

NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL FORM

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Field Code North Prairie Twsp. School #1

SITS# 32 WD 2167

Map Quad Burlington

Site Name North Prairie Twsp School #1

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

Site Name \_\_\_\_\_

LTL    T. 155 N., R. 84 W., Sec. 12 QQQ 7 of the QQ 6 of the Q 8

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NAD \_\_\_\_\_ UTM \_\_\_\_\_ Zone \_\_\_\_\_

NAD \_\_\_\_\_ UTM \_\_\_\_\_

City: Burlington

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

Street Number: 8181

Street Name: Highway 2 & 52 West

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

Total Number of Architectural Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 7/12/2020

Reconnaissance Survey

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 1900-1915

Structural System Wood Frame

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

Feature Type 9 - School; Church school

Context Education

Primary Exterior Wood, Horizontal Siding

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

Condition Excellent

Plan Shape Rectangular

Style Other Style

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

Foundation Concrete Pad Stories 1

Roof/Cornice Gable

Window Double hung, all glass intact

Dating Method(s) School history

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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**PAGE 3 – Feature Data**

**Field Code** North Prairie Twsp. School #1

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**Complete one Page 3 for each architectural feature at the site.**

1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:  
Please see previous documentation.

2. Owner's Contact Information:  
Ward County Historical Society  
8181 Highway 2 & 52 West  
Burlington ND 58722

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**NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL FORM****PAGE 4 – Site Description****Field Code** North Prairie Twp. School #1**SITS# 32** WD 21673. Site Area (ft<sup>2</sup>):

4. Description of Access and Site Setting:

**This school building is part of the Ward County Historical Society's Pioneer Village. The village is located just to the south of Burlington on the southwest side of Highway 52 and 2. It is just a few miles from Minot. This school sits on the southeast side of the village.**

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

6. References/Comments:

Photos shared by Hunter Andes.

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Northwest

North Prairie Township School #1

7/12/2020

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Southeast  
and North  
East Side

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Southwest Side



Feature

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SITS# 32 WD 2167

### SITE IDENTIFICATION

Field Code North Prairie Twsp School #1

Site Name North Prairie Twp School No. 1

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

Site Name \_\_\_\_\_

LTL	___	TWP	<u>155</u>	R	<u>82</u>	SEC	<u>19</u>	QQQ	<u>8</u>	QQ	<u>7</u>	Q	<u>6</u>
LTL	___	TWP	_____	R	_____	SEC	_____	QQQ	_____	QQ	_____	Q	_____
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UTM \_\_\_\_\_ 5344627 \_\_\_\_\_ N ZONE 14N  
 UTM \_\_\_\_\_ 331909 \_\_\_\_\_ E NAD 1927 \_\_\_\_\_ NAD 1983

Subsection:
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7 = SW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
8 = NW <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>

City: Minot

Street Number: 2005

Street Name: Burdick Expressway East

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

### SITE DATA

Total # *Architectural* Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 6/17/2016

Reconnaissance Survey  Intensive Survey

Project Title & Supervisor:

Country Schoolhouse Project

Report Title & Author(s):

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

### SHSND USE

Area of Significance 2 Ecozone 20 Verified Site 1 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 9Condition 7Feature Date 3Context 7Plan Shape 5Structural System 25Primary Exterior 26Style Other Style

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

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

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

Other Information:

Foundation Poured concrete Stories 1Roof/Cornice GableWindow Double hung, two over two with all glass intactDating 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

<sup>c</sup> 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

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The feature is a one room prairie school on a poured concrete foundation. The school was moved from north of Velva in McHenry County. The gable roof is covered with asphalt shingles and there is not a chimney. The soffits are closed. The building measures 32 feet southwest to northeast and 18 feet northwest to southeast.

There is a wide trim board under the soffit at both peak ends. The remainder of the siding is 6 inch wood lap with 6 inch corner trim, nicely painted. Entry is up three steps to a wood platform. The entry door is a newer solid core door and it is kept locked. The entry/coatroom walls are finished with beadboard and there is a 5 panel wood door to the left for storage today. The interior walls and ceiling are sheetrock today as a result of flooding. Original flooring was removed and replaced also after the school was flooded. There are blackboards on the southwest wall either side of the interior chimney. Another small blackboard is between the entry wall and the first window on the southeast wall.

The story of the school says this school was built in 1903 for a cost of \$984 dollars. It was operational from 1903 to 1946. In 1955 it was moved to a farm for use as a small museum and library. They installed shelves and added 2000 books for use by local residents. It was moved to the Ward County Historical Pioneer Village in 1989.

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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:

Ward County Historical Society  
2005 Burdick Expressway East  
Minot ND 58701

3. Access (to rural areas):

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

5. Description of **SETTING**:

This building sits in a pioneer village near the ND State Fair grounds. There are building surrounding this school with trees to the west.

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

7. References/Comments:

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Northeast Side

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Southeast Side





Northwest Side

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Southwest Side



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Notes

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6/17/2016

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