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Field Code Byersville Twp School

SITS# 32 ML 1399

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Subsection
1 = N1/2
2 = E1/2
3 = S1/2
4 = W1/2
5 = NE1/4
6 = SE1/4
7 = SW1/4
8 = NW1/4

NAD 1983 UTM 5287859 Zone 14N
NAD 1983 UTM 375850

City:

Street Number:

Street Name: 22ND St SW

Urban Legal Description:

Total Number of Architectural Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 05/31/2021

Reconnaissance Survey [checked] Intensive Survey

Project & Principal Investigator:
Country School House Project
Kathy Wilner
366 43rd Ave SE, Bowdon, ND 58418

Contracting Firm or Agency Completing the Form:

Additional Information:

SHSND USE
Component Study Unit Verified Site CR Type
Component
Component

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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 Date 1880-1900

Structural System Wood Frame

Original Owner's Ethnicity _____

Feature Type 9 - School; Church school

Context Education

Primary Exterior Wood, Horizontal Siding

Secondary Exterior _____

Condition Fair

Plan Shape Rectangular

Style Other Style

Architect/Builder _____

Foundation Poured Concrete Stories 1.0

Roof/Cornice Hip

Window Multipane, double hung with some glass

Dating Method(s) Estimate

Miscellaneous Information _____

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, and spatial relationships; c) compatible in context with neighboring structures; d) relocation has damaged eligibility

Historical associations require further investigation

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NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL FORM**PAGE 3 – Feature Data****Field Code** Byersville Twp School**SITS#** 32 ML 1399**Complete one Page 3 for each architectural feature at the site.****1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

This feature is a one room prairie school on a poured concrete foundation. It was likely moved to the present location as I am sure it sat on a basement in a previous location. The hip roof has remnants of wood shakes and a bit of metal capping. The roof boards are failing as well. There is no chimney. Soffits are closed with beadboard.

The siding begins with rake boards under the eaves on all four sides. The remaining siding is 6 inch wood lap with 4 inch wood corner trim. A waterboard finishes the siding. There are 5 multipane windows on the east side and one more near the south end of the same wall, two more on the south side and yet another on the west side and they all have some glass. There are two doors, a 3 panel wood door with two windows at the top situated between the windows on the south side and another 5 panel wood door at the west side of the south wall. I think the second door went to a basement at some point. The coat room has two panel, wood doors leading into the school room on either side of a dividing wall. Inside the school room, on that same dividing wall, are several vents for heat and air exchange. No furnace any more. The walls in the school are lathe and plaster. The ceiling was also lathe and plaster with very little remaining. This school has a high ceiling with a picture rail running on all walls. A wide board finishes all the walls at floor level. There are no blackboards in the school but the outlines remain on the north and west walls. The floor is tongue and groove hardwood. Light fixtures and outlets indicate the presence of electricity at some point.

2. Owner's Contact Information:

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1919 4th Ave NW
Butte ND 58723

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PAGE 4 – Site Description****Field Code** Byersville Twp School**SITS# 32 ML** 13993. Site Area (ft²):

4. Description of Access and Site Setting:

This building sits in the middle of fields all directions. It may have been moved to this location for storage. Old farm equipment sits around the building. To reach this building go 8 miles south of Butte on County 33 to 21st St SW. Turn left (east) and go 1 mile to 3rd Ave NW. Turn left (north) and go 1 mile north to the township road going west. On the map it shows 22nd Ave NW. Go about 1/4 mile back west.

5. Summary of ALL Site Features and Evaluation of Significance:

6. References/Comments:

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East Side

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North Side





South Side

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West Side



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