

NDCRS ARCHITECTURAL FORM

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Field Code _____

SITS# 32 WI 2200

Map Quad Twin Lakes

Site Name Twin Lake(s) Consolidated School

Map Quad _____

Site Name _____

LTL ___ T. 157 N., R. 100 W., Sec. 16 QQQ 6 of the QQ 6 of the Q 6

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City: _____

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| 2 = E½ |
| 3 = S½ |
| 4 = W½ |
| 5 = NE¼ |
| 6 = SE¼ |
| 7 = SW¼ |
| 8 = NW¼ |

Street Number: _____

Street Name: _____

Urban Legal Description: _____

Total Number of Architectural Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: _____

Reconnaissance Survey

Intensive Survey _____

Project & Principal Investigator:

Contracting Firm or Agency Completing the Form:

SHSND

Additional Information:

Site information updated based on correspondence with Kathy Wilner.

SHSND USE

Component _____ Study Unit _____ Verified Site _____ CR Type _____

Component _____

Component _____

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PAGE 2 – Feature Data

UPDATE

Field Code _____

SITS# 32 WI 2200 _____

Complete one Page 2 for each architectural feature at the site.

Architectural Feature # 1

Construction Date 1918

Feature Date _____

Structural System _____

Original Owner's Ethnicity _____

Feature Type _____

Context _____

Primary Exterior _____

Secondary Exterior _____

Condition _____

Plan Shape _____

Style _____

Architect/Builder Building Contractor: Angus McMachen

Foundation _____ Stories _____

Roof/Cornice _____

Window _____

Dating Method(s) Kathy Wilner correspondence

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****UPDATE****Field Code** _____**SITS# 32 WI 2200** _____**Complete one Page 3 for each architectural feature at the site.****1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

Expanded history provided by Kathy Wilner:

I have some additional information about a school. I called it Athens Township School and the correct name (learned from a former school student) Twin Lake Consolidated School.

A little history: In 1918 the Twin Lake consolidated School was built by Angus McMachen. This was a large school with two classrooms. Two teachers, a cook and a janitor were hired. During the winter months the kids were boarded at the school. There was a kitchen-dining room in the basement, and school rooms were used for sleeping quarters at night. One room was for the girls and the other for the boys. Getting the kids to settle down and go to sleep at night was quite a problem for the teachers.

In 1929 the boarding school was discontinued and three buses were used to transport the kids in the winter months. These "buses" were enclosed vans on bobsleds and usually had small coal-buring stoves for warmth. The kids transported themselves during the spring and fall, usually by horse and buggy or horseback.

In 1931-32 and 1932-33 the first two years of high school were taught at Twin Lake. As there were so many of that age in the district it cost less to use one room for high school than pay for them to go elsewhere. George Hillier, a former county superintendent of schools, was hired to teach high school. There were over 20 in high school and around 30 in the grades.

2. Owner's Contact Information:**Recorded By:** E. Scherr, SHSND **Date Recorded:** 03/17/2023

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PAGE 4 – Site Description

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Field Code _____

SITS# 32 WI 2200 _____

3. Site Area (ft²):

4. Description of Access and Site Setting:

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

6. References/Comments:

Kathy Wilner correspondence.

Williams County Historical Society. The Wonder of Williams: A History of Williams County, North Dakota.
Williams County Historical Society, 1975.

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SITS# 32 WI 2200

SITE IDENTIFICATION

Field Code Athens Township School Site Name _____

Map Quad Twin Lakes Site Name _____

Map Quad _____

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| LTL | TWP | <u>157</u> | R | <u>100</u> | SEC | <u>16</u> | QQQ | <u>6</u> | QQ | <u>6</u> | Q | <u>6</u> |
| LTL | TWP | _____ | R | _____ | SEC | _____ | QQQ | _____ | QQ | _____ | Q | _____ |
| LTL | TWP | _____ | R | _____ | SEC | _____ | QQQ | _____ | QQ | _____ | Q | _____ |
| LTL | TWP | _____ | R | _____ | SEC | _____ | QQQ | _____ | QQ | _____ | Q | _____ |

UTM _____ 5363564 _____ N ZONE 13N
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| Subsection: |
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| 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: _____

Street Number: _____

Street Name: 69th St NW

Urban Legal Description: _____

SITE DATA

Total # **Architectural** Features: 1

Fieldwork Date: 8/22/2016

Reconnaissance Survey Intensive Survey _____

Project Title & Supervisor:

Country Schoolhouse Project

Report Title & Author(s):

Additional Information: _____

SHSND USE

Area of Significance 2 Ecozone 21 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 9

Condition 5

Feature Date 4

Context 7

Plan Shape 5

Structural System 25

Primary Exterior 26

Style Other Style

Original Owner's Ethnicity _____

Secondary Exterior _____

Architect/Builder _____

Other Information:

Foundation Poured Concrete Stories 1

Roof/Cornice Hip

Window Vented Block

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
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- 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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PAGE 3—Feature Data**Field Code Athens Township SchoolSITS# 32 WI**Complete a Page 3 for each feature.****1. Feature Description, Integrity, Eligibility:**

The feature is a larger, most likely 2 room, prairie school with a poured basement. The hip roof of the main building and the half hip of the entry are all covered with wood shakes with metal capping. There is a shed roof at the entry and that is covered with asphalt shingles. There is a metal chimney pipe on the south slope. There are various pipes out of other parts of the roof with venting for bathrooms and etc. The soffits are closed with beadboard.

There is a wide trim board under the soffits of all sides of the school. The remaining siding is 6 inch wood lap with 6 inch corner trim with a waterboard and a skirting board at the bottom. We observed this school from the road only. There are many glass block windows, smaller ones in the basement and it looks like two to either side of the entry, two on the east side and could not see the west. One large block window is on the east side of the entry, covered windows on the west side and large, vented glass block windows on the east and west side. Wires suggest electricity.

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PAGE 4—SITE DESCRIPTION**

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SITS# 32 WI

Complete one Page 4 for the entire site.

2. Owner's Contact Information:

Williams County

3. Access (to rural areas):

From Highway 50, Highway 2 junction, drive north 5 miles, to 69th St NW to turn right and drive about 1 mile to see the school on the north side.

4. Site Area (ft²): _____

5. Description of **SETTING**:

The school is in a farm yard, hilly land to the east with a creek . Pasture is north and west with a farm field south.

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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

Athens Township School

8/22/2016

Kathy Wilner

WI

West Side





East Side

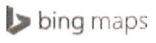
Athens Township School

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WI

Unable to take picture of North Side



Notes

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Feature