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Re: *In the Matter of the Application for the Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138kV
Transmission Line Project*
OPSB Case No. 13-0429-EL-BTX

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Dear Ms. McNeal:

On January 8, 2014, AEP Ohio Transmission Company, Inc. (AEP) submitted an Application seeking a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need (Application) from the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB) for AEP's Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV Transmission Line Project (Project) in Ross County, Ohio. Subsequent to submitting the Application, AEP evaluated potential route adjustments based on stakeholder concerns, potential increases or decreases in impacts to ecological, cultural and land use resources, and technical feasibility. AEP made five route adjustments to the original Preferred Route in the Application due to property owner concerns and re-evaluations. These route adjustments were submitted to the OPSB as a Supplement to the Application on May 5, 2014.

With the attached Second Supplement to the Application, AEP is submitting an alternative route across the Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area, which is now the Current Preferred Route. References to the original Preferred Route in the Application dated January 8, 2014 and the Supplement to the Application dated May 5, 2014 are now to be considered the "South Alternate Route." References to the original Alternate Route in the previous submittals are now to be considered the "North Alternate Route." These routes and the appropriate name changes are provided in Figure 1 of the attached Second Supplement to the Application.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Yazen Alami
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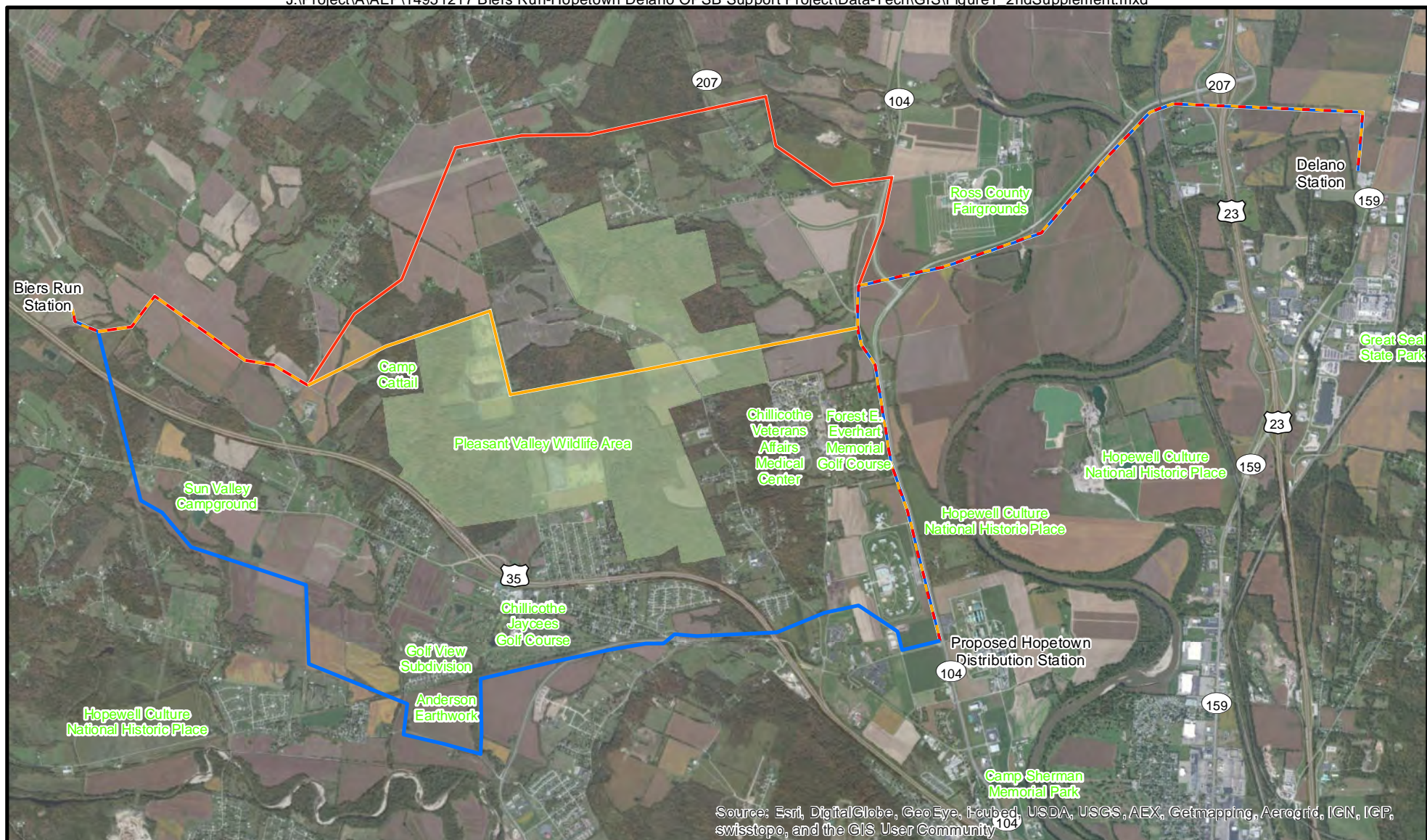
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By April 2014, public comments and support for a route crossing PVWA led AEP to re-engage discussions with ODNR concerning potentially crossing PVWA. ODNR, AEP, and URS discussed the process, associated timeline, and potential routes across PVWA. ODNR granted a right-of-entry to AEP and its contractors in May 2014 to investigate two route candidates across PVWA. URS conducted an ecological field surveys along these routes. No ecological resource fatal flaws were identified, although a stream, challenging topography, and U.S. 35 are all in close proximity, as well as land use impacts suggested the initial route exiting the southeast corner of PVWA was not feasible. AEP decided to pursue a generally west to east route across PVWA. Weller and Associates, Inc. conducted a cultural resources survey along the route and identified no National Register eligible or potentially eligible resources within the proposed right-of-way.

Based on public comments and support, results of the field surveys, and preliminary engineering evaluation, AEP is submitting the route across PVWA as the Current Preferred Route in this Second Supplement to the OPSB Application. References to the original Preferred Route in the Application dated January 8, 2014 and the Supplement to the Application dated May 5, 2014 are now to be considered the "South Alternate Route." References to the original Alternate Route in the previous submittals are now to be considered the "North Alternate Route." These routes and the appropriate name changes are provided in Figure 1 of this Second Supplement to the OPSB Application.

The document is formatted to provide supplemental information regarding the Current Preferred Route that crosses ODNR's PVWA. Only paragraphs within subsections of the Application where updated information based on the addition of the Current Preferred Route are included in this Second Supplement. The absence of a subsection indicates that the submitted subsection

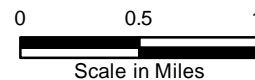
remains unchanged, although the route naming convention discussed above was not revised if it was the only change.



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LEGEND:

- Current Preferred Route
- Preferred and North Alternate Routes
- Original Preferred Route in 1/8/14 Application as updated in 5/5/14 Supplement (Current South Alternate Route)
- Original Alternate Route in 1/8/14 Application (Current North Alternate Route)
- Common Route



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**FIGURE 1
PROJECT OVERVIEW
SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO
THE OPSB APPLICATION**

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4906-15-01 PROJECT SUMMARY AND FACILITY OVERVIEW**(A) PROJECT SUMMARY AND FACILITY OVERVIEW****(3) Route Selection Process**

The Applicant's consultant, URS completed a Route Selection Study for the proposed Project in January 2013 (Appendix 03-1 of the January 8, 2014 Application). As part of the Route Selection Study, AEP and URS identified potential route corridors for the Project. A relatively direct route candidate from Biers Run Station east toward Delano Station crosses the ODNr's PVWA. As provided in the Route Selection Study, ODNr indicated that deed restrictions and their opposition would not allow the project to cross PVWA, and AEP abandoned evaluations of this candidate at that time.

By April 2014, public comments and support for a route crossing PVWA led AEP to re-engage discussions with ODNr concerning potentially crossing PVWA. ODNr, AEP, and URS discussed the process, associated timeline, and potential routes across PVWA. ODNr granted a right-of-entry to AEP and its contractors in May 2014 to investigate two route candidates across PVWA. URS conducted an ecological field surveys along these routes. No ecological resource fatal flaws were identified, although a stream, challenging topography, and U.S. 35 are all in close proximity, as well as land use impacts that suggested the initial route exiting the southeast corner of PVWA was not feasible. AEP decided to pursue a generally west to east route across PVWA. Weller and Associates, Inc. conducted a cultural resources survey along the route and identified no National Register eligible or potentially eligible resources within the proposed right-of-way. Since this route compared favorably to routes submitted in the January 8, 2014 Application and updated in the May 5, 2014 Supplement, the route crossing PVWA is now considered the Current Preferred Route. The Current Preferred Route is the subject of this Second Supplement to the OPSB Application.

Current Preferred Route: The Current Preferred Route begins at the proposed Biers Run Station (OPSB Case Number 12-1361-EL-BSB), and crosses a short section of the overall station property. The first 0.2 mile of the Current Preferred Route as it exits Biers Run Station is shared by the North Alternate Route and South Alternate Route. The Current Preferred Route then heads generally east-southeast for 1.5 miles, sharing the same path as the North Alternate Route, primarily along property lines to Cattail Road. The route continues for 0.7 mile across a property owned by the Ross County Commissioners and occupied by a juvenile detention center and Camp Cattail before entering the ODNr's PVWA. The Current Preferred Route generally parallels the northern boundary of the irregularly shaped PVWA for approximately 2.0 miles to Egypt Pike. After crossing Egypt Pike, the route continues within the boundary of PVWA and then across a privately owned agricultural property for 1.0 mile to a point near the intersection of State Route 104 and State Route 207 where it meets the current right-of-way of the Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line (Common Route). To this point, the Current Preferred Route will be constructed as a single circuit. However, the 2.0-mile portion of the Common Route heading

south parallel to State Route 104 and within the current right-of-way of the Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line to the proposed Hopetown distribution station will require double circuit construction if the Current Preferred Route is selected. This is necessary to create a loop through the proposed Hopetown distribution station and back to the point where the Current Preferred Route and the Common Route intersect. The Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line will be removed prior to construction of this portion of the Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV transmission line. A single circuit will extend east along the Common Route heading north, then generally east and northeast parallel to State Route 207 for 2.6 miles. The route then crosses a U.S. 23 interchange, extending east and then south across agricultural fields for the final 1.2 miles into Delano Station. The total length of the Current Preferred Route is 11.2 miles.

(4) Principal Environmental and Socioeconomic Considerations

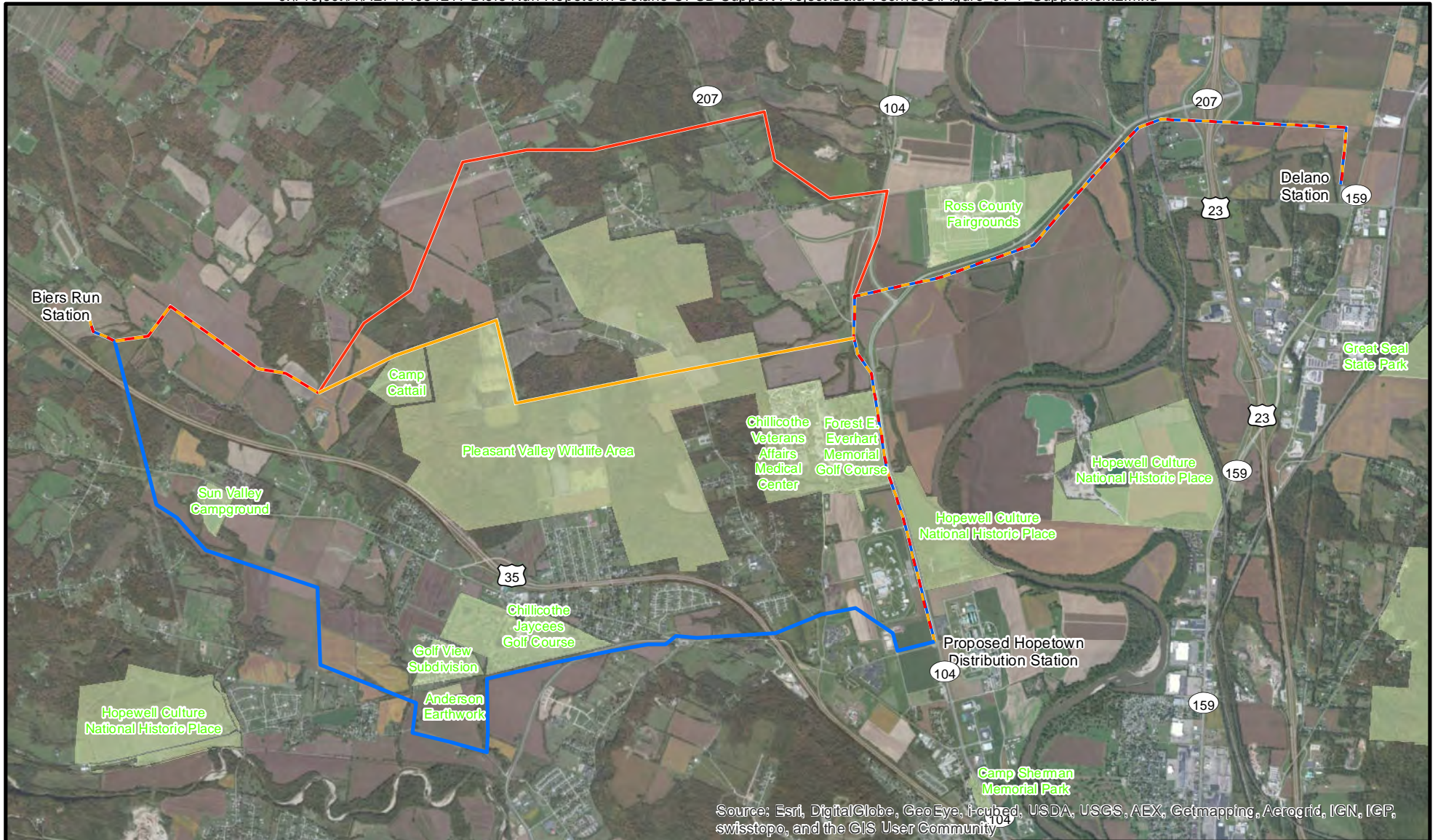
(a) Land Use Impacts:

Based on publicly available data and field observations, approximately 26 residences were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route. One of these residences, located along the Common Route shared by all three routes, is within 100 feet. No residences are proposed to be removed as part of the Project if the Current Preferred Route is selected. Approximately 2.4 miles (21%) of the Current Preferred Route crosses ODNR's PVWA. Approximately 59% of the Current Preferred Route crosses agricultural land. No schools or churches were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route. Property of the Chillicothe Correctional Institute is crossed by the Common Route. Three commercial facilities were identified within 1,000 feet of the Common Route. These businesses include an auto repair facility, a paint shop, and a warehouse all of which are just within 1,000 feet in the vicinity of Delano Station.

Ninety-two previously recorded archaeological sites were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, 14 of which are within 100 feet. Twelve Ohio Historic Inventory (OHI) structures were identified within 1,000 feet, one of which is within 100 feet. Three National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) sites were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, none of which are within 100 feet. Two cemeteries were also identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, one of which is within 100 feet. In addition to the OHPO data sources above, Weller & Associates conducted a Phase I cultural resources survey for the Current Preferred Route on behalf of AEP. No eligible or potentially eligible for listing on the National Register archaeological sites or historic structures were identified within the Project's limits of disturbance. Based on the preliminary results, the Current Preferred Route appears to have fewer impacts on cultural resources compared to the North and South Alternate Routes. The full Phase I report will be provided to OPSB and OHPO under separate cover.

