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*This case was
unusually at
and explained for
nothing found -
Reported back to
Don Evans*



Donovan Reynolds
3108 Edmond
St. Joseph, Mo., 64501

July 24, 1973

Mr. Walter F. Vanderlicht, Dist. Engineer
Missouri State Highway Department
3602 North Belt Highway
St. Joseph, Mo. 64506

Dear Mr. Vanderlicht:

We have been asked by the State Archaeological Society to examine land scheduled for use by the highway department for the Mason Road--229 cut-off. We request permission to enter the area for this purpose. Preliminary searching for possible salvage archaeological sites will be limited to visual check and ground probe to be carried out by the St. Joseph Museum assisted by the St. Joseph Archaeological Society.

We understand that some of the land to be used has not been acquired by the highway department and we will cooperate fully with area property owners.

Sincerely,

Don L. Reynolds, Asst. Director
St. Joseph Museum
Pony Express Museum

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July 25, 1973

Mr. David R. Evans
University of Missouri
Archaeological Survey
Room 22, Switzler Hall
Columbia, Mo. 65201

Dear Dave:

Your note map and request to check 229 south area received. We have been watching the north end of the West Belt where grading is already in progress. I checked with the local highway department and find that work on the south end (area of your map) is scheduled to start in November, but they think not much will get underway except culverts and such until along towards spring.

Went down to have a quick look and find much woods and brush cover over the high area that shows the most promise. Mike Fisher and I will get down there soon to eye-ball it up close. Will have to get permission from some local landowners that still hold some of it before we do any probing. Will let you know if anything turns up. (In which case we might have to call on Dale or others.)

