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SITS# 32 \_\_\_\_\_ SH 296

## SITE IDENTIFICATION

Field Code Houser School #2 Site Name Houser School #2

Map Quad McClusky Site Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

LTL	TWP	<u>146</u>	R	<u>77</u>	SEC	<u>28</u>	QQQ	<u>6</u>	QQ	<u>6</u>	Q	<u>6</u>
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UTM \_\_\_\_\_ N ZONE \_\_\_\_\_  
 UTM \_\_\_\_\_ E NAD 1927 \_\_\_\_\_ NAD 1983 \_\_\_\_\_

Subsection:
1 = N½
2 = E½
3 = S½
4 = W½
5 = NE¼
6 = SE¼
7 = SW¼
8 = NW¼

City: McClusky ND

Street Number: 111

Street Name: 3rd Ave NE

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

## SITE DATA

Total # *Architectural* Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 10/25/2013

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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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 5  
 Feature Date 2 Context 7 Plan Shape 5  
 Structural System 25 Primary Exterior 26 Style Other Style  
 Original Owner's Ethnicity \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Exterior \_\_\_\_\_ Architect/Builder 1

Other Information:

Foundation concrete Stories 1  
 Roof/Cornice Gable  
 Window All gone, covered and converted for a granary  
 Dating Method(s): estimate

**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 Houser School #2SITS# 32 SH**Complete a Page 3 for each feature.****1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

The feature is a wood framed, one room prairie school house, moved to this farm for use as a granary and/or storage. It is a large building measuring 30 1/2 feet east to west and 16 feet 4 inches north to south. The roof is covered with shakes and a piece of metal, bent over the roof peak, at the west end of the building indicates location of a chimney at some point. There is no entry/porch attached to this building. The walls of the building are covered with 6 inch lap siding with a wider trim board running under the roof. The corners are trimmed with 4 inch wood. The soffits are not enclosed.

There were originally 4 windows on both the north and south sides of the building and all have been removed and boarded up. On the south side 4 doors/openings, high on the wall, gave access to four separate areas inside for grain storage. At the bottom of the wall were 4 more openings that allowed them to retrieve the grain. The locations of the original windows can be seen as it creates straight lines when the openings are filled in.

There is a door opening on the east end giving access to part the building. They use it for storage today. The building was totally gutted to the outer walls. The ceiling is also gone and today there is daylight coming through the peak of the roof. The floor is still the original narrow hardwood.

The building is painted tan with blue trim today.

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

2. Owner's Contact Information:

Donna Fibelstad  
111 3rd Ave NE  
McClusky ND 58463

3. Access (to rural areas):

From McClusky, drive west on Highway 200 2 miles to 3rd Ave NE. Turn left (south) and drive 3 1/2 miles to see the school on your right . Farm is on the west side of the road.

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

5. Description of **SETTING**:

The building sits at the north edge of the farm yard. There is a large slough to the north and west and hilly pasture to the east. This is a cattle farm.

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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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South Side

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West Side





North Side

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East Side



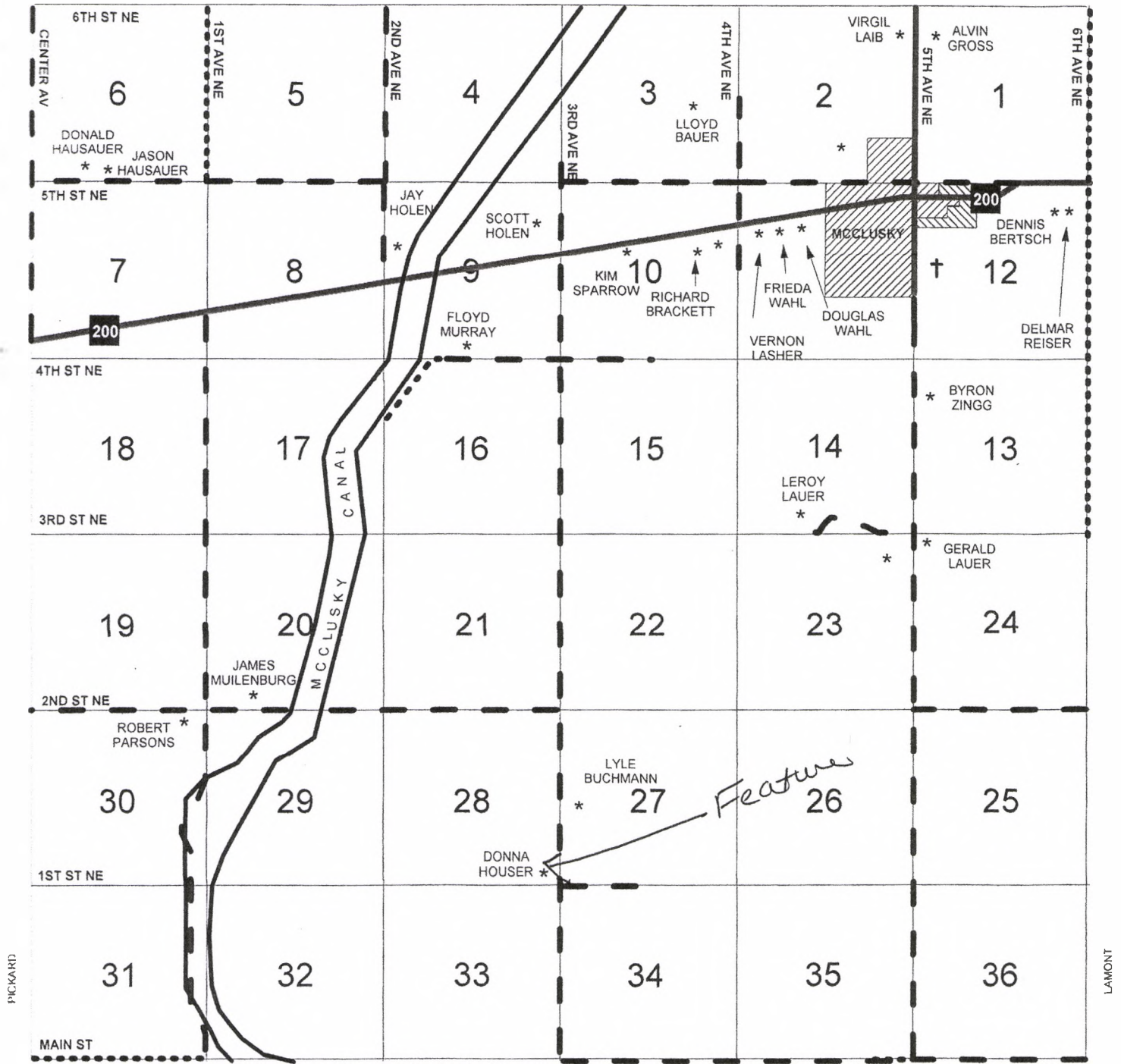
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T-146-N

MOUNTAIN CITY

CODE: AR

R-77-W



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AD	AM	BB	AZ	AQ