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Staff Investigation Report and Recommendation

Case No.: 08-587-EL-BNR

Project: Midway-O.I. Levis 138 kV Transmission Line
Relocation for the US-24 Bypass

Applicant: American Transmission Systems, Inc.

Report Date: 5 June 2008

Automatic Approval Date: 12 June 2008 (Construction Notice process)

Waiver Requests: None

Inspection Date(s): 23 May 2008

Staff Assigned: J. O'Dell

Summary of Staff Recommendations (see report text for discussion):

Application: ☒ Approval ☐ Disapproval ☐ Approval with Conditions
Waiver: ☐ Approval ☐ Disapproval ☒ Not Applicable

Summary of Staff Recommended Conditions (see report text for discussion):

- None

Projected Docket Closure Date (if automatically approved): 31 December 2010

Investigation Report

Project Description: This project involves the relocation of approximately 1,900 feet of 138 kV transmission line. The relocation will require approximately 2,200 feet of 138 kV transmission line, supported on three steel poles and four wood poles. Three existing wood H-frame structures will be removed, along with the associated conductors. The project is necessary to accommodate the Ohio Department of Transportation's US-24 Bypass Project. The Applicant is securing new r-o-w adjacent to the proposed bypass.

Site Description: Land use in proximity to the project consists of agricultural and rural residential uses. This project is located in the Township of Waterville, Lucas County.

Discussion/Comments/Concerns: The construction of this project should pose only minimal negative social and ecological impacts.

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