Sincerely,

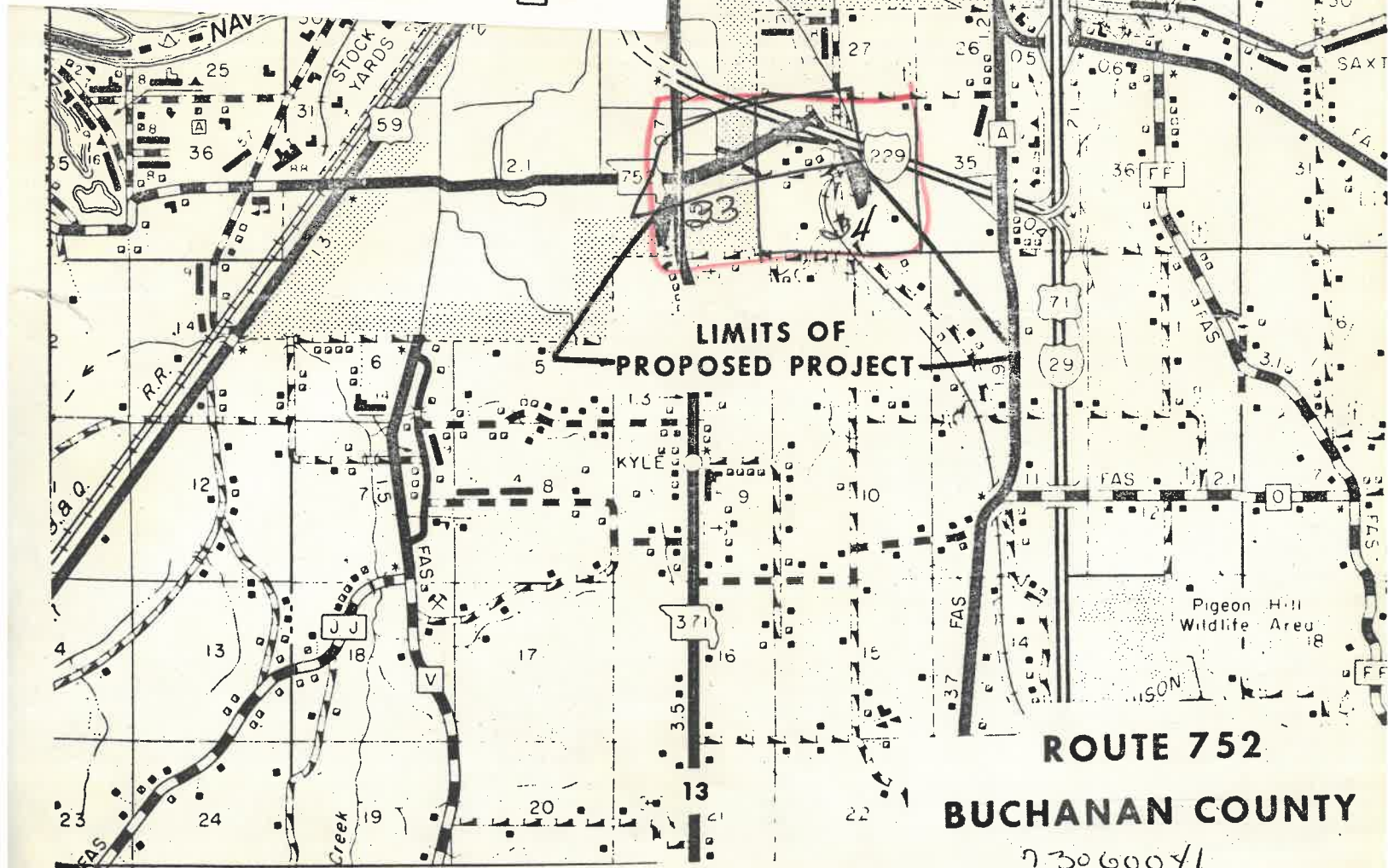
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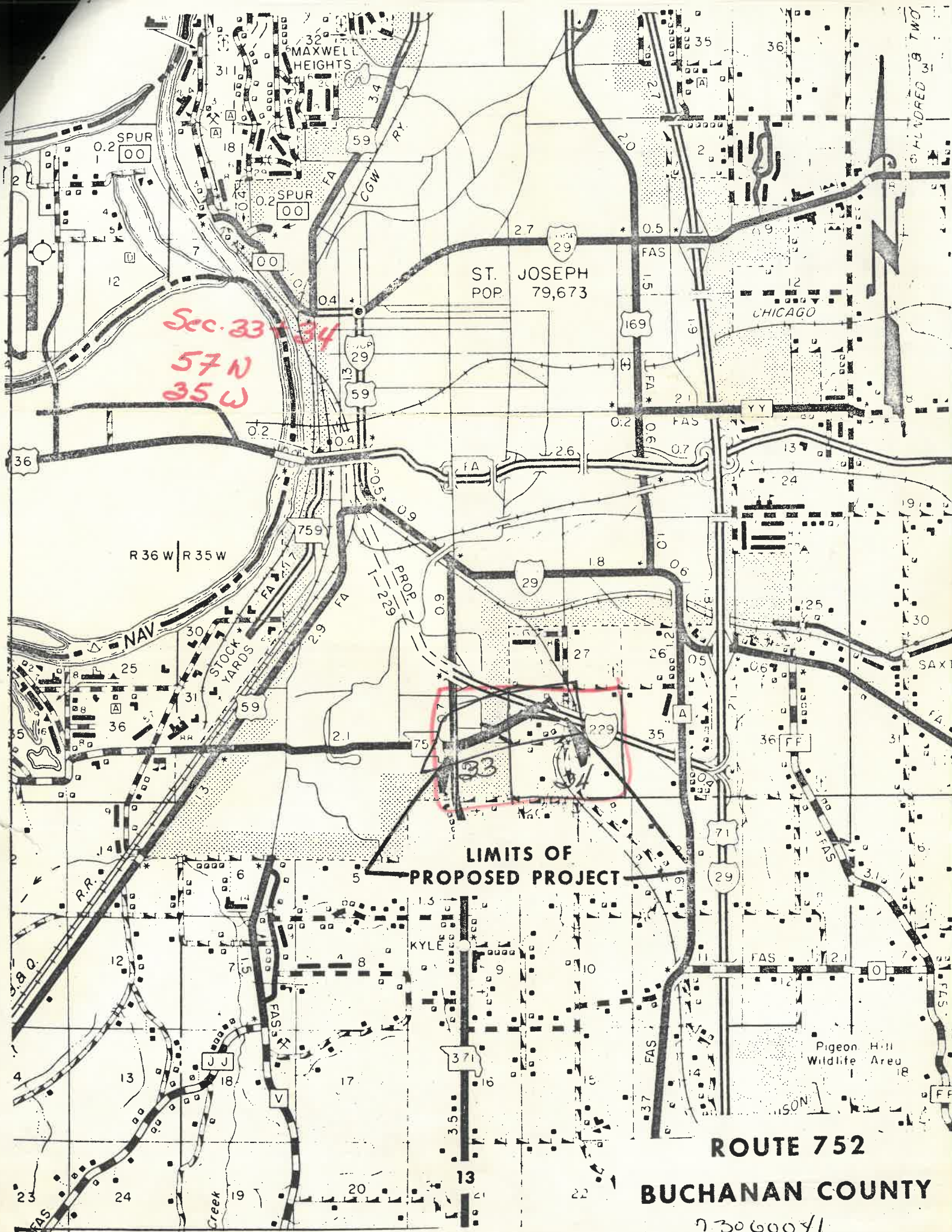
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NAME Don Reynolds DATE 7/11/73
 ADDRESS St. Joseph Museum
 NAME Dave Evans EXTENSION
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 TEL CALL HELP! TIME CALL RECEIVED
☐ Returned Your Call

Could you look into possible
 Arch Sites along the proposed
 1 mile of new site of way?
 It would be very helpful for
 possible examination of site. Possibly Dale
 Henning could have someone
 help. Thanks Dave

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