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Skyberg (Ghost Town)

LOCATION: 5500 block County 11 Boulevard, Kenyon Township, Minnesota

STATUS: Public

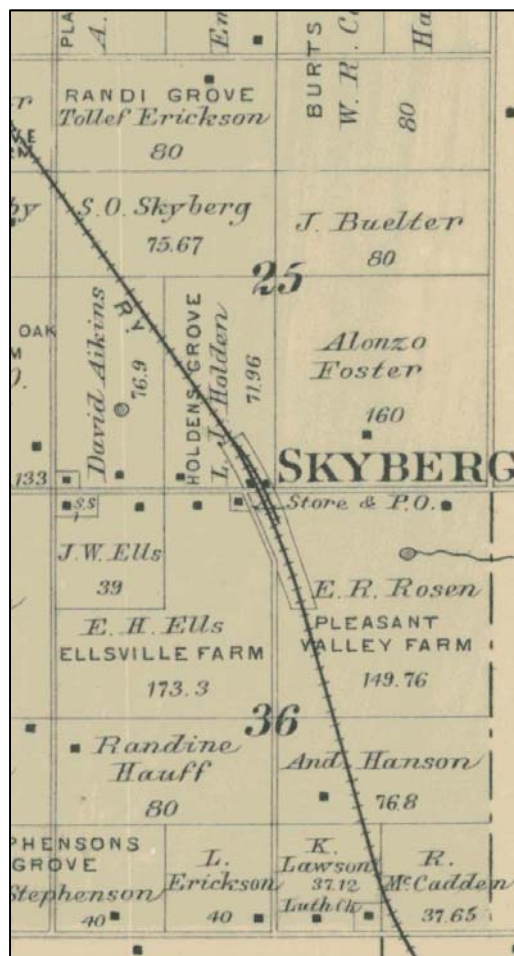
TYPE: Historic, District

HISTORY: Skyberg started out as a post office in 1879. The community grew because of this community center in Simon Skyberg's general store. A blacksmith shop, other stores and a train depot thrived during the pioneer era of Skyberg. A creamery and grain elevator were built near the railroad tracks, a need for the local farmers.

OTHER RESOURCES: [1897 Skyberg Plat](#)

Meyer, Roy W., *The Ghost Towns & Discontinued Post Office of Goodhue County*, The Goodhue County Historical Society Press, Red Wing, MN, 2003

PROPERTY PICTURES:



1894 Goodhue County Plat Book, Kenyon Township, Sections 25, 36



Skyberg train depot and grain elevator. Picture courtesy of Goodhue County Historical Society



Skyberg Creamery, 1920's

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