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Thesis Midterm Presentation
Site Social Conditions

- Close proximity to Belfield and major highway
- Have the ability to draw people to the site
- Formally farming transformed into ranching property
- Cultural tourism out of Medora, ND
Site Physical Conditions

- Physical Conditions
  - Remnants of buildings
  - Scrapped out area
  - Areas used for construction
  - South Fork/Green River
  - Prairie Grass
  - Erosion and weathering are common on the site
  - Highway 85 is easy access to site

Average Wind (mph) of Western North Dakota

Inches of Rain
Existing Conditions
- Using materials already on the site for roof and walls, which is just like the homesteaders did
- Preserving the memory through preserving buildings and site conditions commonly found

Proposed Solutions
- Roadside attractions
- Building and site rehabilitation
Environmental Functionality of the Proposed Design

- **Path Through the Site**
  - Phenomenon of weathering
  - Lack of maintenance required
  - Low impact on environment

- **The House**
  - House rehabilitation
  - Reuse of materials
Social Functionality of the Proposed Design

- Ukrainian Orthodox
  - Sculpture as a tribute to the Ukrainian Orthodox Religion that was practiced by many that lived here
  - Representation of the cross
  - Jesus and the 4 Evangelists

- Homestead Building and Property
  - Developing Tours geared for people interested in Ukrainian History
  - Educational place
Questions?

- Where can I improve the social and environmental functionality of my thesis site? I.e., Connection to the site as a whole or connection to the surrounding community.
- Are there other things that I could implement that go along with what I have already shown that would be able to provide more in-depth connections to the site and the history of the site?
- Are there other social or physical conditions of the site that I might be missing?