(c) Ecological Impacts: An ecological study of the Current Preferred Route was performed. The study included analysis of published literature and maps and a field survey to assess the presence of endangered plant and animal species, streams, and wetlands. Areas within 100 feet of the Current Preferred Route were field surveyed for vegetation, habitat of endangered plants

and animals, streams, and wetlands from August through December 2013, and May 2014. The proposed right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route crosses eight wetlands with a total area of 0.48 acre, and 28 streams with a total length of 3,680 linear feet. Approximately 1.8 linear mile and 22 acres of woodlot would be cleared along the Current Preferred Route. The full results of this survey are discussed in detail in Section 7 of this Second Supplement to the Application.



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LEGEND:

- Current Preferred Route
- Preferred and North Alternate Routes
- South Alternate Route
- North Alternate Route
- Common Route

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Scale in Miles



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**FIGURE 01-1
PROJECT OVERVIEW
REVISION 2**

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4906-15-03 SITE AND ROUTE ALTERNATIVES ANALYSES

The Applicant's consultant, URS Corporation ("URS") completed a Route Selection Study for the proposed Project in January 2013 (Appendix 03-1 in the Application). As part of the Route Selection Study, AEP and URS identified potential route corridors for the Project. A relatively direct route candidate from Biers Run Station east toward Delano Station crosses the ODNr's PVWA. As provided in the Route Selection Study (Appendix 03-1 of the January 8, 2014 Application), ODNr indicated that deed restrictions and their opposition would not allow the project to cross PVWA, and AEP abandoned evaluations of this candidate route at that time.

By April 2014, public comments and support for a route crossing PVWA led AEP to re-engage discussions with ODNr concerning potentially crossing PVWA. ODNr, AEP, and URS discussed the process, associated timeline, and potential routes across PVWA. ODNr indicated that they were receptive to a route crossing PVWA as part of an overall evaluation of alternatives. ODNr granted a right-of-entry to AEP and its contractors in May 2014 to investigate two route candidates across PVWA. These routes include portions extending beyond the boundary of PVWA allowing the new candidates to rejoin the previously submitted routes.

URS conducted an ecological field surveys along the two routes crossing PVWA and the adjacent properties, as shown on Supplemental Figure 03-2. No ecological resource fatal flaws were identified, although a stream, challenging topography, and U.S. 35 are all in close proximity (See Supplemental Figure 03-2 Inset), as well as land use impacts that suggested the initial route exiting the southeast corner of PVWA was not feasible. The route exiting the southeast corner of PVWA was abandoned, and AEP decided to continue to pursue only the generally west to east route across PVWA.

On behalf of AEP, URS quantitatively compared the remaining route crossing PVWA with the routes submitted in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application, as updated by the May 5, 2014 Supplement to the OPSB Application. Supplemental Table 03-1 provides the categories and results of this comparison.

**SUPPLEMENTAL TABLE 03-1
ROUTE COMPARISON**

Route Alternatives			
	Current Preferred (PVWA)	South Alternate	North Alternate
Length (miles)	11.2	13.1	12.7
	Features within 100 feet of Route Alternatives		
Threatened and Endangered Species	0	0	0
Historic Structures (OHI)	1	1	1
Archaeological Sites	14	18	17
NRHP Sites	0	0	0
Residences	1	2	1
Other sensitive land uses*	3	1	1
	Features within 1,000 feet of Route Alternatives		
Threatened and Endangered Species	0	0	0
Historic Structures (OHI)	12	11	14
Archaeological Sites	92	102	103
NRHP Sites	3	3	4
Residences	26	251	77
Other sensitive land uses*	5	8	4
	Features within Proposed 100-foot Right-of-way		
Delineated Wetlands (acres)	0.48	0.48	0.60
Delineated Streams (feet)	3,680	2,233	4,003
Forested Areas (acres)	22	12	23

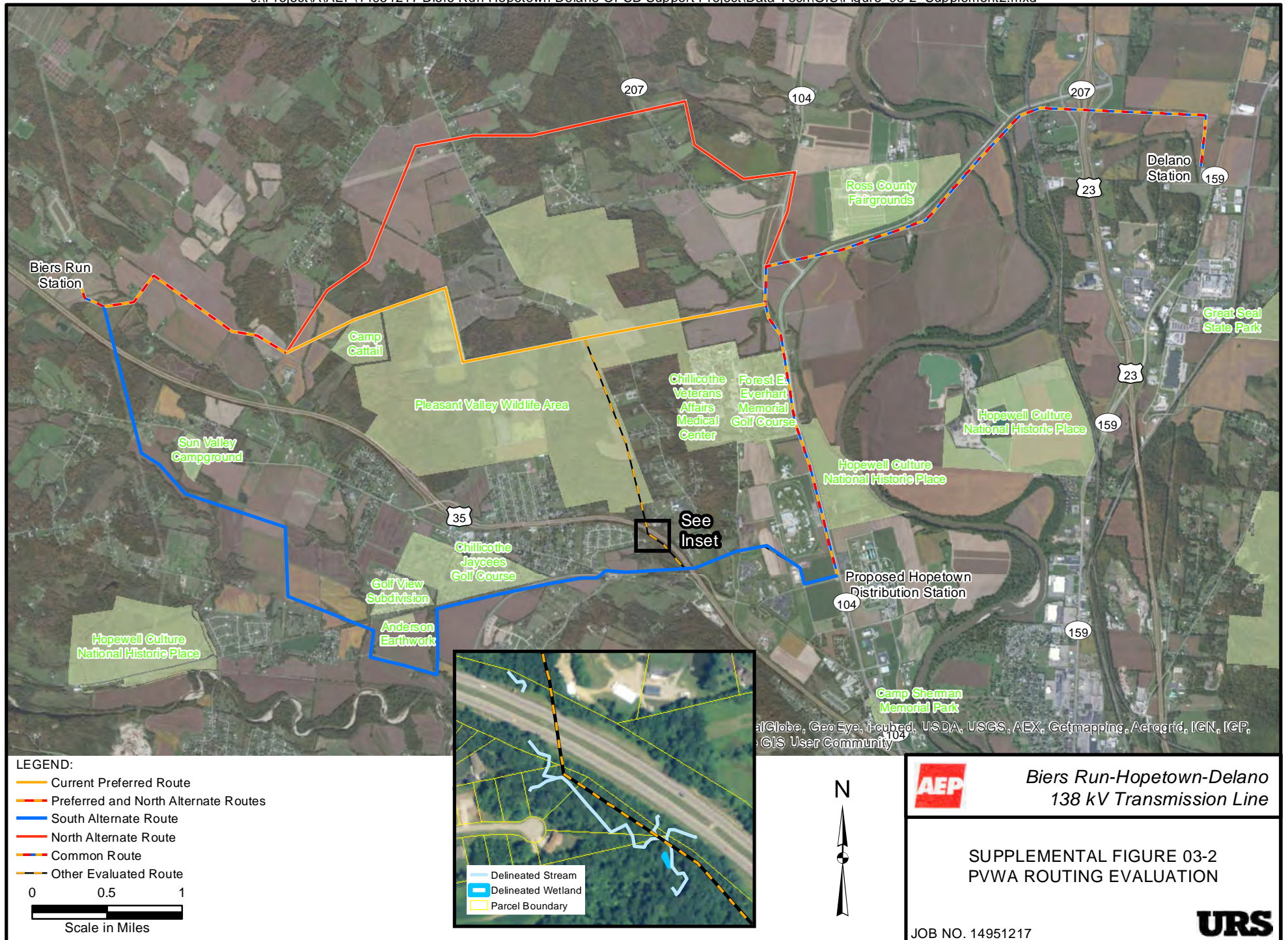
* Other sensitive land uses include airports, parks, State forests, golf courses, schools, hospitals, churches, and cemeteries.

The most significant advantages of the route crossing PVWA over the other two routes include fewer potential residential impacts within 1,000 feet and shorter distance. No major

disadvantages were identified based on the quantitative comparison, although more woodlots would need to be cleared and more streams are within the proposed right-of-way along the Current Preferred Route compared to the South Alternate Route.

In conjunction with the quantitative comparison, Weller and Associates, Inc. conducted a cultural resources survey along west to east route across PVWA. No National Register eligible or potentially eligible resources were identified within the proposed right-of-way. The survey suggests fewer potential impacts to cultural resources along the new candidate route crossing PVWA relative to the two routes submitted in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application and updated by the May 5, 2014 Supplement to the OPSB Application. General details of the Anderson Earthwork along the South Alternate Route and two significant archaeological sites along the North Alternate Route are provided in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application. Specific details of these sites are provided in the Phase I reports provided to OPSB under separate cover.

Based on public comments, ODNR cooperation, the quantitative comparison provided in Supplemental Table 03-2, and reduced potential impacts to cultural resources, AEP believes the route crossing PVWA is the best available alternative. The purpose of this Second Supplement to the OPSB Application is to present this route and identify it as the Current Preferred Route.

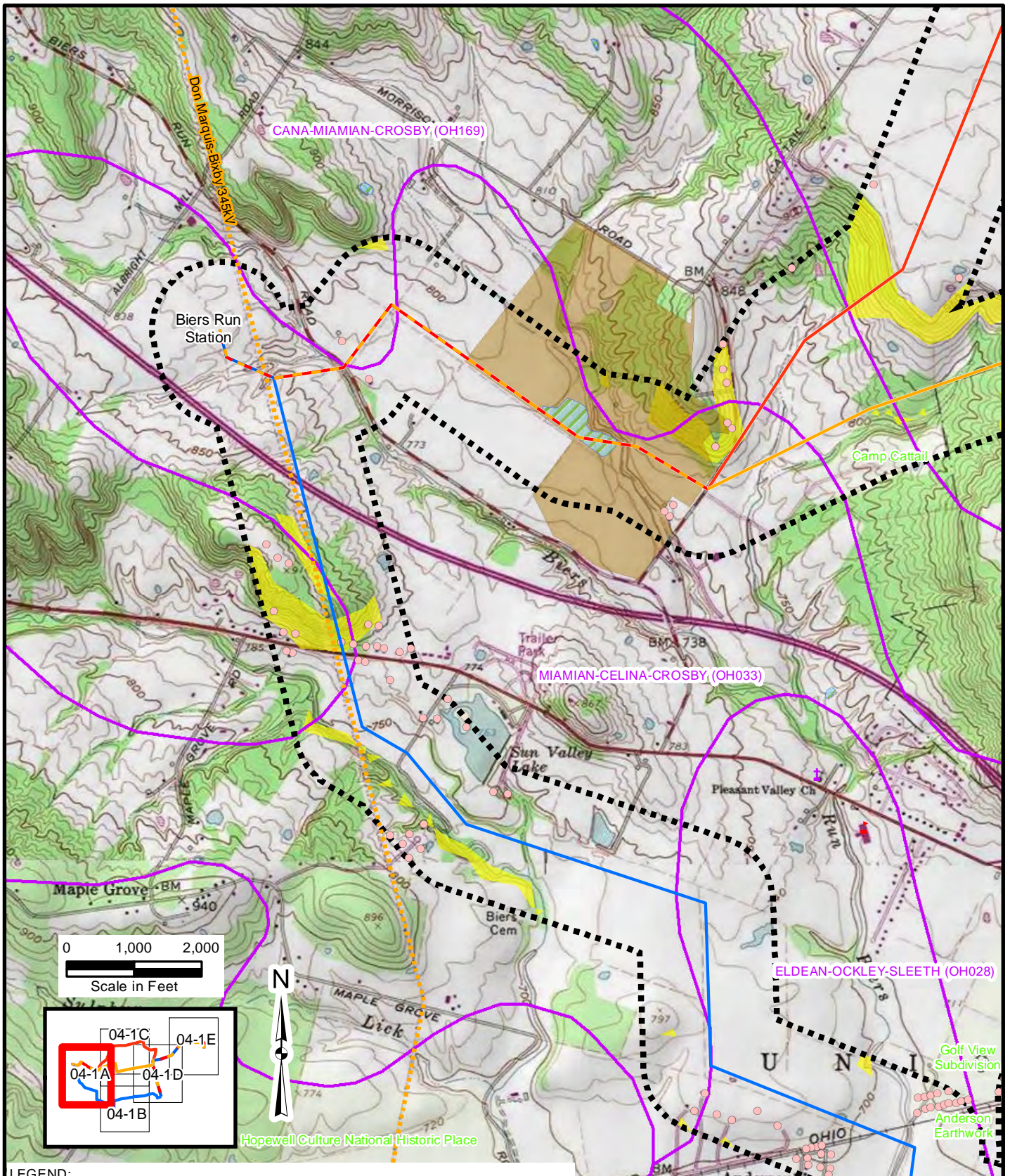


4906-15-04 TECHNICAL DATA**(A) ALTERNATIVE SITES/ROUTES OF PROJECTS****(2) Slope and Soil Mechanics**

Approximately 4 percent of the length of the Current Preferred Route crosses areas with slopes that exceed 12 percent. This compares to approximately 7 percent of the length of the South Alternate Route and 12 percent of the length of the North Alternate Route.

(C) TRANSMISSION EQUIPMENT**(1) Electric Transmission Line Data**

Based on the alignment of the Current Preferred Route and the resulting current design, the majority of the line will be composed of a steel tangent, braced post, delta structure (see Supplemental Figure 04-2G).



