the school was located on a basement in a previous location.

The school has been moved twice since it was built in 1929, first to a farm in 1980 and later moved to the museum loction in Dunn Center. It was restored after the 1980 move.

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Complete one Page 4 for the entire site.

2. Owner's Contact Information: Dunn County Museum

154 Museum Trail Dunn Center ND 58686

3. Access (to rural areas):

In town, off main street to the west on Museum Trail

4. Site Area (ft²):

5. Description of SETTING:

There are homes to the south and west, a large museum building to the north as well as smaller buildings with the museum to the east.

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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

Iota School #1

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North Side





South Side

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West Side



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