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SITS# 32 GV 336

### SITE IDENTIFICATION

Field Code Little Beaver School Site Name \_\_\_\_\_

Map Quad Beach West Site Name \_\_\_\_\_

Map Quad \_\_\_\_\_

LTL	TWP	<u>140</u>	R	<u>106</u>	SEC	<u>25</u>	QQQ	<u>7</u>	QQ	<u>7</u>	Q	<u>8</u>
LTL	TWP	_____	R	_____	SEC	_____	QQQ	_____	QQ	_____	Q	_____
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UTM \_\_\_\_\_ 5196002 \_\_\_\_\_ N ZONE 13N  
 UTM \_\_\_\_\_ 575760 \_\_\_\_\_ E NAD 1927 \_\_\_\_\_ NAD 1983

Subsection:
1 = N $\frac{1}{2}$
2 = E $\frac{1}{2}$
3 = S $\frac{1}{2}$
4 = W $\frac{1}{2}$
5 = NE $\frac{1}{4}$
6 = SE $\frac{1}{4}$
7 = SW $\frac{1}{4}$
8 = NW $\frac{1}{4}$

City: Beach

Street Number: 185

Street Name: 1st Ave SE

Urban Legal Description: \_\_\_\_\_

### SITE DATA

Total # *Architectural* Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 6/22/2016

Reconnaissance Survey  Intensive Survey \_\_\_\_\_

Project Title & Supervisor:  
Country Schoolhouse Project

Report Title & Author(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Information: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>SHSND USE</b>	<u>2</u>	Ecozone	<u>22</u>	Verified Site	<u>1</u>	CR Type	<u>2</u>
Area of Significance	_____	Ecozone	_____	Non-Site	_____		
Area of Significance	_____						

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**PAGE 2—Feature Data**

Field Code Little Beaver SchoolSITS# 32 GV**Complete one Page 2 for each architectural feature at the site.****Architectural Feature #** 1Construction Date 1908Feature Type 9Condition 7Feature Date 3Context 7Plan Shape 5Structural System 25Primary Exterior 26Style Other Style

Original Owner's Ethnicity \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Exterior \_\_\_\_\_

Architect/Builder \_\_\_\_\_

Other Information:

Foundation Concrete Stories 1Roof/Cornice GableWindow Double hung, two over two, all glassDating Method(s): School history**Feature Preservation Recommendation(s) (Check all that apply):** Individual nomination Contributes to a potential district 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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**PAGE 3—Feature Data**

Field Code Little Beaver SchoolSITS# 32 GV**Complete a Page 3 for each feature.****1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

The feature is a one room prairie school on a concrete foundation. It was moved to this museum complex to serve as a model for country schools in Golden Valley County. The gable roof of the school is covered with ribbed metal sheeting. There are eaves troughs on the north and south sides with downspouts. There is no chimney. There is a bell tower at the east end of the school at the peak of the roof. The tower perches on the roof with wood lap siding on the base with 4 posts to hold the pyramid roof which is covered with wood shakes. There is a bell in the tower as well as a flag pole at the peak of the tower. The soffits are closed. The building measures 40 feet east to west and 18 feet north to south.

There is a wide trim board under the soffits at the peak ends of the building with the remainder of the siding 6 inch wood lap with 6 inch wood corner trim. There are attic vents on the walls at the peak ends. The windows are double hung, two over two with all glass intact. There are two on the east side, three on the north side and three more on the south side. On the southeast corner of the school there is a porch, it is cut into that corner. One pillar is at the very south east corner supports the roof at the south side. There is a ramp leading to a concrete platform that gives entry by way of a 2 panel wood entry door. A 5 panel wood door opens into the school room. The entry and school room walls are covered with wallboard and in the school room partial board forms wainscot below a decorative railing. The ceiling has wallboard tiles. The floor is tongue and groove hardwood. The entry is quite large with cupboards, a wash stand and water cooler. The school room has student desks, a teachers desk, a furnace with a lovely furnace surround, maps, blackboards on the west wall and the north and south walls between all the windows wrapping around to the door on both sides, books and much more.

The school was built in 1908 and became operational in 1909, closing in 1963.

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PAGE 5—SITE DESCRIPTION**

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

**7. References/Comments:**

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366 43rd Ave SE  
Bowdon ND 58418

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PAGE 4—SITE DESCRIPTION**

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**Complete one Page 4 for the entire site.**

2. Owner's Contact Information:

Golden Valley Historical Society  
PO Box 384  
Beach ND 58621

3. Access (to rural areas):

4. Site Area (ft<sup>2</sup>): \_\_\_\_\_

5. Description of **SETTING**:

This school is part of a museum complex, display buildings to the west, south and north and the courthouse across the street to the east.

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East Side

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South Side







North Side

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North Side





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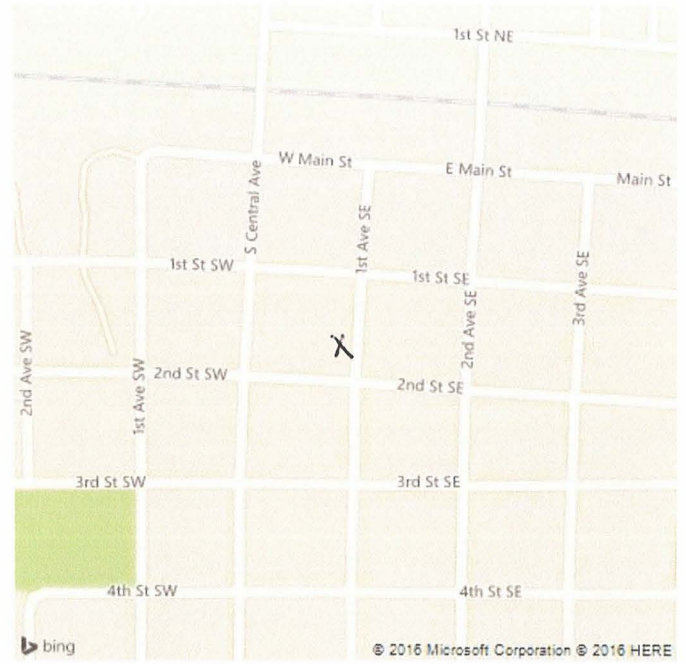
Notes

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