LEGEND:

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| Current Preferred Route | Air Transportation Facility |
| Preferred and North Alternate Routes | National Register of Historic Places Site |
| South Alternate Route | Ohio Historic Inventory Structure |
| North Alternate Route | Cemetery |
| Common Route | Known Archaeology Site |
| 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes | Soil Association |
| Existing Transmission Line | NWI Area |
| Residence | Slope Exceeds 12% |
| School | Agricultural District Land Parcel |
| Church | Commercial/Industrial Land Use |

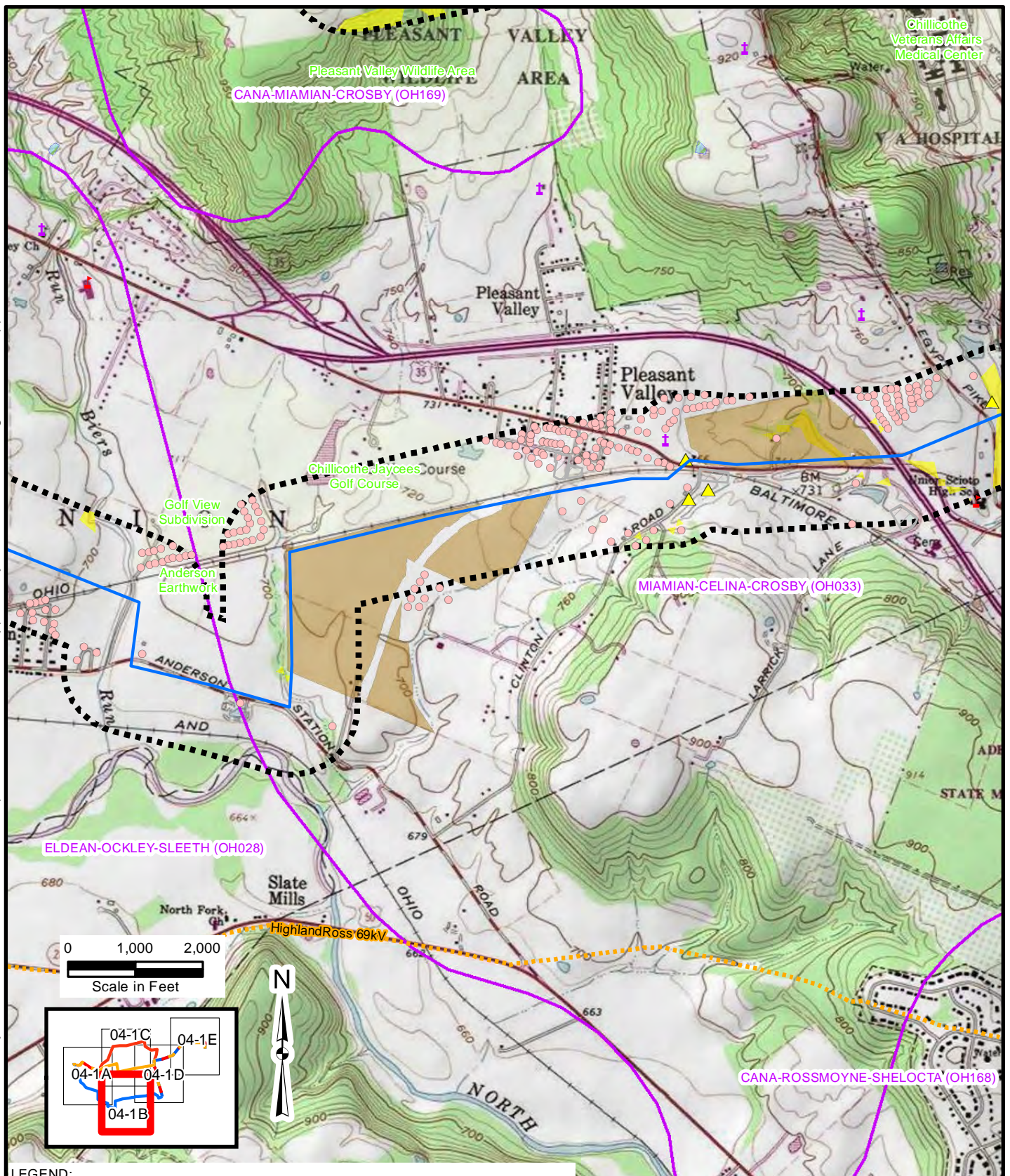


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**FIGURE 04-1A
CONSTRAINTS MAP
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| Current Preferred Route | Air Transportation Facility |
| Preferred and North Alternate Routes | National Register of Historic Places Site |
| South Alternate Route | Ohio Historic Inventory Structure |
| North Alternate Route | Cemetery |
| Common Route | Known Archaeology Site |
| 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes | Soil Association |
| Existing Transmission Line | NWI Area |
| Residence | Slope Exceeds 12% |
| School | Agricultural District Land Parcel |
| Church | Commercial/Industrial Land Use |

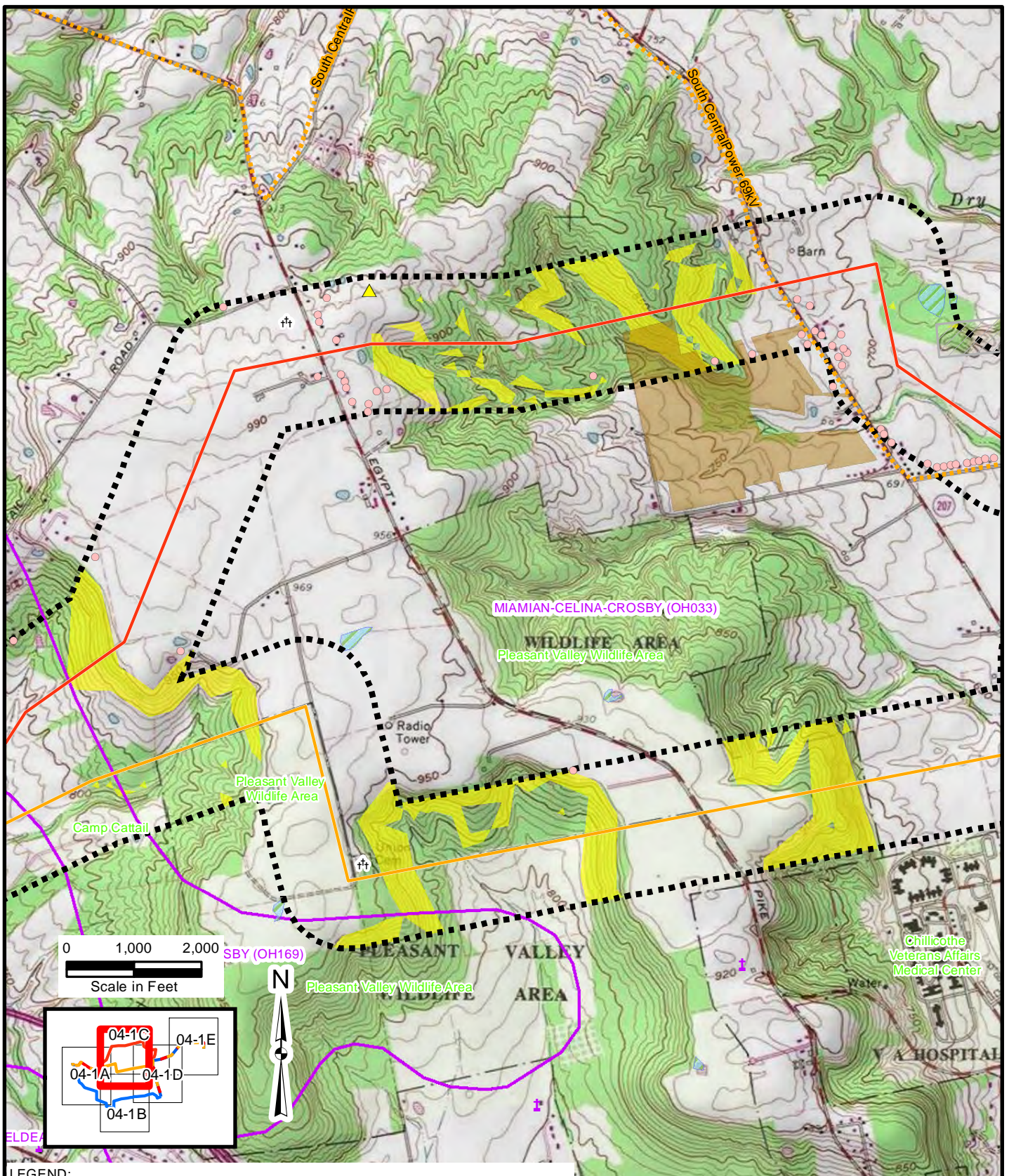


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**FIGURE 04-1B
CONSTRAINTS MAP
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| — Current Preferred Route | ✈ Air Transportation Facility |
| — Preferred and North Alternate Routes | 🏠 National Register of Historic Places Site |
| — South Alternate Route | 🏡 Ohio Historic Inventory Structure |
| — North Alternate Route | ⛪ Cemetery |
| — Common Route | 📍 Known Archaeology Site |
| — 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes | 🌿 Soil Association |
| — Existing Transmission Line | 🌊 NWI Area |
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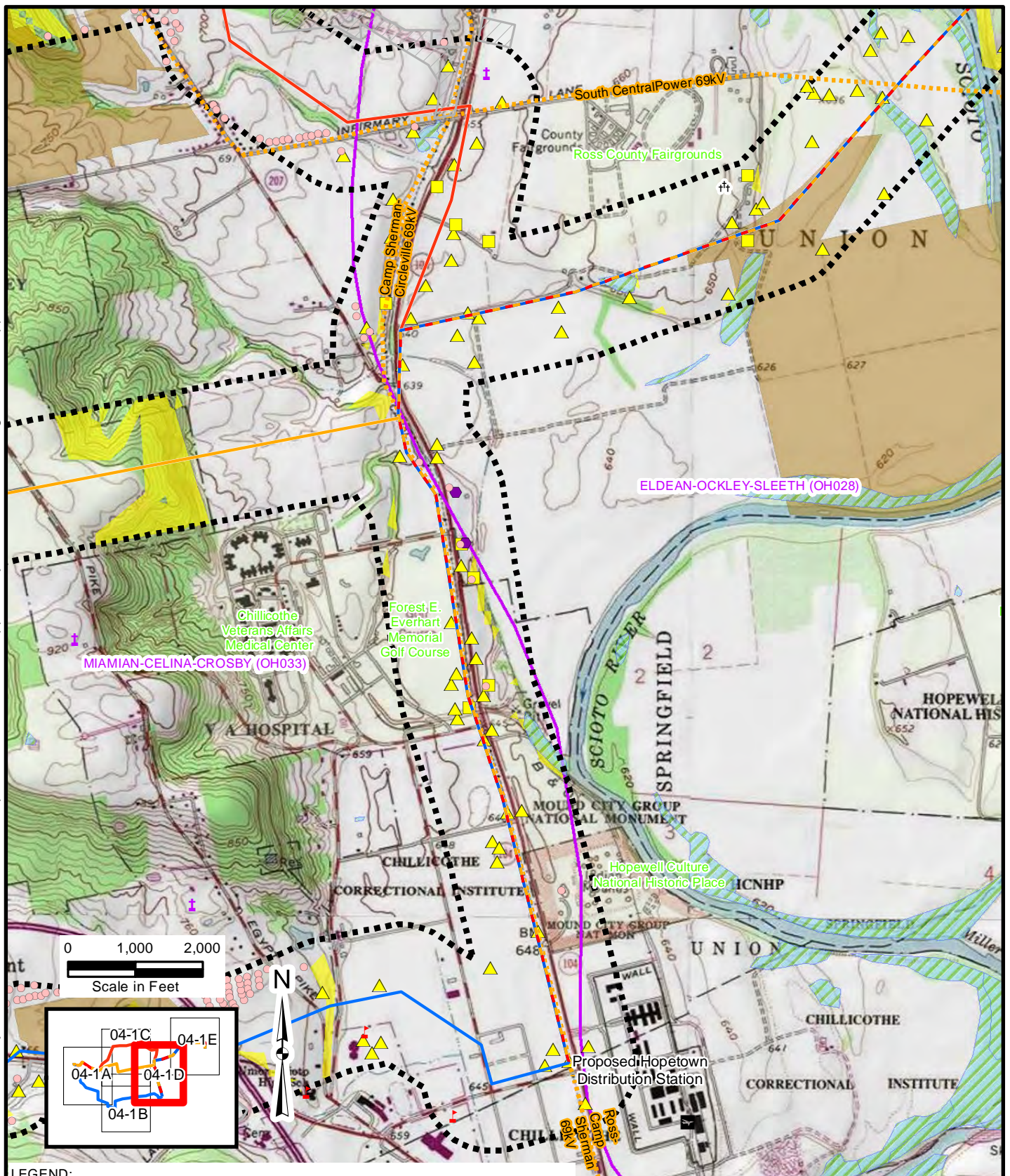


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**FIGURE 04-1C
CONSTRAINTS MAP
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| — Current Preferred Route | Air Transportation Facility |
| — Preferred and North Alternate Routes | National Register of Historic Places Site |
| — South Alternate Route | Ohio Historic Inventory Structure |
| — North Alternate Route | Cemetery |
| — Common Route | Known Archaeology Site |
| 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes | Soil Association |
| --- Existing Transmission Line | NWI Area |
| Residence | Slope Exceeds 12% |
| School | Agricultural District Land Parcel |
| Church | Commercial/Industrial Land Use |

