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National Register of Historic Places, Sturgeon Bay Bridge, Sturgeon Bay, Door County, Wisconsin, 100002091.

## **Teweles and Brandeis Grain Elevator**

**Reference Number:** 100002091

92 East Maple Street, Sturgeon Bay, Door County



Builders: Russell and Lindsey  
Date of Construction: 1901

The Teweles and Brandeis Grain Elevator, built in 1901, is a highly intact example of a grain processing and storage building, a type that was once common in Wisconsin communities. Teweles & Brandeis was an important and innovative company specializing in the wholesale marketing and distribution of



agricultural products grown in Door County. This grain elevator became a regional delivery point for farmers, facilitating the distribution of their product, and a vital connection between farmers and consumers, and to the system of agricultural distribution prior to World War II.

In 1901 there were two other, similar, grain elevators but changes in the processing and manufacturing of agricultural products and changes to land use along the shoreline have resulted in the demolition of these other buildings once associated with these industries. The Teweles & Brandeis grain elevator is an intact and very good example of the building type, having an important connection to the history of agriculture in the region.

This property is private. Please respect the rights and privacy of the owners.

**Period of Significance:** 1901-1953

**Area of Significance:** Commerce

**Applicable Criteria:** Event

**Historic Use:** Agriculture/Subsistence: Processing

**Architectural Style:** Other

**Resource Type:** Building

**Architect:** Russell and Lindsey, builders

**Historic Status:** Listed in the State Register

**Historic Status:** Listed in the National Register

**National Register Listing Date:** 02/05/2018

**State Register Listing Date:** 08/18/2017

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