

# NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL SITE FORM

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SITS# 32 WE 218

### SITE IDENTIFICATION

Field Code Western Township School Site Name Western Township School  
Site Name

Map Quad Sheyenne Lake NE, ~~18B~~  
Map Quad

LTL	TWP	149N	R	73W	SEC	22	QQQ	8	QQ	8	Q	8
LTL	TWP		R		SEC		QQQ		QQ		Q	
LTL	TWP		R		SEC		QQQ		QQ		Q	
LTL	TWP		R		SEC		QQQ		QQ		Q	

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: Harvey ND

Street Number:

Street Name: 2702 21<sup>st</sup> St NE

Urban Legal Description:

### SITE DATA

Total # *Architectural* Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 5/19/2010

Reconnaissance Survey  Intensive Survey

Project Title & Supervisor:

Country Schoolhouse Project

Report Title & Author(s):

Additional Information:

### SHSND USE

Area of Significance	2	Ecozone	18	CR Type	2	ECF	2
Area of Significance		Ecozone		Verified Site		TF	
				Non-Site			

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(First Name & Last Name)

Date Recorded 9/18/2010  
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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	<del>2</del>	Feature Type	9	Condition	5
Feature Date	<del>2</del> 3	Context	7	Plan Shape	5
Structural System	26	Primary Exterior	25	Style	other style
Original Owner's Ethnicity		Secondary Exterior		Architect/Builder	unknown

Other Information:

Foundation Concrete poured basement Stories 1

Roof/Cornice gable, shed

Window double hung windows

Dating Method(s): ~~S~~ professional 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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**1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

It is possible this is not the correct name for this school. I can find no information about it in the county records and I am looking to check township meeting minutes. According to the township clerk it is possible this school was moved to the current location from another township.

The school building is a wood framed structure, sitting on a poured, concrete basement. Wood lap siding covers the walls and wood shakes cover the roof. Some of the shingles have been blown off or damaged by weather. There is a chimney at the north end of the building and it looks to be built of cement, no brick visible. There are three windows on the east side and three windows on the west side, all but one are covered with wood shutters and all but one still have intact glass. There is another small window in the entry and that is covered as well. The basement is concrete with fixed windows on the west side, south side and east side. One of the openings on the east side has a small metal opening that might have been used to unload coal into the basement. A picture of the basement, through one window, shows a fuel oil barrel at the north end.

The entry is on the north end of the school and the door faces east. There are three poured concrete steps that lead up to the entry to the school. The wood door is intact and opens quite easily. The entry has wallboard on the stud walls and I see coat hooks on the north wall and the south wall of the entry. At the west end of the entry there is a poured concrete stairway to the basement. I did not go down there. The main body of the school has lath and plaster walls and there is a decorated tin ceiling. The floor is covered with linoleum. There is a raised area at the south end of the school, like a stage, runs side to side. An unpainted area along the entire south wall shows where the blackboard used to hang. The school was moved to this location to use for a township meeting hall. There must have been a furnace in the basement as I found a thermostat on the wall just inside the door of the main body of the school.

There are light fixtures in the ceiling and light switches at the door. I also noticed an outlet on the south wall. On the outside of the south wall I saw an electric meter.

The school has not been kept up and was abandoned for use as a town because it was costly to keep it up and keep it heated.

This school measures 42 feet from north to south on the west side, the south side measures 24 feet from east to west. The entry door area measures 10 feet and 10 feet.

No dates with this building as I do not know where it came from.

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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:

Western Township  
Contact:

Janine Schmitz Clerk  
2678 20<sup>th</sup> St. NE  
Harvey ND 58341

3. Access (to rural areas):

Highway 3, south of Harvey to 21<sup>st</sup> St NE. Go west 4 miles and see the school on the corner of 21<sup>st</sup> St NE and 27<sup>th</sup> Ave NE

4. Site Area (ft<sup>2</sup>): 1 acre

5. Site Description:

Every direction you look from the school is cropland. There are farm sites in the distance and the landscape is hilly as you drive to the east.

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

7. References/Comments:

Recorder contact information:

Kathy Wilner  
366 43<sup>rd</sup> Ave SE  
Bowdon ND 58418

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2702 21st St NE

2702 21st St NE, Harvey, ND 58341  
8 km SW of Harvey, North Dakota, United States 7/1/1986

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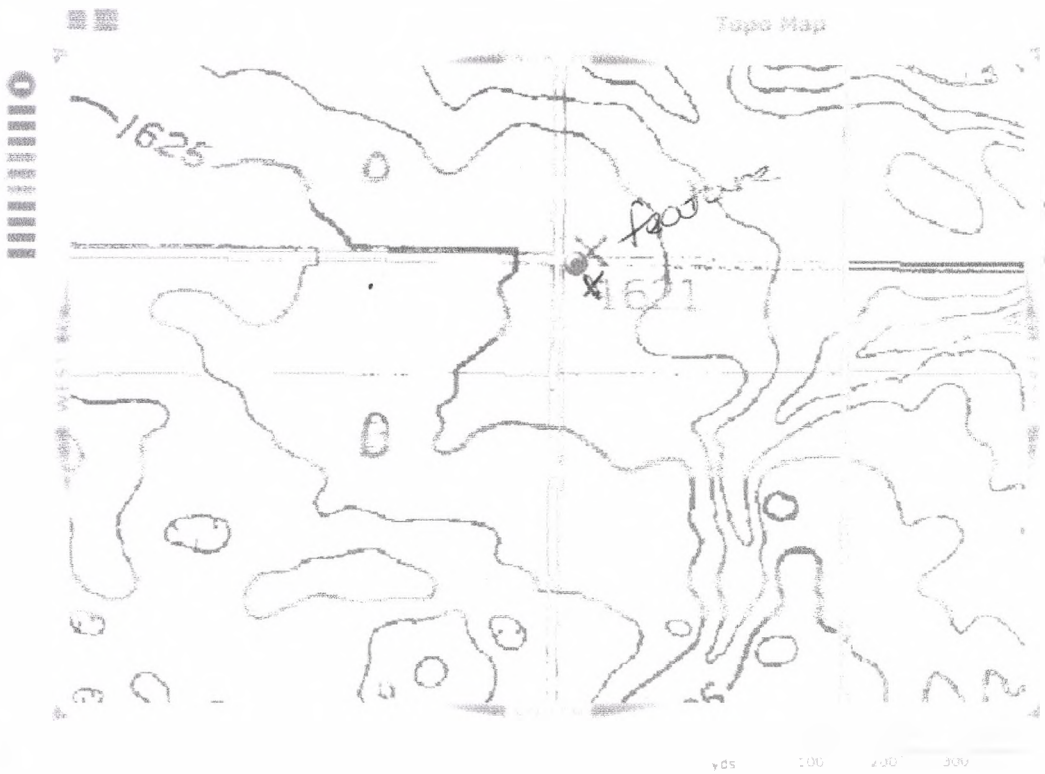
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Topo Map



About  
2702  
21st St  
NE  
curve

Sect. 22  
Western Twp

0 100 200 300

Kathy LeBlond

5/19/2010

NE



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3 - Western Township School      East side      5/19/2010      Kathy Wilner      WE

4 - Western Township School      South side      5/19/2010      Kathy Wilner      WE