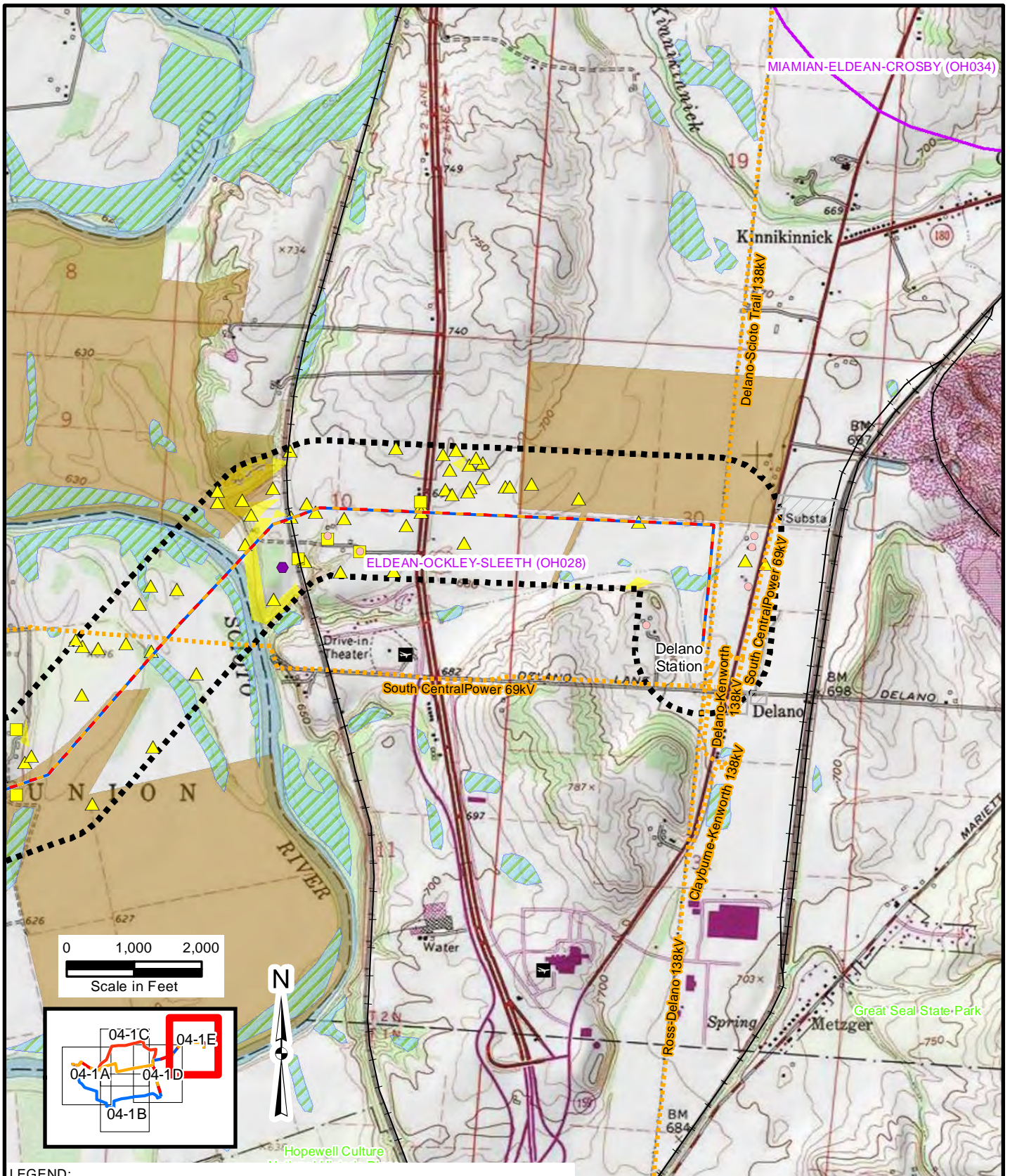


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**FIGURE 04-1D
CONSTRAINTS MAP
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| — Current Preferred Route | Air Transportation Facility |
| — Preferred and North Alternate Routes | National Register of Historic Places Site |
| — South Alternate Route | Ohio Historic Inventory Structure |
| — North Alternate Route | Cemetery |
| — Common Route | Known Archaeology Site |
| 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes | Soil Association |
| --- Existing Transmission Line | NWI Area |
| Residence | Slope Exceeds 12% |
| School | Agricultural District Land Parcel |
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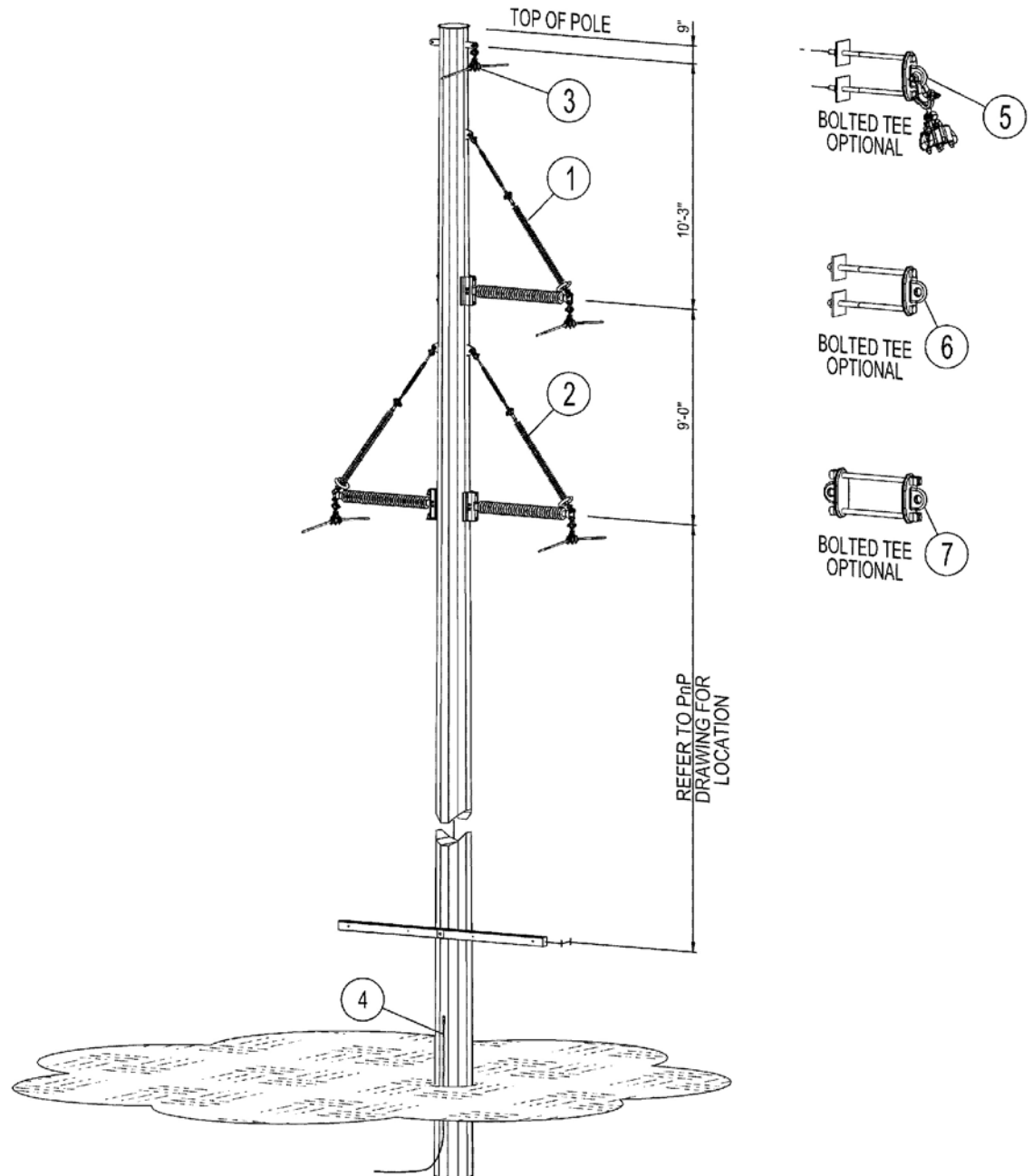
**FIGURE 04-1E
CONSTRAINTS MAP
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REF. DRAWINGS

ITEM	QTY.	ASSEMBLY	DESCRIPTION
1	1	13B5-2739	138KV INSULATOR, POLYMER, ZERO DEGREE BRACED POST, W/CORONA RING
2	2	13B5-2740	138KV INSULATOR, POLYMER, ZERO DEGREE BRACED POST, BACK TO BACK, W/CORONA RING
3	1	30T0-1102	OHGW, SUSPENSION, CONCRETE, STEEL OR WOOD POLE
4	1	21SE-1456	GROUND ROD FOR DIRECT EMBEDDED STEEL POLE
5	1	71A0-1231	3/4 IN FLAT DEAD-END TEE
6	1	71A0-1233	7/8 IN FLAT DEAD-END TEE
7	1	71A0-1234	7/8 IN FLAT DEAD-END TEE BACK TO BACK



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SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 04-2G
SINGLE CIRCUIT, DELTA, ZERO DEGREE
BRACED POST WITH CORONA RING,
STEEL STRUCTURE

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4906-15-05 FINANCIAL DATA**(B) ELECTRIC CAPITAL COST**

Estimates of applicable intangible and capital costs for the Current Preferred Route and both Alternate Routes of the Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano Transmission Line are identified in Table 05-1 Revision 1.

**TABLE 05-1 REVISION 1
ESTIMATES OF APPLICABLE INTANGIBLE AND CAPITAL COSTS FOR
THE CURRENT PREFERRED ROUTE AND BOTH ALTERNATE ROUTES**

FERC Account Number	Description	Current Preferred Route	South Alternate Route	North Alternate Route
350	Land and Land Rights	\$1,400,000	\$1,445,000	\$1,401,000
355	Poles & Fixtures	\$7,784,212	\$8,728,109	\$8,237,147
356	Overhead Conductors & Devices	\$6,395,238	\$6,456,993	\$6,693,355
	TOTAL	\$15,579,450	\$16,630,102	\$16,331,502

4906-15-06 SOCIOECONOMIC AND LAND USE IMPACT ANALYSIS**(A) SOCIOECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS**

Based on review of aerial photography, Ross County Auditor data, and field reconnaissance, 26 residences were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route. One of these residences is located within 100 feet. This residence is located along the common portion of the Current Preferred Route, South Alternate Route, and North Alternate Route. No residences are expected be removed if the Current Preferred Route is selected.

(B) ROUTE ALIGNMENTS AND LAND USE**(1) Proposed Routing Alignments and Turning Points**

Maps at 1:24,000-scale, including the area 1,000 feet on either side of the Current Preferred Route, South Alternate Route, and North Alternate Route are presented as Figures 04-1A through 04-1E. Due to significant routing constraints in the Project vicinity, approximately 54% of the Current Preferred Route overlaps with South Alternate Route. Approximately 67% of the Current Preferred Route overlaps with the North Alternate Route. Approximately 47% of the lengths of the South Alternate Route and North Alternate Route overlap. The overlapping portion of the routes is referred to as the “Common Route”.

Current Preferred Route: The Current Preferred Route begins at the proposed Biers Run Station (OPSB Case Number 12-1361-EL-BSB), and crosses a short section of the overall station property. The first 0.2 mile of the Current Preferred Route as it exits Biers Run Station is shared by the North Alternate Route and South Alternate Route. The Current Preferred Route then heads generally east-southeast for 1.5 miles, sharing the same path as the North Alternate Route, primarily along property lines to Cattail Road. The route continues for 0.7 mile across a property owned by the Ross County Commissioners and occupied by a juvenile detention center and Camp Cattail before entering the ODNr’s PVWA. The Current Preferred Route generally parallels the northern boundary of the irregularly shaped PVWA for approximately 2.0 miles to Egypt Pike. After crossing Egypt Pike, the route continues within the boundary of PVWA and then across a privately owned agricultural property for 1.0 mile to a point near the intersection of State Route 104 and State Route 207 where it meets the current right-of-way of the Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line (Common Route). To this point, the Current Preferred Route will be constructed as a single circuit. However, the 2.0-mile portion of the Common Route heading south parallel to State Route 104 and within the current right-of-way of the Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line to the proposed Hopetown distribution station will require double circuit construction if the Current Preferred Route is selected. This is necessary to create a loop through the proposed Hopetown distribution station and back to the point where the Current Preferred Route and the Common Route intersect. The Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line will be removed prior to construction of this portion of the Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV transmission line. A single circuit will extend east along the Common Route heading north, then

generally east and northeast parallel to State Route 207 for 2.6 miles. The route then crosses a U.S. 23 interchange, extending east and then south across agricultural fields for the final 1.2 miles into Delano Station. The total length of the Current Preferred Route is 11.2 miles.

(3) General Land Use

The Project is located in a rural setting characterized by mixed agricultural and residential land uses, with large wooded areas. A comparison of the various land use characteristics is included as Table 06-2 Revision 2.

(a) Residential: Twenty-six residences were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, one of which is within 100 feet.

(b) Commercial: The only commercial facilities identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route are along the Common Route shared by all three alternatives. These businesses include an auto repair facility, a paint shop, and a warehouse all of which are just within 1,000 feet in the vicinity of Delano Station.

(c) Industrial: No industrial land uses were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route.

(d) Cultural: Ninety-two previously recorded archaeological sites were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, 14 of which are within 100 feet. Twelve Ohio Historic Inventory (OHI) structures were identified within 1,000 feet, one of which is within 100 feet. Three National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) sites were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, none of which are within 100 feet. Two cemeteries were also identified within 1,000 feet, one of which is within 100 feet.

In addition to the OHPO data sources above, Weller & Associates conducted a Phase I cultural resources survey for the Current Preferred Route on behalf of AEP. No eligible or potentially eligible for listing on the National Register archaeological sites or historic structures were identified within the Project's limits of disturbance. Based on the preliminary results, the Current Preferred Route appears to have fewer impacts on cultural resources compared to the North and South Alternate Routes. The full Phase I report will be provided to OPSB and OHPO under separate cover.

(e) Agricultural: Approximately 59% of the Current Preferred Route crosses agricultural land.

(f) Recreational: Approximately 2.4 miles (21%) of the Current Preferred Route crosses ODNr's PVWA (Figures 04-1C and 04-1D). PVWA is primarily utilized for recreational hunting. The Current Preferred Route primarily follows the northern property boundary of the PVWA to minimize impacts to this recreational area. Athletic fields are located just west of Egypt Pike, approximately 700 feet north of where the Current Preferred Route crosses this road. The athletic fields are associated with a property owned by the Ross County Commissioners. The

Forest E. Everhart Memorial Golf Course, associated with the Chillicothe Veteran's Affairs Medical Center, and the Ross County Fairgrounds (Figure 04-1C) are both within 1,000 feet of the Common Route. The overall property of the Forest E. Everhart Memorial Golf Course is crossed by the routes, but no new right-of-way will be necessary. The golf course will be crossed utilizing existing right-of-way of the Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line, which will be removed prior to construction of the project.

(g) **Institutional:** No schools or churches were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route. Property of the Chillicothe Correctional Institute is crossed by the Common Route.

**TABLE 06-2
SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO THE OPSB APPLICATION
SUMMARY OF LAND USE FACTORS OF THE
PREFERRED, SOUTH ALTERNATE, AND NORTH ALTERNATE ROUTES**

Route Alternatives			
	Current Preferred	South Alternate	North Alternate
Length (miles)	11.2	13.1	12.7
% of Length in or Adjacent to Existing Roads Rights-of-way	37%	47%	31%
% of Length in or Adjacent to Existing Transmission Line Rights-of-way	20%	21%	17%
Features within 100 feet of Route Alternatives			
Threatened and Endangered Species	0	0	0
Historic Structures (OHI)	1	1	1
Archaeological Sites	14	18	17
NRHP Sites	0	0	0
Residences	1	2	1
Other sensitive land uses*	3	1	1
Features within 1,000 feet of Route Alternatives			
Threatened and Endangered Species	0	0	0
Historic Structures (OHI)	12	11	14
Archaeological Sites	92	102	103
NRHP Sites	3	3	4
Residences	26	251	77
Other sensitive land uses*	5	8	4

* Other sensitive land uses include airports, parks, State forests, golf courses, schools, hospitals, churches, and cemeteries.

(6) Noise Sensitive Areas

Current Preferred Route: Noise sensitive areas within 1,000 feet of the Preferred Route include 26 residences, one of which was identified within 100 feet.

(7) Agricultural Land (Agricultural District Land)

Five agricultural district land parcels were identified along within 1,000 feet, three of which were identified within 100 feet and crossed by the Current Preferred Route. One of these parcels is along the shared portion of the Current Preferred Route and the North Alternate Route. The remaining four parcels are along the Common Route.

(C) LAND USE IMPACTS OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT**(1) Number of Residential Structures**

Based on review of aerial photography and field reconnaissance, 26 residences were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route. The one residence within 100 feet of the Current Preferred Route is along the Common Route at 17465 State Route 104, Chillicothe, Ohio (Parcel 370914007000).

(2) Impact of Construction

(a) Residential: It is not anticipated that construction of the Current Preferred Route will require the removal of any residential structures, and no individuals are expected to be required to relocate.

(d) Cultural: Based on the preliminary results of the Phase I conducted on behalf of AEP by Weller & Associates, impacts to cultural land use areas associated with construction of the Current Preferred Route are not anticipated. Intensive investigations may be required to avoid two sensitive archaeological sites along the Alternate Route or mitigate any impacts. The full Phase I report will be provided to OPSB and OHPO under separate cover.

(f) Recreational: The Current Preferred Route crosses ODNR's PVWA, which is primarily used for recreational hunting. Approximately 20 acres of tree clearing is expected to be required within the proposed 100-foot right-of-way for the Current Preferred Route within PVWA.

(4) Mitigation Procedures

(f) Recreational: AEP anticipates mitigation for the approximately 20 acres of tree clearing within PVWA to be included in land rights negotiations with ODNR.

(D) PUBLIC INTERACTION INFORMATION**(3) Public Information Programs**

In addition to the public information programs outlined in the Application, AEP continues to have ongoing discussions with affected property owners, including ODNR. AEP has scheduled a public information meeting for the evening of July 22, 2014 at the Pioneer School of Developmental Disabilities, 11268 County Road 550, Chillicothe, Ohio. AEP intends to publish a

public notice regarding the meeting in local newspapers. Affected property owners will also be sent a letter providing details of the meeting's time and location.

(6) Tax Revenues

Current Preferred Route:

Ross County	\$108,100
Green Township	\$7,500
Union Township	\$60,700
Paint Valley Mental Health District	\$9,400
Chillicothe and Ross County Public Libraries	\$9,400
Zane Trace Local School District	\$37,900
Union-Scioto Local School District	\$279,800
Pickaway-Ross County Joint Vocational School District	<u>\$39,500</u>
TOTAL	\$552,300

(E) HEALTH AND SAFETY

(2) Electric and Magnetic Fields

(a) *Calculated Electric and Magnetic Field Levels:* Based on similar design, no changes to the electric and magnetic field calculations provided in the Application are anticipated as a result of the introduction of the Current Preferred Route.

(F) CULTURAL IMPACTS OF THE PROPOSED PROJECT

(1) Archaeological Resources and Correspondence with Agency

Current Preferred Route: Ninety-two previously recorded archaeological sites were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, 14 of which are within 100 feet. Twelve Ohio Historic Inventory (OHI) structures were identified within 1,000 feet, one of which is within 100 feet. Three National Register of Historic Places (NRHP) sites were identified within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred Route, none of which are within 100 feet. Two cemeteries were also identified within 1,000 feet, one of which is within 100 feet.

In addition to the OHPO data sources above, Weller & Associates conducted a Phase I cultural resources survey for the Current Preferred Route on behalf of AEP. No eligible or potentially eligible for listing on the National Register archaeological sites or historic structures were identified within the Project's limits of disturbance. Based on the preliminary results, the Current Preferred Route appears to have fewer impacts on cultural resources compared to the North and South Alternate Routes. The full Phase I report will be provided to OPSB and OHPO under separate cover.

