

PARCEL FORM: MNDOT Predictive Model Survey

Parcel Number(strata/number): _____
(Replacement for Parcel No: _____)

Institution/Team: (circle one): BRW MVAC Leech Lake

Location: County _____ Township _____ Range _____ Section _____ 1/4,1/4 section #s _____

Name of Topographic map: _____ Scale: 1:24,000 _____; 1:62,500 _____

UTM Coordinates: (use 1927 datum and report all four corners as actually surveyed, preferably from GPS)

NW corner: Easting: _____; Northing: _____ Check if from GPS: _____

NE corner: Easting: _____; Northing: _____

SE corner: Easting: _____; Northing: _____

SW corner: Easting: _____; Northing: _____ Zone _____

Name of recorder: _____ Date(s) recorded: _____

Last names of crew: _____

Date(s) surveyed: _____ Approx. person/hours for survey _____

Weather conditions each day/chronological order): clear and sunny (sharp shadows) (01) _____; partly sunny(02) _____
light overcast/ hazy (light shadows)(03) _____; heavy overcast (no shadows)(04) _____; partly rainy(05) _____;
rain/warm (06) _____; cold and wet (07) _____; other:(09) _____ notes: _____

Landowner Name _____

Address _____

Tenant name and address if different from landowner _____

Agreement to remove and keep artifacts? Y / N; if no, who return to/when? _____

Permission written _____; verbal _____ (with whom) _____

Strata in parcel, in order of importance: _____; Name of dominant stratum: _____

Field verification: Any variability from defined strata? Y / N;

General Description of parcel: _____

Survey methodology:(give % each and show on map). Walkover _____; shovel test _____;

Transect interval: 15 meter intervals: _____; other: _____ (indicate why): _____

Areas not surveyed (%; show on map): recent/deep alluvial sediments _____

urban areas/houses _____; steep slopes (>15%) _____; wetlands: _____

other:describe _____

Unmapped water: Lake>5 acres(01) _____; Pond<5 acres (02) _____; River (03) _____ Perm. stream(04) _____; intermittent stream(05) _____;

marshy area(few woody plants)(06) _____; swamp (woody plants)(07) _____ spring(08) _____ other _____

Plot unmapped water sources on air photo. They can be digitized in the lab if necessary.

notes: _____ Parcel conditions (estimate %): corn

/ soybeans _____; hay / cover crop _____; fallow/pasture _____;

natural vegetation:forest: _____ prairie: _____ wetland _____ other: _____

Average exposure (% ground cover): 0-25% _____; 25-50% _____, 50-75% _____; 75-100% _____

Average visibility (how well washed) poor _____ fair _____ well washed: _____

Lithic resources (check all observed): bedrock outcroppings _____; colluvial/glacial _____; stream channel _____; Other: _____

_____ Type:chert _____; quartzite/orthoquartzite _____; other: _____

Stream exposures present? Y / N examined? Y / N; cultural resources observed Y / N (describe) _____

Hillsides: present? Y / N; examined Y / N; Rock art Y / N; Rockshelter Y / N

Cultural resources identified? Prehistoric: Y / N; Designation: _____

Historic: Y / N; Designation _____

Cultural Resources Identified

Team: BRW MVAC Leech Lake Parcel No: _____ Site # _____

Recorder: _____

Dates Investigated: _____

Type of Investigation: Pedestrian Survey____; Shovel Testing ____; Collector Info:____ Other: _____

Cultural Period: Prehistoric: _____ Contact _____
____ Post-Contact _____

Site Dimensions:(in meters): Length____; width____;depth: unknown / _____ cm
If available, give GPS UTM coordinates for center of site or points on margin of site, and center of special features or clusters: _____

Description (give site location with regard to topographic features): _____

Soil on Site: sandy ____ silt ____ loam ____ sandy loam ____ silty loam ____ silty clay loam ____

Slope (%) 0-5%____; 6-10%____; 11-15%____; >15%____;

Aspect (circle best) Facing: N NE NW S SE SW E W

Clusters/concentrations of artifacts? Y / N If yes, show on sketch map

Describe: _____

Features (check all that apply and describe) depressions ____ mounds ____ foundations ____
description _____

Site Description: Check all that apply

single artifact ____ artifact scatter ____ lithic scatter ____ mound/earthwork ____
structural ruin ____ rock alignment ____ rock art ____ cemetery/burial ____
other ____ Description _____

Components represented: _____

Size and relative position of each component on the site (show on map): _____

Diagnostic artifacts recovered:

Ceramics:: Grit tempered: _____ shell tempered: _____ other _____

Lithics: _____ Glass: _____ Metal: _____
Other _____

Exotic materials (check all that apply)

catlinite ____ native copper ____ Hixton orthoquartzite ____
Knife River flint ____ obsidian ____ other _____

Degree of Disturbance

minimal ____ moderate ____ heavy ____ destroyed ____ unknown ____

description: plowed____ eroded ____ other: _____

Lot numbers assigned: Transect sample: _____

Non-probabilistic sample: _____

Shovel test bags: _____

Others/Special sample (eg lithic raw materials): _____

Map: do to scale 1/4 mile:

- note prominent rises and ancient drainage channels, etc. particularly those that do not show on topo map
- identify areas surveyed with different methods, eg shovel testing and surface reconnaissance
- note areas not surveyed, and reason
- indicate areas with exposure or visibility markedly different from the average for parcel
- note areas of water
- map cultural resources within parcel

If the information can be generated through GPS, great, but a quick sketch map (not even necessarily to scale, just an overall example of relative positioning) may serve very well as a backup..

notes on completing parcel form:

Parcel Address: For coding for GIS, we will eliminate dashes, etc, but for field tags the dashes will help eliminate confusion. Use Township-Range-Section-Quarter Section :

22	21	12	11	See attached page for numbering system
23	24	13	14	
32	31	42	41	
33	34	43	44	

Lithic resources observed: collect a small sample for Kent Bakken (fist size or smaller is all that is necessary); location to quarter-quarter section is adequate,

Designating cultural resources: Team ID/Parcel no/site # (number in sequence within each parcel, eg first site found in parcel, second site found in parcel, etc; We should use this designation for all sites, including known ones. For previously known sites with a State site number, you can add that, but keep the field/parcel designation, so we can have a uniform series of site ID

Example: MVAC/110-30-14-42/site 1

Tag Info: (to be installed on the paper format of your choice): this is a suggestion, please recommend modifications, since it would be useful to have similar tags throughout the project.

MNDOT Predictive Model

TEAM: County: Lot number

Parcel # Site #

Shovel Test No:

Level(cmbgs): Surface

Circle one: Transect Sample / Non-Probabilistic Sample

Supervisor Name

Date