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**Ohio Power Siting Board**

**Staff Investigation Report and Recommendation**

**Case No.:** 12-2223-EL-BNR

**Project:** Bayshore-Decant 138 kV Transmission Line  
Relocation for Oregon Ditch

**Applicant:** American Transmission Systems, Inc.

**Report Date:** 29 August 2012

**Automatic Approval Date:** 12 September 2012 (Construction Notice process)

**Waiver Request:** None

**Inspection Date(s):** 16 August 2012

**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):** 1 February 2015

**Investigation Report**

**Project Description:** This project involves the relocation of two wood pole structures. The structures would be shifted 75 and 150 feet respectively to the south of their existing locations. The project is necessary to accommodate the future relocation of Cedar Point Road.

**Site Description:** The project is located in the middle of a multiple transmission line corridor, near an industrial area. Construction would be limited to existing easements; therefore, no new r-o-w is required. This project is located in the City of Oregon, Lucas County.

**Discussion/Comments/Concerns:** Adequate access is available for construction. No significant vegetative clearing is expected. The construction of this project should pose only minimal negative social and ecological impacts.

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