(2) Construction Impacts on Cultural Resources

Weller & Associates conducted a Phase I cultural resources survey for the Current Preferred Route on behalf of AEP. Based on the currently proposed alignment, it appears likely that archaeological resources that are potentially eligible for the NRHP near the Current Preferred Route have been avoided through alignment decisions.

4906-15-07 ECOLOGICAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

(A) SUMMARY OF ECOLOGICAL IMPACT STUDIES

A field reconnaissance along the portion of the Current Preferred Route not already surveyed as part of other routes was conducted by URS ecologists at the request of AEP in May of 2014. This survey included portions of PVWA and two adjacent properties within and adjacent to the proposed right-of-way. The purpose of the survey was to document the endemic vegetation and wildlife and to quantify the occurrence and quality of wetlands and streams. The survey area generally consisted of a 300-foot corridor, 150 feet on either side of the centerline. However, properties adjacent to the PVWA where potential construction access was deemed unlikely along certain portions of the 300-foot corridor were not included. In these cases, the survey corridor width on one side of the centerline was limited to approximately 75 feet to the PVWA property line. The delineated features are described in greater detail in the subsections below.

(B) ECOLOGICAL FEATURES

Maps at a scale of 1:24,000 illustrating areas within 1,000 feet of the Current Preferred, South Alternate, and North Alternate Routes are presented as Figures 04-1A through 04-1E. Features within 1,000 feet of the proposed routes were derived from published data and, where possible, supplemented by the field survey. More detailed maps at 1:12,000-scale depicting delineated features, survey corridor, and proposed right-of-way are provided as Figures 07-1A through 07-1N. Supplemental Figures 07-1L through 07-1N provide the newly delineated features for the Current Preferred Route.

(1) Route Alignments

Due to significant routing constraints in the Project vicinity, approximately 54% of the Current Preferred Route overlaps with South Alternate Route. Approximately 67% of the Current Preferred Route overlaps with the North Alternate Route. Approximately 47% of the lengths of the South Alternate Route and North Alternate Route overlap. The overlapping portion of the routes is referred to as the "Common Route".

Current Preferred Route: The Current Preferred Route begins at the proposed Biers Run Station (OPSB Case Number 12-1361-EL-BSB), and crosses a short section of the overall station property. The first 0.2 mile of the Current Preferred Route as it exits Biers Run Station is shared by the North Alternate Route and South Alternate Route. The Current Preferred Route then heads generally east-southeast for 1.5 miles, sharing the same path as the North Alternate Route, primarily along property lines to Cattail Road. The route continues for 0.7 mile across a property owned by the Ross County Commissioners and occupied by a juvenile detention center and Camp Cattail before entering the ODNR's PVWA. The Current Preferred Route generally parallels the northern boundary of the irregularly shaped PVWA for approximately 2.0 miles to Egypt Pike. After crossing Egypt Pike, the route continues within the boundary of PVWA and

then across a privately owned agricultural property for 1.0 mile to a point near the intersection of State Route 104 and State Route 207 where it meets the current right-of-way of the Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line (Common Route). To this point, the Current Preferred Route will be constructed as a single circuit. However, the 2.0-mile portion of the Common Route heading south parallel to State Route 104 and within the current right-of-way of the Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line to the proposed Hopetown distribution station will require double circuit construction if the Current Preferred Route is selected. This is necessary to create a loop through the proposed Hopetown distribution station and back to the point where the Current Preferred Route and the Common Route intersect. The Camp Sherman-Circleville 69 kV line will be removed prior to construction of this portion of the Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV transmission line. A single circuit will extend east along the Common Route heading north, then generally east and northeast parallel to State Route 207 for 2.6 miles. The route then crosses a U.S. 23 interchange, extending east and then south across agricultural fields for the final 1.2 miles into Delano Station. The total length of the Current Preferred Route is 11.2 miles.

(3) All Areas Currently Not Developed For Agricultural, Residential, Commercial, Industrial, Institutional, or Cultural Purposes, Including:

(a) Streams and Drainage Channels: This Second Supplement to the OPSB Application primarily provides stream evaluations that were conducted within the survey corridor of the portion of the Current Preferred Route that was not previously surveyed as part of overlapping sections of the North Alternate Route and Common Route. Table 07-1 Revision 2 lists the attributes of each delineated stream, including Headwater Habitat Evaluation Index (HHEI) or Qualitative Habitat Evaluation Index (QHEI) score where appropriate, flow regime, aquatic use designations (Ohio Administrative Code rules 3745-1-26), bankfull width, stream length within the survey corridor, and stream length within the proposed right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route. While all streams along the Current Preferred Route are provided in Table 07-1 Revision 2, streams and associated data specifically along the Current Preferred Route that were not provided in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application are highlighted in yellow.

Thirty-three streams have been evaluated within the survey corridor of the Current Preferred Route, including 22 along portions of the route not provided in the OPSB Application. Twenty-eight of the streams are within the proposed right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route totaling 3,680 linear feet. Nineteen of these streams are crossed by the centerline.

Representative photographs of the newly evaluated streams along the Current Preferred Route are provided in Supplemental Appendix 07-1. Copies of the HHEI delineation forms for the 22 newly evaluated streams within the survey corridor are included in Supplemental Appendix 07-2.

TABLE 07-1 REVISION 2
STREAMS WITHIN 100 FEET OF THE PREFERRED AND ALTERNATE ROUTES

Stream Report Name	Route	Figure	Flow Regime	Bankfull Width (feet)	Maximum Pool Depth (in)	Form ^a	Score ^b	Class/ Narrative Rating	Crossed by Centerline	Length (feet) within Survey Corridor (200-300 feet wide)	Length (feet) within Proposed Maintained Right-of-way (100 feet)
BR Stream 4	Common	07-1A	Intermittent	6	8	HHEI	69.0	Class II	Yes	324	162
BR Stream 1	Current Preferred/ North Alternate	07-1A	Intermittent	10	10	QHEI	45.5	Fair Warmwater	Yes	213	102
BR Stream 13	Current Preferred/ North Alternate	07-1A	Ephemeral	1.5	0	HHEI	11.0	Class I	No	95	0
BR Stream 14	Current Preferred/ North Alternate	07-1A	Ephemeral	3	0	HHEI	19.0	Modified Class I	No	117	117
Stream 21	Current Preferred/ North Alternate	07-1A	Intermittent	25	30	QHEI	53.0	Fair Warmwater	Yes	287	127
Stream 22	Current Preferred/ North Alternate	07-1A	Ephemeral	1.5	0	HHEI	22.0	Class I	No	62	0
Stream PV1	Current Preferred	07-1L	Intermittent	14	16	HHEI	69	Modified Class II	Yes	494	123
Stream PV2	Current Preferred	07-1L	Intermittent	10	5	HHEI	64	Modified Class II	Yes	269	129
Stream PV3	Current Preferred	07-1L	Ephemeral	3.5	1	HHEI	32	Modified Class II	No	132	109
Stream PV4	Current Preferred	07-1L	Ephemeral	4	1	HHEI	37	Modified Class II	No	139	32
Stream PV5	Current Preferred	07-1L	Ephemeral	2.5	1	HHEI	27	Class I	Yes	196	64
Stream PV6	Current Preferred	07-1L	Intermittent	15	6	HHEI	75	Class III	Yes	339	169

TABLE 07-1 REVISION 2
STREAMS WITHIN 100 FEET OF THE PREFERRED AND ALTERNATE ROUTES

Stream Report Name	Route	Figure	Flow Regime	Bankfull Width (feet)	Maximum Pool Depth (in)	Form ^a	Score ^b	Class/ Narrative Rating	Crossed by Centerline	Length (feet) within Survey Corridor (200-300 feet wide)	Length (feet) within Proposed Maintained Right-of-way (100 feet)
Stream PV7	Current Preferred	07-1L	Ephemeral	2	1	HHEI	19	Class I	No	387	29
Stream PV8	Current Preferred	07-1L	Intermittent	3	6	HHEI	45	Class II	Yes	505	238
Stream PV9	Current Preferred	07-1L	Ephemeral	3	0	HHEI	31	Modified Class II	No	434	17
Stream PV10	Current Preferred	07-1M	Ephemeral	3.5	1	HHEI	37	Class II	No	1,336	477
Stream PV11	Current Preferred	07-1M	Ephemeral	1.5	0	HHEI	24	Class I	No	394	25
Stream PV12	Current Preferred	07-1M	Ephemeral	1	0.5	HHEI	18	Class I	No	153	0
Stream PV13	Current Preferred	07-1M	Perennial	12	10	HHEI	74	Class III	Yes	301	136
Stream PV14	Current Preferred	07-1M	Ephemeral	1.5	2	HHEI	34	Class II	Yes	226	107
Stream PV15	Current Preferred	07-1M	Intermittent	5	8	HHEI	60	Modified Class II	Yes	258	122
Stream PV17	Current Preferred	07-1M	Ephemeral	3	1	HHEI	13	Class I	Yes	290	178
Stream PV18	Current Preferred	07-1M	Intermittent	5	2	HHEI	44	Class II	Yes	347	133
Stream PV19	Current Preferred	07-1M	Ephemeral	2.5	3	HHEI	50	Class II	No	116	74
Stream PV20	Current Preferred	07-1N	Ephemeral	1.5	0.5	HHEI	31	Class II	No	436	137
Stream PV21	Current Preferred	07-1N	Ephemeral	1	0	HHEI	14	Class I	No	68	0
Stream PV22	Current Preferred	07-1N	Ephemeral	1.5	0.5	HHEI	19	Class I	Yes	651	234
Stream PV23	Current Preferred	07-1N	Intermittent	3.5	2	HHEI	42	Modified Class II	No	343	0
Stream 16	Common	07-1H	Intermittent	8	3	HHEI	45.0	Modified Class II	Yes	125	75

TABLE 07-1 REVISION 2
STREAMS WITHIN 100 FEET OF THE PREFERRED AND ALTERNATE ROUTES

Stream Report Name	Route	Figure	Flow Regime	Bankfull Width (feet)	Maximum Pool Depth (in)	Form ^a	Score ^b	Class/ Narrative Rating	Crossed by Centerline	Length (feet) within Survey Corridor (200-300 feet wide)	Length (feet) within Proposed Maintained Right-of-way (100 feet)
Stream 17	Common	07-1I	Intermittent	3	0	HHEI	19.0	Modified Class I	Yes	609	258
Stream 18	Common	07-1I	Perennial	4	18	HHEI	58.0	Modified Class II	Yes	203	102
Stream 19	Common	07-1J	Perennial	275	unknown	NA	NA	Warmwater*	Yes	201	101
Stream 20	Common	07-1J	Ephemeral	2	0	HHEI	14.0	Class I	Yes	221	103

Form Used^a : QHEI = Qualitative Habitat Evaluation Index, HHEI = Headwater Habitat Evaluation Index, NA = Not Assessed (default to the State of Ohio's assessment)

Score^b : NA = Not Assessed (default to the State of Ohio's assessment)

* = Narrative description is based on Ohio Environmental Protection Agency's ranking. See Ohio Administrative Code 3745-1-09.

Streams are provided predominantly from west to east.

A white cell indicates data for a stream along portions of the Current Preferred Route that overlap with either the North Alternate Route or Common Route. This data was provided in the January 8, 2014 Application.

A yellow cell indicates data for a new stream along the Current Preferred Route not previously provided.

(c) ***Marshes, Swamps, and Other Wetlands:*** This Second Supplement to the OPSB Application primarily provides wetland evaluations that were conducted within the survey corridor of the portion of the Current Preferred Route that was not previously surveyed as part of overlapping sections of the North Alternate Route and Common Route. Table 07-2 Revision 2 lists the attributes of each delineated wetland within the survey corridor and the proposed right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route. While all wetlands along the Current Preferred Route are provided in Table 07-2 Revision 2, wetlands and associated data specifically along the Current Preferred Route that were not provided in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application are highlighted in yellow.

Eight total wetlands have been evaluated within the survey corridors of the Current Preferred Route, including four along portions of the route not provided in the OPSB Application. All of these wetlands are within the proposed right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route totaling 0.48 acre. Six of these wetlands are crossed by the centerline totaling 224 linear feet.

Representative photographs of the newly evaluated wetlands along the Current Preferred Route are provided in Supplemental Appendix 07-1. Copies of the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Midwest *Regional Supplement to the Corps of Engineers Wetland Delineation Manual* and Ohio Rapid Assessment Method (ORAM) delineation forms for the 22 newly evaluated streams within the survey corridor are included in Supplemental Appendix 07-3.

TABLE 07-2 REVISION 2
DELINEATED WETLANDS WITHIN THE SURVEY CORRIDOR

Wetland Name	Route	Figure	Cowardin Wetland Type ^a	ORAM Score	ORAM Category	Length Crossed by Centerline (feet) ^b	Acreage within Survey Corridor	Acreage within Proposed Maintained Right-of-way ^c
Wetland 09	Current Preferred/North Alternate	07-1A	PEM	17.5	Category 1	NC	0.04	0.03
Wetland 10	Current Preferred/North Alternate	07-1A/1E	PFO	39	Category 2	NC	0.05	<0.01
Wetland PV1	Current Preferred	07-1M	PEM	51	Category 2	20	0.08	0.04
Wetland PV2	Current Preferred	07-1M	PEM	47	Category 2	11	0.07	0.03
Wetland PV3	Current Preferred	07-1M	PSS	54	Category 2	6	0.02	0.02
Wetland PV4	Current Preferred	07-1M	PEM	36	Category 2	43	0.05	0.05
Wetland 07	Common	07-1J	PFO	30.5	Category 2	64	0.24	0.13
Wetland 08	Common	07-1J	PFO/PEM	50	Category 2	80	0.31	0.18

Cowardin Wetland Type^a: PEM = palustrine emergent, PSS = palustrine scrub/shrub, PFO = palustrine forested

Linear Feet Crossed by Centerline (feet)^b: NC = Not Crossed by proposed centerline

Acreage within Proposed Maintained ROW^c:

Wetlands are provided predominantly from west to east.

A white cell indicates data for a wetland along portions of the Current Preferred Route that overlap with either the North Alternate Route or Common Route. This data was provided in the January 8, 2014 Application.

A yellow cell indicates data for a new wetland along the Current Preferred Route not previously provided.

(C) IMPACTS OF ALTERNATIVE SITES ON WATER BODIES

(1) Construction Impact

Twenty-eight streams were identified within the proposed right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route totaling 3,680 linear feet. Nineteen of these streams are crossed by the centerline. As proposed in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application, AEP will not conduct mechanized clearing within 25 feet of any stream, and will only clear (via hand cutting techniques) those trees in this area that are tall enough to or have the potential to interfere with safe construction and operation of the line. No streams will be filled or permanently impacted. Streams will be avoided to the maximum extent practical for construction access; however, streams that need to be crossed for construction access will likely be done so using steel plates, timber mats or similar acceptable methods. Temporary stream fords, culverts, or other temporary bridges are also possible. Exact pole locations have not been fully determined to date. Access paths to proposed pole locations

will be evaluated as more detailed engineering is performed and land owner negotiations progress.

Crossing methods for each stream will be addressed in detail in the Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for the project. The SWPPP will be provided to the OPSB under separate cover. Some of the access routes may be left in place for maintenance activity or at the request of the landowner.

(3) Mitigation Procedures

In addition to the mitigation procedures discussed in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application, AEP anticipates stream mitigation within PVWA, if necessary, to be included in land rights negotiations with ODNR.

