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**Staff Investigation Report and Recommendation**

**Case No.:** 09-1914-EL-BNR

**Project:** Babb-East Akron 138 kV Transmission Line  
Relocation for the Martha Avenue Roundabout

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

**Report Date:** 7 January 2010

**Automatic Approval Date:** 16 January 2010 (Construction Notice process)

**Waiver Request:** None

**Inspection Date(s):** 30 December 2009

**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):** 26 February 2012

**Investigation Report**

**Project Description:** This project involves the relocation of one 138 kV transmission pole and the removal of one transmission pole. Additionally, new span and guy wires will be needed. The project is required to accommodate the installation of a traffic roundabout.

**Site Description:** The project is located at the intersection of Seiberling Street and Martha Avenue, in the City of Akron, Summit County. Commercial garages are situated adjacent to the new roundabout.

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

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