

# NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE FORM

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SITS# 32 ML 1254

### SITE IDENTIFICATION

Field Code Wise Township School Site Name Wise Township School  
Site Name \_\_\_\_\_

Map Quad Pelican Lake  
Map Quad \_\_\_\_\_

LTL \_\_\_ TWP 147 R 79 SEC 26 QQQ 8 QQ 7 Q 8  
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UTM \_\_\_\_\_ N ZONE \_\_\_\_\_  
UTM \_\_\_\_\_ 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: Mercer ND 58559

Street Number: about 768

Street Name: 8th Ave NW

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

### SITE DATA

Total # **Architectural** Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 9/26/2011

Reconnaissance Survey  Intensive Survey

Project Title & Supervisor:

Country Schoolhouse Project

Report Title & Author(s):

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

### SHSND USE

Area of Significance 2 Ecozone 19 Verified Site \_\_\_\_\_ CR Type 2  
Area of Significance \_\_\_\_\_ Ecozone \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Site \_\_\_\_\_  
Area of Significance \_\_\_\_\_

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### NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE FORM 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 9

Condition 6

Feature Date 2

Context 7

Plan Shape 5

Structural System 25

Primary Exterior 26

Style Gable Front

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

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

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

Other Information:

Foundation At this point it is resting on planks Stories 1

Roof/Cornice Gable

Window boarded

Dating Method(s): McLean County 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 Wise Township SchoolSITS# 32 ML**Complete a Page 3 for each feature.****1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

Wise Township School, also know as Sprout School #1, is a wood framed building that is in good repair. It was moved to the present location with plans to do some inside refurbishing and possible furnishing. I was not able to go inside the school so I do not know what it looks like. The school has wood lap siding and it has a lot of plant on it. I also see a couple vents on both the north and south sides of the school for air flow. There was electricity at some point as there are wires on the west side and a light over the door on the south side. The shingle are asphalt and appear to be in very good shape. The school has two covered windows on the west side, one on the east side and three on the south side. The boarded up entry door is also on the south side. It is currently sitting on blocks and/or timbers. There is no chimney. The building measures 20 feet north to south and 32 feet east to west.

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

2. Owner's Contact Information:

3. Access (to rural areas):

North of Mercer on County Road 33, 3.8 miles, the school is on the right.

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

5. Description of **SETTING**:

The school sits on a rise and to the north, east and south there are farm fields. To the southwest and across the road is Brush Lake. Directly west is a farm.

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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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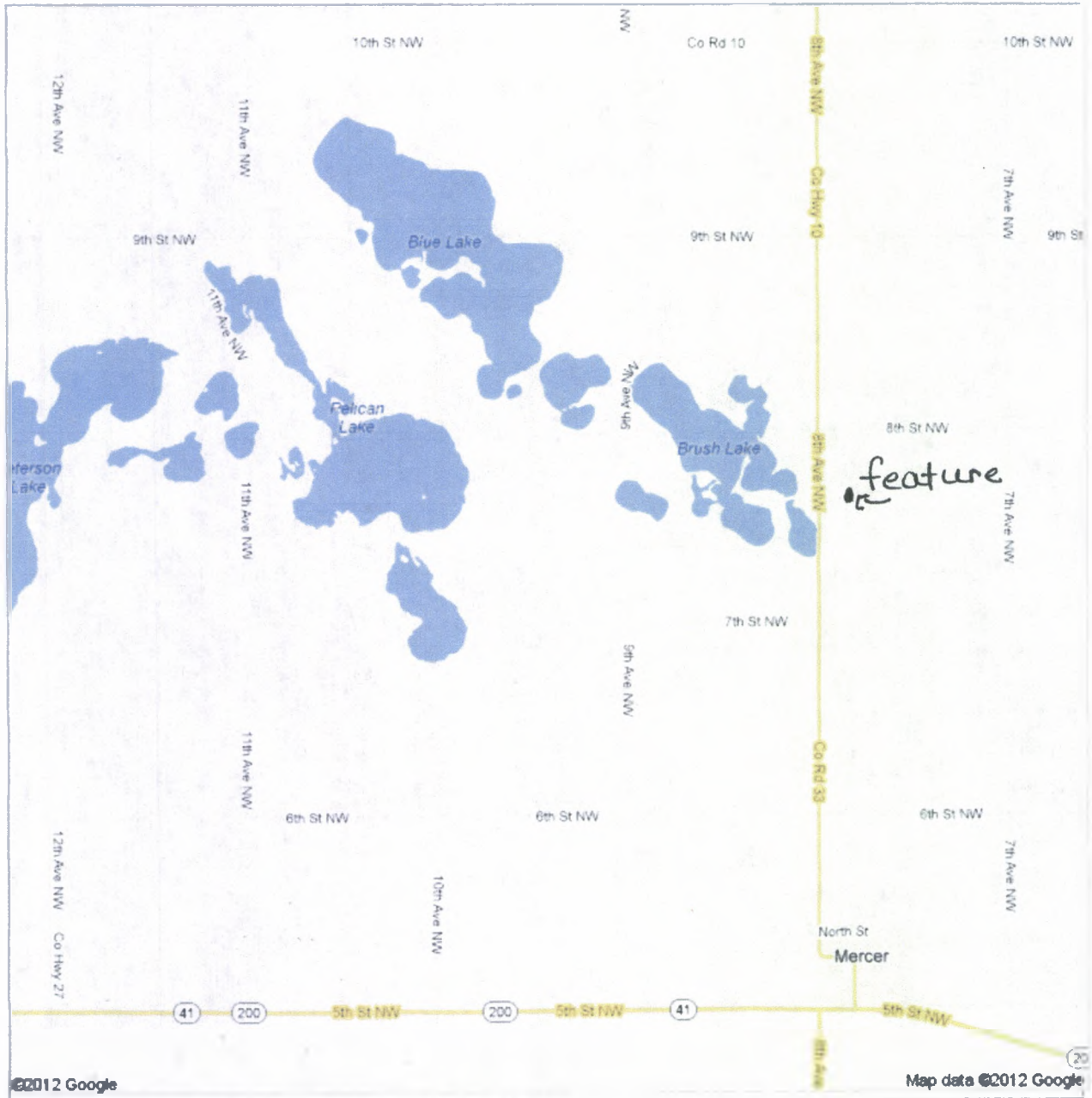
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Sprout School  
Wise Township School

2/20/2012

Kathy Wilner ML





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