(D) WETLANDS IMPACT

(1) Construction Impact

Current Preferred Route: The field wetland delineation conducted for the survey corridor Current Preferred Route identified eight wetlands, two of which are along the shared portion of the North Alternate Route and two of which are along the Common Route. A total of 0.86 acres of wetland area were delineated within the survey corridor and 0.48 acre within the proposed right-of-way. Six of the wetlands are crossed by the centerline, totaling 224 linear feet.

- Category 1 wetlands: One Category 1 wetland totaling 0.03 acre was delineated within the proposed construction right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route. This wetland is not crossed by the Current Preferred Route centerline and received a score of 17.5.
- Category 2 wetlands: Seven Category 2 wetlands totaling 0.45 acre were delineated within the proposed construction right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route. Approximately 224 linear feet of Category 2 wetlands will be crossed by the Current Preferred Route centerline. Scores ranged from 30.5 to 54.
- Category 3 wetlands: No Category 3 wetlands were identified within the survey corridor of the proposed Preferred Route. No construction impacts to Category 3 wetlands are anticipated.

New transmission line structure locations will be selected to avoid wetland areas to the extent practical. Most, if not all, wetlands along the Current Preferred Route are expected to be spanned by the new conductors of the transmission line, with the new transmission structures being installed on upland areas. Care will be taken where wetlands are located to avoid or minimize filling and sedimentation, which could occur as a result of construction activities. Selective clearing will be required to remove woody vegetation in wetlands that might impede construction or interfere with operation of the transmission line.

Best Management Practices such as utilization of silt fences and construction matting will be implemented as required during construction to control sedimentation. Sedimentation potential at wetlands should be minimal due to the relatively flat topography along the routes, structure placement, and the fact that construction equipment will only cross wetlands if necessary, and do so using construction matting.

Disturbance of soils in wetland areas during construction will be minimized. No fill material is planned to be placed in any wetland area along the Current Preferred Route. Wetland areas will be clearly staked prior to the commencement of any clearing in order to minimize incidental vehicle impacts. Other than the pole locations discussed, operation of heavy mechanized equipment is not planned within any identified wetland areas, although some construction equipment will need to cross wetland areas. Woody vegetation in wetlands will be hand-cut by chain saws, hydro-axes, or other non-mechanized techniques. When necessary rubber-wheeled vehicles, or vehicles equipped with go tracks, will be used to remove vegetation debris.

(3) Mitigation Procedures

In addition to the mitigation procedures discussed in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application, AEP anticipates wetland mitigation within PVWA, if necessary, to be included in land rights negotiations with ODNR.

(E) VEGETATION IMPACT

(1) Construction Impact

The following discussion describes the potential impacts on woody and herbaceous vegetation along the proposed route during construction. The Current Preferred Route is bordered for portions of its length by agricultural fields, old-field, pasture, scrub-shrub, young to mature oak-mixed mesophytic forests, bottomland hardwoods, landscaped areas, and existing roadway/railroad rights-of-way. A variety of woody and herbaceous lands, as described below, are present within the proposed right-of-way of the Current Preferred Route. Habitat descriptions and details on the expected impacts of construction are provided below.

Agricultural Fields: Approximately 6.3 miles (56%) of the Current Preferred Route, including portions of PVWA cross agricultural fields. Corn and soybeans were observed growing in these agricultural fields.

Old Field: Herbaceous cover exists alongside roads, field borders, and abandoned fields within the survey corridor of the Current Preferred Route in the form of successional old-field communities. These communities are the earliest stages of recolonization by plants following disturbance. This community type is typically short-lived, giving way progressively to shrub and forest communities unless periodically re-disturbed, in which case they remain as old fields. The old-field areas within the study corridor and adjacent areas are infrequently mowed areas of grasses, forbs, and occasional shrubs that include meadow fescue, goldenrod (*Solidago Spp.*),

blackberry, and autumn olive (*Eleagnus umbellata*). The Current Preferred Route crosses approximately 0.7 mile (6%) of old field.

Pasture: Pasture for cattle and hay fields were observed in various portions of the study area. Pasture areas within the study corridors and adjacent areas are frequently mowed and grazed areas of grasses and forbs. Approximately 0.2 mile (2%) of the Current Preferred Route crosses pasture and hayfields.

Oak-Mixed Mesophytic Woodland: Mixed mesophytic woodlands are present along the Current Preferred Route, predominantly within PVWA. Woody species dominating these areas included red oak (*Quercus rubra*), white oak (*Quercus alba*), sugar maple (*Acer saccharum*), red maple (*Acer rubrum*), hackberry (*Celtis occidentalis*), box elder (*Acer negundo*), American Beech (*Fagus grandifolia*), shagbark hickory (*Carya ovata*), and black walnut (*Juglans nigra*). The dominant shrub-layer species included poison ivy (*Toxicodendron radicans*), honeysuckle (*Lonicera japonica*), spicebush (*Lindera benzoin*), paw-paw (*Asimina triloba*), and blackberry (*Rubus fruticosus*). Approximately 1.8 miles (16%) of oak-mixed mesophytic forest are present along the Current Preferred Route. Based on the 100-foot right-of-way width, approximately 22 acres of these forested areas would be cleared along the Current Preferred Route, with approximately 20 of these acres of clearing within PVWA.

Bottomland Hardwoods: Riparian woodlands are common in the floodplain of the Scioto River, which is south of State Route 207, along the Common Route. Woody species dominating the riparian zone include green ash (*Fraxinus pennsylvanica*), silver maple (*Acer saccharinum*), box elder, and sycamore (*Platanus occidentalis*). The shrub and herb layer is dominated by Japanese stilt grass (*Microstegium vimineum*), wingstem (*Verbesina alternifolia*) and creeping jenny (*Lysimachia nummularis*). This area accounts for less than 0.1 mile of the common portion of the Current Preferred Route.

Landscaped Areas: Landscaped areas, including residential properties, a prison, and a golf course were observed within the Project vicinity. These landscaped areas within the study corridor and adjacent areas are frequently mowed of grasses and forbs. Approximately 1.4 miles (13%) of landscaped areas are located along both the Current Preferred Route.

Streams and Wetlands: Streams and wetlands were observed both within and beyond the survey corridor for the Project. Detailed stream and wetland descriptions and expected impacts are provided in Tables 07-1 and 07-2, respectively.

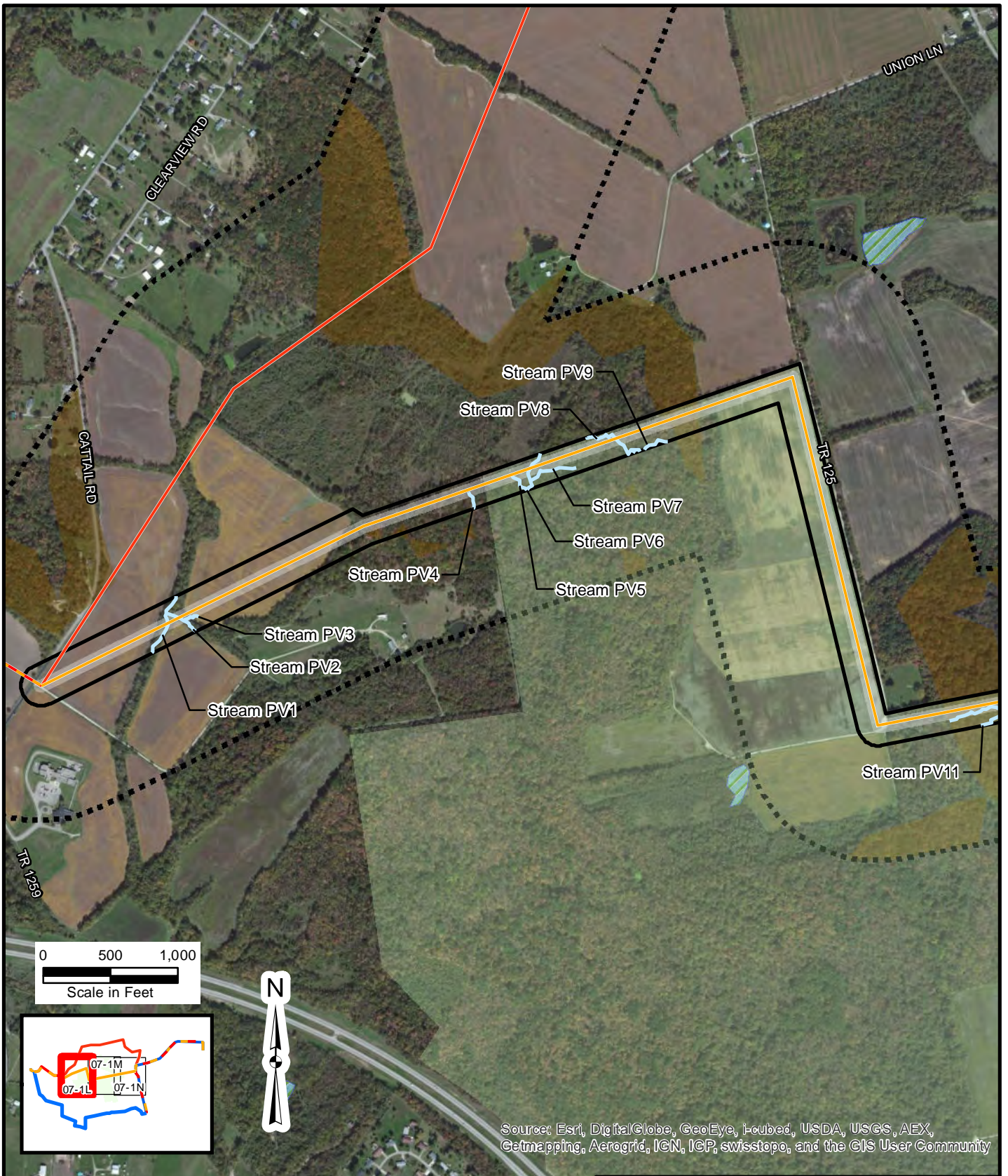
Remaining portions of the routes cross areas developed with commercial and industrial land uses, as well as road and railroad rights-of-way. These areas are generally devoid of significant woody and herbaceous vegetation.

The potential impacts on woody and herbaceous vegetation along the Current Preferred Route will be limited to clearing within the proposed new transmission line right-of-way and potentially along access roads. However where required, trees adjacent to the proposed transmission line

ROW that are dead, dying, diseased, leaning, significantly encroaching or prone to failure, may require clearing to allow for safe operation of the transmission line. Construction impacts to agricultural cropland within the existing transmission right-of-way are expected to be temporary in nature and limited to vehicle access and temporary lay down activities.

(3) Mitigation Procedures

In addition to the mitigation procedures discussed in the January 8, 2014 OPSB Application, AEP anticipates vegetation mitigation within PVWA, if necessary, to be included in land rights negotiations with ODNR.



LEGEND:

- Current Preferred Route
- Preferred and North Alternate Routes
- South Alternate Route
- North Alternate Route
- Common Route
- Proposed Right-of-way
- Supplemental Survey Corridor (225-300 ft)
- 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes
- Existing Transmission Line
- Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area
- NWI Area
- Delineated Stream
- Delineated Wetland
- Slope Exceeds 12%

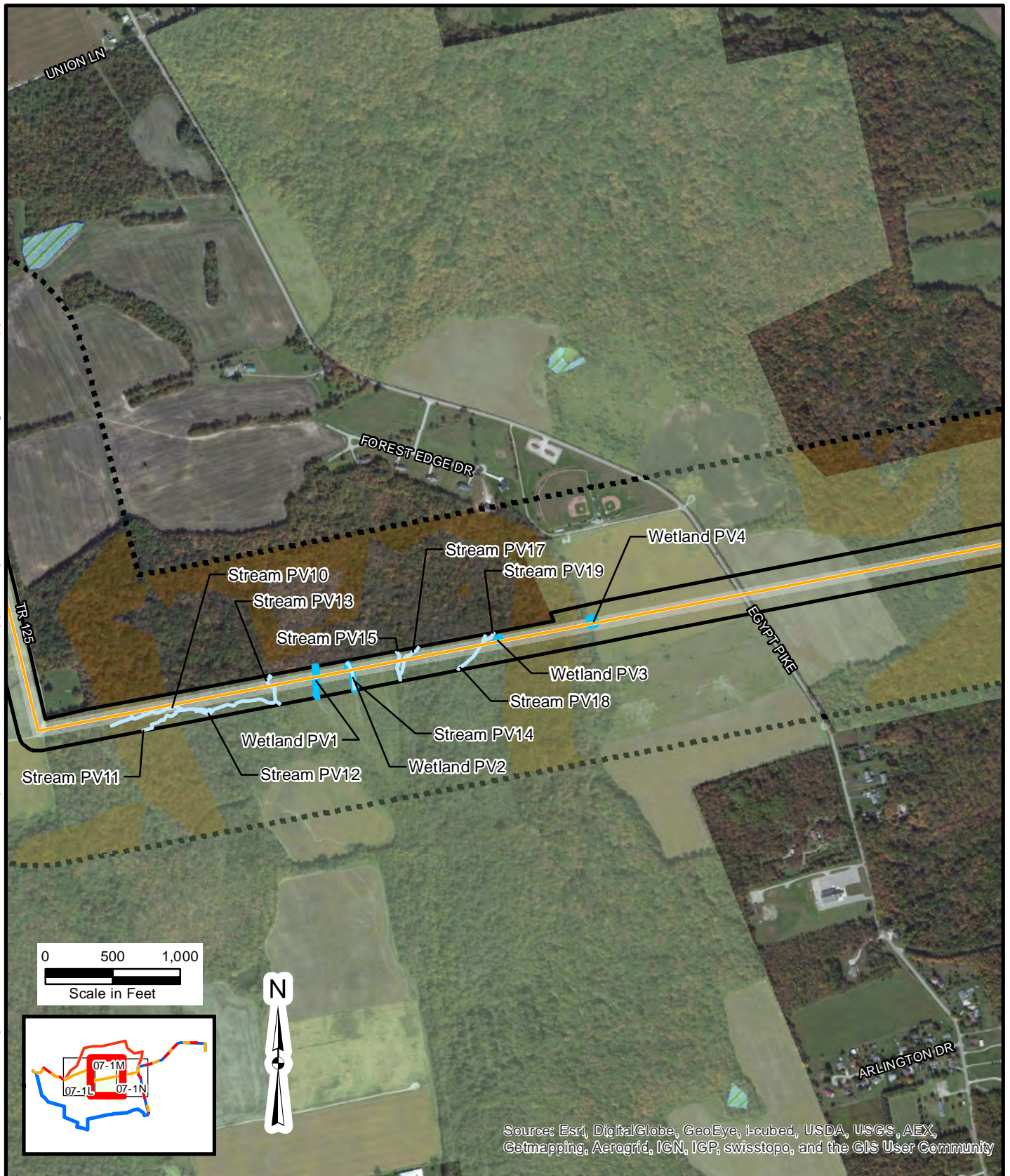


**Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano
138 kV Transmission Line**

**SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 07-1L
ECOLOGICAL FEATURES**

JOB NO. 14951217





Source: Esri, DigitalGlobe, GeoEye, I-cubed, USDA, USGS, AEX, Getmapping, Aerogrid, IGN, IGP, swisstopo, and the GIS User Community

LEGEND:

- | | |
|---|---|
| — Current Preferred Route | --- Existing Transmission Line |
| — Preferred and North Alternate Routes | Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area |
| — South Alternate Route | NWI Area |
| — North Alternate Route | — Delineated Stream |
| — Common Route | Delineated Wetland |
| Proposed Right-of-way | Slope Exceeds 12% |
| Supplemental Survey Corridor (225-300 ft) | |
| 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes | |

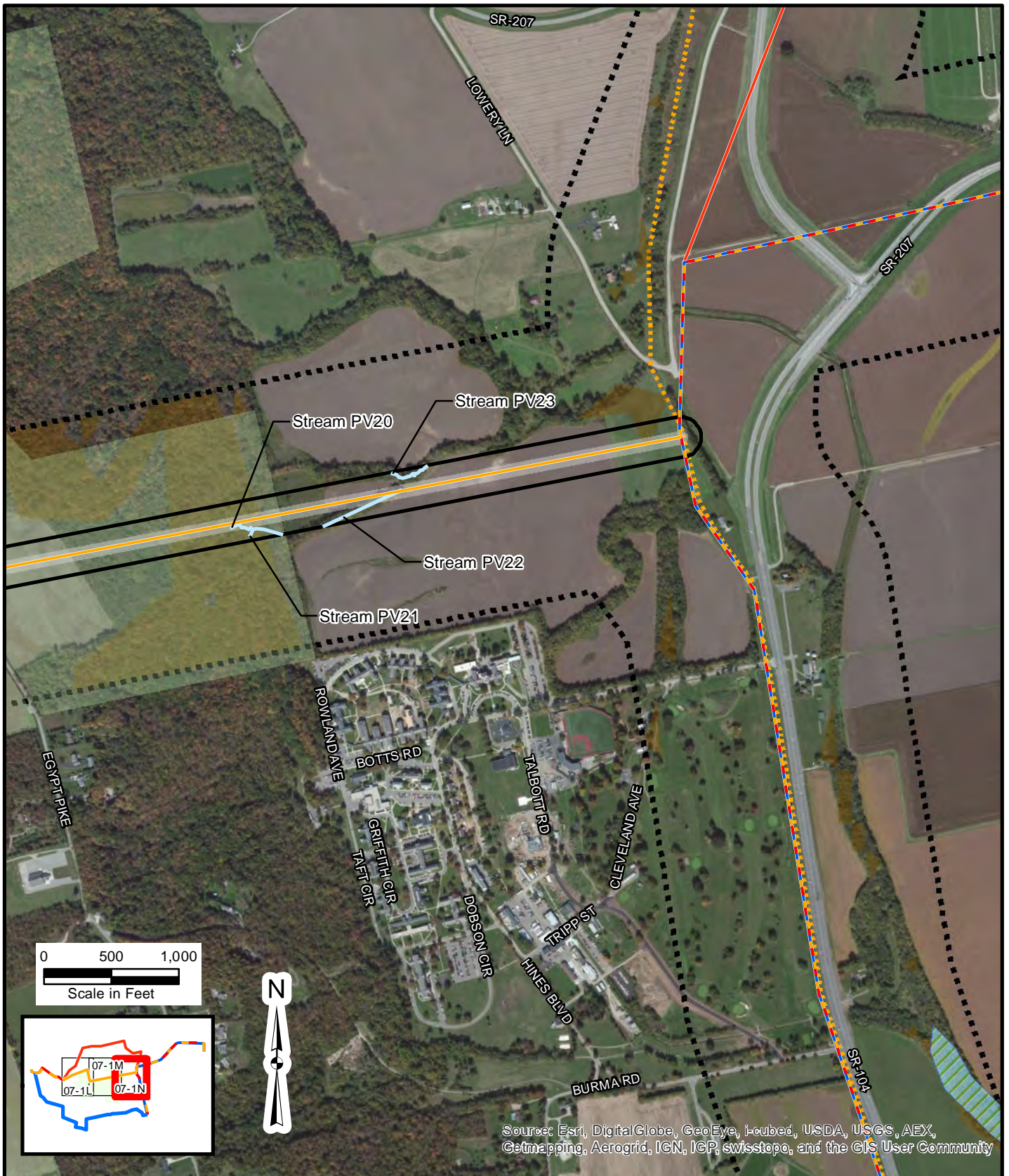


**Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano
138 kV Transmission Line**

SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 07-1M ECOLOGICAL FEATURES

JOB NO. 14951217

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Source: Esri, DigitalGlobe, GeoEye, i-cubed, USDA, USGS, AEX, Getmapping, Aerogrid, IGN, IGP, swisstopo, and the GIS User Community

LEGEND:

- Current Preferred Route
- Preferred and North Alternate Routes
- South Alternate Route
- North Alternate Route
- Common Route
- Proposed Right-of-way
- Supplemental Survey Corridor (225-300 ft)
- 1,000-foot Buffer of Routes
- Existing Transmission Line
- Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area
- NWI Area
- Delineated Stream
- Delineated Wetland
- Slope Exceeds 12%



**Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano
138 kV Transmission Line**

SUPPLEMENTAL FIGURE 07-1N ECOLOGICAL FEATURES

JOB NO. 14951217

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APPENDIX 07-1

REPRESENTATIVE STREAM AND WETLAND PHOTOGRAPHS



PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD

Stream and Wetland Photographs

Client Name: AEP	Site Location: Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area and Adjacent Properties	Project No. 14951217
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Photo No. 1	
Date: May 14, 2014	
Description: Stream PV2, Unnamed Tributary to PV1 Typical Intermittent Stream Facing upstream (Southeast)	

Photo No. 2	
Date: May 20, 2014	
Description: Stream PV9, Unnamed Tributary to PV8 Typical Ephemeral Stream Facing downstream (South)	



PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD

Stream and Wetland Photographs

Client Name: AEP	Site Location: Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area and Adjacent Properties	Project No. 14951217
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Photo No. 3	
Date: May 20, 2014	
Description: Stream PV13, Unnamed Tributary to PV26 Typical Perennial Stream Facing downstream (South)	

Photo No. 4	
Date: May 20, 2014	
Description: Wetland PV1 PEM, Category 2 Looking North	



PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD

Stream and Wetland Photographs

Client Name: AEP	Site Location: Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area and Adjacent Properties	Project No. 14951217
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Photo No. 5	
Date: May 20, 2014	
Description: Wetland PV2 PEM, Category 2 Looking South	

Photo No. 6	
Date: May 20, 2014	
Description: Wetland PV3 PSS, Category 2 Looking North	



PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD

Stream and Wetland Photographs

Client Name: AEP	Site Location: Biers Run-Hopetown-Delano 138 kV Pleasant Valley Wildlife Area and Adjacent Properties	Project No. 14951217
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Photo No. 7	 A photograph of a wetland area. The foreground is dominated by tall, green grasses. In the center, a blue-handled shovel is stuck into the ground, which appears to be a mix of soil and organic matter. The background shows more dense green vegetation and trees.
Date: May 20, 2014	
Description: Wetland PV4 PEM, Category 2 Looking North	

APPENDIX 07-2

STREAM DELINEATION FORMS

Stream PV 1

HH-BAA-5144-1



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3) :

69

SITE NAME/LOCATION AEP BHD

SITE NUMBER _____

RIVER BASIN _____

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) _____

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) _____

LAT. _____

LONG. _____

RIVER CODE _____

RIVER MILE _____

DATE 5-14-14 SCORER Bo, MK COMMENTS INT

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL ☒ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL ☒ RECOVERED ☐ RECOVERING ☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERYMODIFICATIONS: Small riparian area, formally cleared

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	<u>10</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	<u>20</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	<u>35</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	<u>35</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	_____

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock _____

(A)

15

(B)

4

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

19

A + B

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS _____

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

inches

16

Pool Depth
Max = 30

20

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]	

COMMENTS _____

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

feet

14

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

30

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY *NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream*

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Per Bank)	L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)	L	R	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	None	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

COMMENTS _____

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stream Flowing	<input type="checkbox"/> Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS _____

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.5
		<input type="checkbox"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft) ☒ Flat to Moderate ☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft) ☐ Moderate to Severe ☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

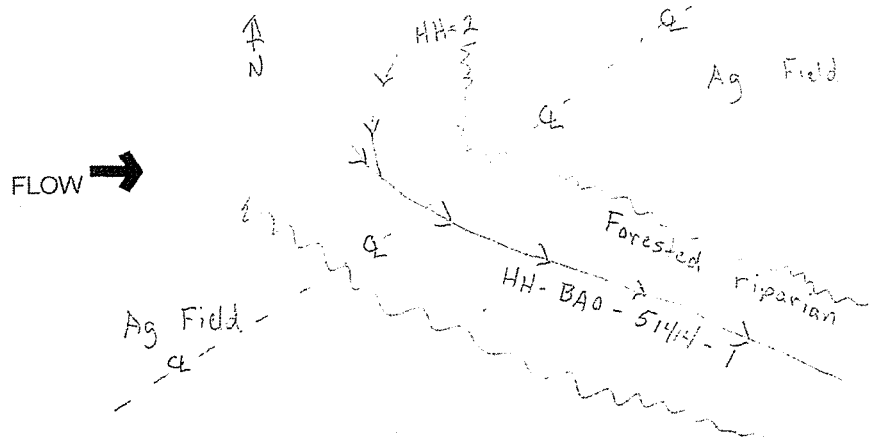
MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 5-13-14 Quantity: _____Photograph Information: upstr, downstr.Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 40Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: sediment + debris**BIOTIC EVALUATION**Performed? (Y/N): Y (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)Fish Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____Comments Regarding Biology: Caddis + mayfly observed**DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):**

Include Important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location





Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

64

SITE NAME/LOCATION AEP - BHD

SITE NUMBER _____

RIVER BASIN _____

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) _____

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) _____

LAT. _____

LONG. _____

RIVER CODE _____

RIVER MILE _____

DATE 5-14-14 SCORER BAO, MRK COMMENTS INT.

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL ☐ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL ☒ RECOVERED ☐ RECOVERING ☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERYMODIFICATIONS: Small riparian zone, formally cleared

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	<u>10</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACKWOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	<u>20</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	<u>35</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	<u>35</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	_____

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock _____(A) 15(B) 4

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

19

A + B

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS _____ MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters): 5Pool Depth
Max = 30

25

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]	

COMMENTS _____ AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters): 9Bankfull
Width
Max=30

20

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

L	R	(Per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	None

COMMENTS _____

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture

L	R	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stream Flowing	<input type="checkbox"/> Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS _____

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.5	<input type="checkbox"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☒ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft) ☐ Flat to Moderate ☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft) ☐ Moderate to Severe ☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 5-13-14 Quantity: _____Photograph Information: upstr. + downstr.Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 30Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

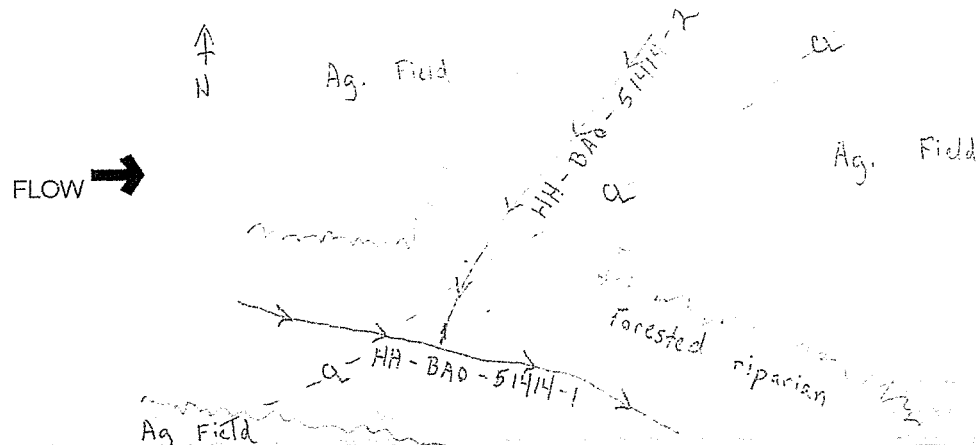
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: caddis & mayfly**DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):**

Include Important landmarks and other features of Interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV3

HH-BA0-51414-4



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

32

SITE NAME/LOCATION Ac-P BHD

SITE NUMBER _____

RIVER BASIN _____

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) _____

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) _____

LAT. _____

LONG. _____

RIVER CODE _____

RIVER MILE _____

DATE 05/14/14SCORER BA0, MKCOMMENTS EPA

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☐ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL☒ RECOVERED☐ RECOVERING☒ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

Partially in ag. field, portion in recovered forest

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.)

TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	40
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	5
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	15	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	30	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	10	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock _____(A) 12(B) 5

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS _____

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters): inches <1

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]	

COMMENTS _____

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters): feet 3.5

HHEI Metric Points

Substrate
Max = 40

17

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

0

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

15

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

L	R	(Per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	None

COMMENTS _____

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture

L	R	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> Stream Flowing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS _____

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.5	<input type="checkbox"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☒ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)
 ☐ Flat to Moderate
 ☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)
 ☐ Moderate to Severe
 ☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
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MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____
County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 5-13-14 Quantity: _____

Photograph Information:

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): _____

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): Y (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N)_____ If not, please explain:_____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: Sedimentation from ag. fields

BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): Y (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

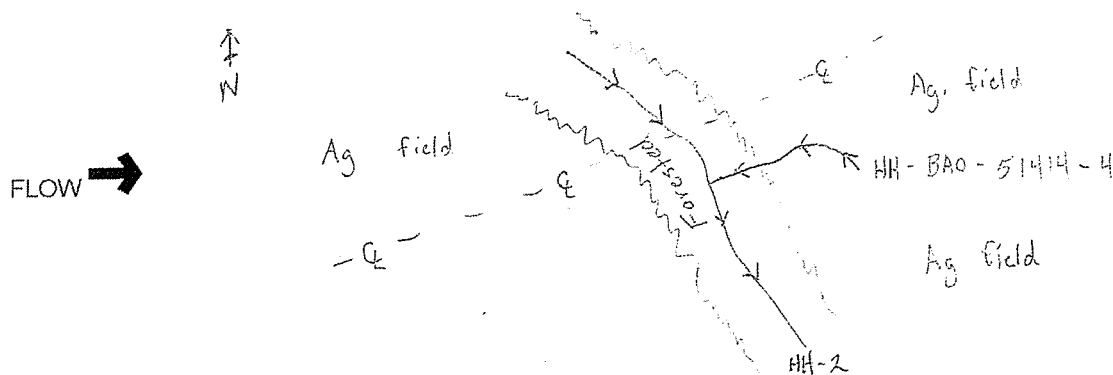
Fish Observed? (Y/N)_____ Voucher? (Y/N)_____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N)_____ Voucher? (Y/N)_____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N)_____ Voucher? (Y/N)_____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N)_____ Voucher? (Y/N)_____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV4

HH-BA0-51414-3



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

37

SITE NAME/LOCATION AEP - BHD

SITE NUMBER _____

RIVER BASIN _____

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) _____

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) _____

LAT. _____

LONG. _____

RIVER CODE _____

RIVER MILE _____

DATE 5-14-14SCORER BA0, MRKCOMMENTS EPH

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☒ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL☐ RECOVERED☐ RECOVERING☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERYMODIFICATIONS: Mature forest

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]	_____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	<u>35</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACKWOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	<u>10</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	<u>10</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	<u>25</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	<u>20</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	_____

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock _____(A) 12(B) 5

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS _____

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (inches): 1

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]	

COMMENTS _____

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (feet): 4HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 4017

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 305Bankfull
Width
Max=3015This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

☆NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream☆

RIPARIAN WIDTH

L	R	(Per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	None

COMMENTS _____

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture

L	R	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> Stream Flowing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS _____

- SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2.5	<input type="checkbox"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft) ☐ Flat to Moderate ☒ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft) ☐ Moderate to Severe ☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information must also be completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 5-13-14 Quantity: _____Photograph Information: upstr. downstr.Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 10Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

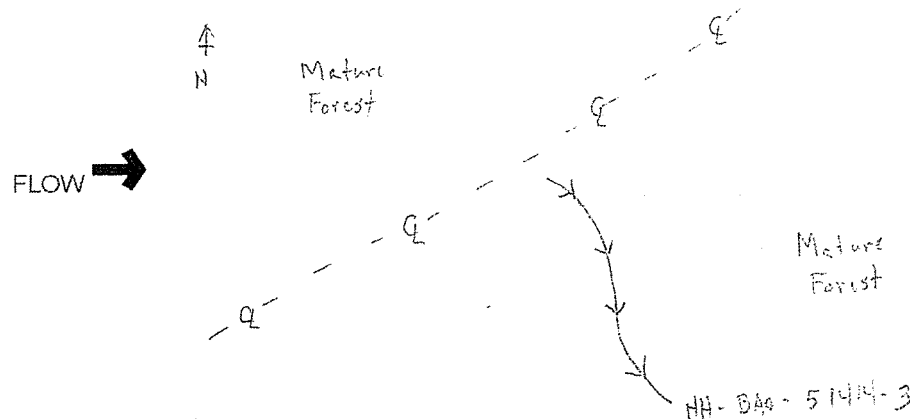
BIOTIC EVALUATIONPerformed? (Y/N): Y (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV5



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HH-HAB-52014-1

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

27

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP-BRHD

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER HAB

COMMENTS

Ephemeral trib of HH-HAB-52014-2

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL



NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL



RECOVERED



RECOVERING



RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

Losses defined channel in floodplain of HH-HAB-52014-2

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE



BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

BEDROCK [16 pts]

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

PERCENT

5

15

10

20

TYPE



SILT [3 pts]

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pts]

MUCK [0 pts]

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

PERCENT

50

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

30

(A)

12

(B)

5

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

17

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

5

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

5

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):



> 30 centimeters [20 pts]



> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]



> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]



> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]



< 5 cm [5 pts]



NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

1"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):



> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]



> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]



> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]



> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]



≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

2.5'

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L R



(Per Bank)

Wide >10m



Moderate 5-10m



Narrow <5m



None

COMMENTS

L R



(Most Predominant per Bank)

Mature Forest, Wetland



Immature Forest, Shrub or Old



Residential, Park, New Field



Fenced Pasture

L R



Conservation Tillage



Urban or Industrial



Open Pasture, Row



Crop



Mining or Construction

FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):



Stream Flowing



Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Intermittent)



Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)



Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

Seasonal moisture present

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):



None



0.5



1.0



1.5



2.0



2.5

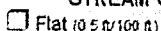


3.0



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STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE



Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)



Flat to Moderate



Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)



Moderate to Severe



Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____Photograph Information: US N DS SElevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N/A Canopy (% open): 10

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATIONPerformed? (Y/N): N (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

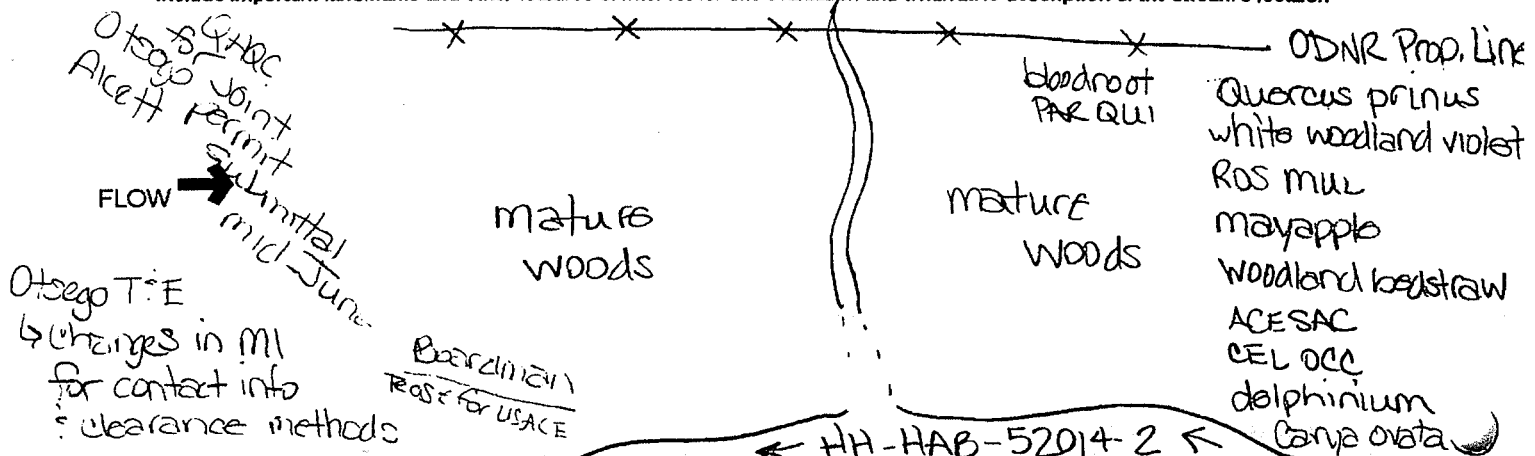
Fish Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) N Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) N

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV 6



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HH-HAB-52014-2

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3) :

75

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP-BRD

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER HAB

COMMENTS Intermittent

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☒ NONE/NATURAL CHANNEL☐ RECOVERED☐ RECOVERING☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE

☐☐☐☐☒☒

BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

BEDROCK [16 pts]

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

PERCENT

1020303030

TYPE

☐☐☐☐☐☐

SILT [3 pts]

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pts]

MUCK [0 pts]

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

PERCENT

10Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock 30

(A)

15

(B)

5

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 4020

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 3025Bankfull
Width
Max=3030

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

> 30 centimeters [20 pts]

☐

> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]

☒

> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]

☐

> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]

☐

< 5 cm [5 pts]

☐

NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

6"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

☒

> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]

☐

> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]

☐

> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]

☐

> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]

☐

≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

15'This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L R

☒ ☒

(Per Bank)

Wide >1Cm

☐

Moderate 5-10m

☐

Narrow <5m

☐

None

☐

None

COMMENTS

L R

☒ ☒

(Most Predominant per Bank)

Mature Forest, Wetland

☐

Immature Forest, Shrub or Old

☐

Field

☐

Residential, Park, New Field

☐

Fenced Pasture

L R

☐

Conservation Tillage

☐

Urban or Industrial

☐

Open Pasture, Row

☐

Crop

☐

Mining or Construction

FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):☒

Stream Flowing

☐

Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)

☐

Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)

☐

Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS recent seasonal rains

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):☐

None

☐

0.5

☐

1.0

☐

1.5

☒

2.0

☐

2.5

☐

3.0

☐

>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)☐ Flat to Moderate☒ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)☐ Moderate to Severe☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information must also be completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____Photograph Information: US E DS WElevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 30Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) Y If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

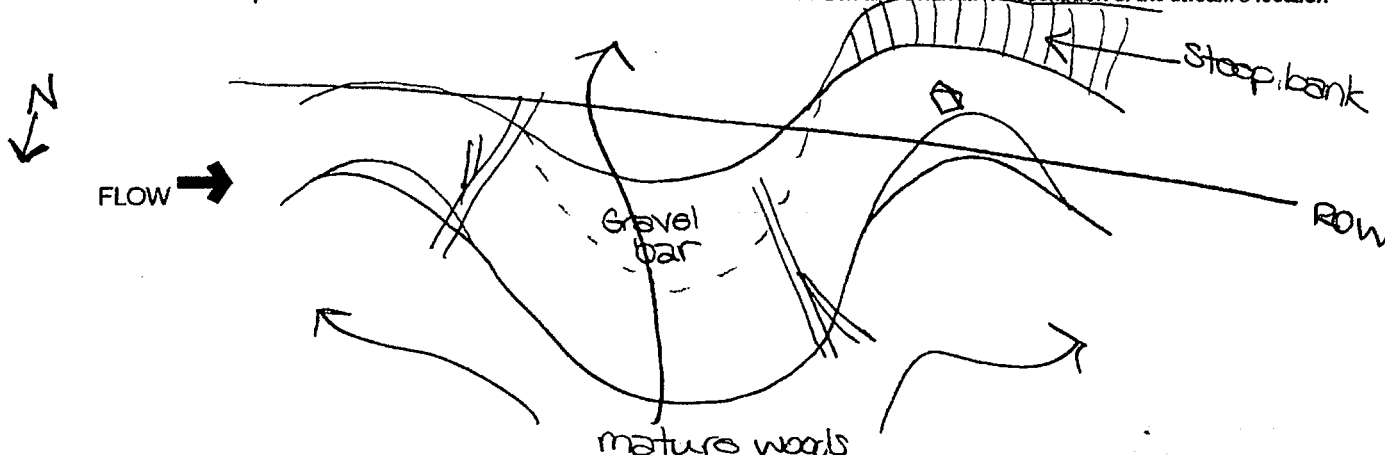
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: mayfly, caddisfly**DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):**

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: USE DSW

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N/A Canopy (% open): 25

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) Y If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

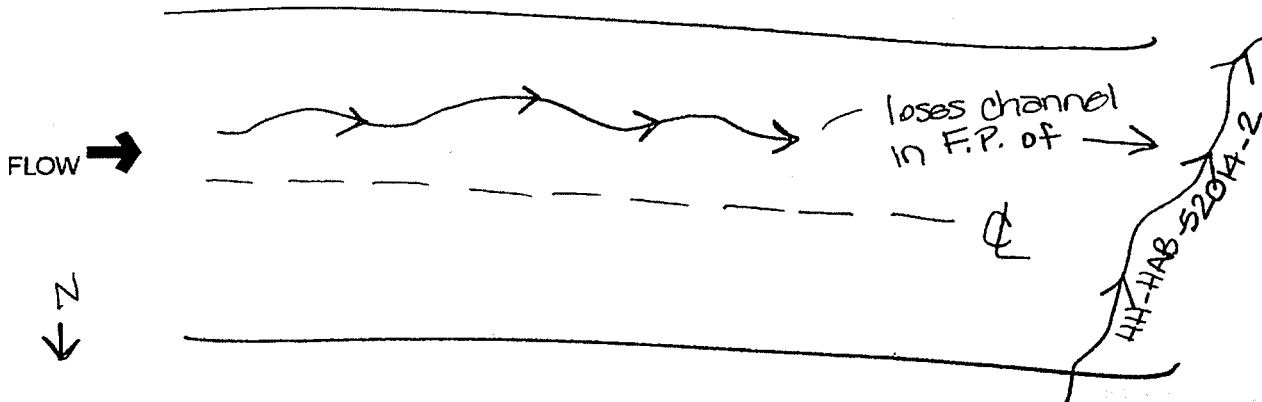
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location





Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HH-HAB-52014-4

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

45

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP BRHD

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER JAB

COMMENTS

Intermittent trib of HH-HAB-52014-2

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☒ NONE/NATURAL CHANNEL

☐ RECOVERED

☐ RECOVERING

☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE

☐

BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

PERCENT

TYPE

☒

SILT [3 pt]

PERCENT

40

☐

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

☐

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

☐

BEDROCK [16 pt]

☐

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

☐

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

20

☐

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

☒

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

40

☐

MUCK [0 pts]

☐

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

☐

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

20

(A)

12

(B)

3

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI Metric Points

Substrate Max = 40

15

A + B

Pool Depth Max = 30

25

Bankfull Width Max=30

5

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

> 30 centimeters [20 pts]

☐

> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]

☒

> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]

☐

< 5 cm [5 pts]

☒

> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]

☐

NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

6"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]

☐

> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]

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> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]

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≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

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> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

3'

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY (NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream)

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L R

(Per Bank)

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Wide >10m

L R

(Most Predominant per Bank)

☐

Mature Forest, Wetland

L R

Conservation Tillage

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Moderate 5-10m

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Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field

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Urban or Industrial

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Narrow <5m

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Residential, Park, New Field

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Open Pasture, Row Crop

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None

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Fenced Pasture

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Mining or Construction

COMMENTS

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

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Stream Flowing

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Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)

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Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Intermittent)

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Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

Seasonal moisture

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

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None

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STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)

☐ Flat to Moderate

☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)

☒ Moderate to Severe

☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information must also be completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____Photograph Information: US E OS WElevated Turbidity? (Y/N): Y Canopy (% open): 20

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) Y If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

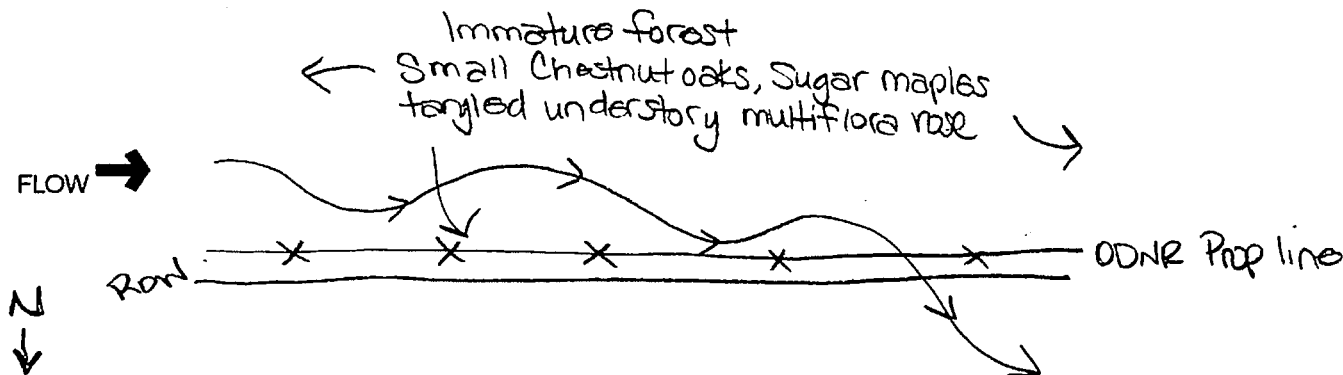
BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____Comments Regarding Biology: tadpoles in pools**DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):**

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location





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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

31

SITE NAME/LOCATION

DEP BRND

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER HAB

COMMENTS

Ephemeral trib of HH-HAB-52014-4

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☒ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL

☐ RECOVERED

☐ RECOVERING

☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE

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BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

BOULDER (>255 mm) [16 pts]

BEDROCK [16 pt]

COBBLE (65-255 mm) [12 pts]

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

PERCENT

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30

40

TYPE

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SILT [3 pt]

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

MUCK [0 pts]

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

PERCENT

5

10

Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

35

(A)

21

(B)

5

HHEI Metric Points

Substrate Max = 40

26

A + B

Pool Depth Max = 30

0

Bankfull Width Max=30

5

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

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> 30 centimeters [20 pts]

> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]

> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]

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> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]

< 5 cm [5 pts]

NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

0

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

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> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]

> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]

> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]

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> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]

≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

3'

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

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(Per Bank)

Wide >10m

Moderate 5-10m

Narrow <5m

None

COMMENTS

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(Most Predominant per Bank)

Mature Forest, Wetland

Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field

Residential, Park, New Field

Fenced Pasture

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Conservation Tillage

Urban or Industrial

Open Pasture, Row Crop

Mining or Construction

FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

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Stream Flowing

Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)

COMMENTS

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Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)

Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

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None

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3.0

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STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)

☐ Flat to Moderate

☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)

☒ Moderate to Severe

☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
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MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: US NE DS SW

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): _____ Canopy (% open): 10

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

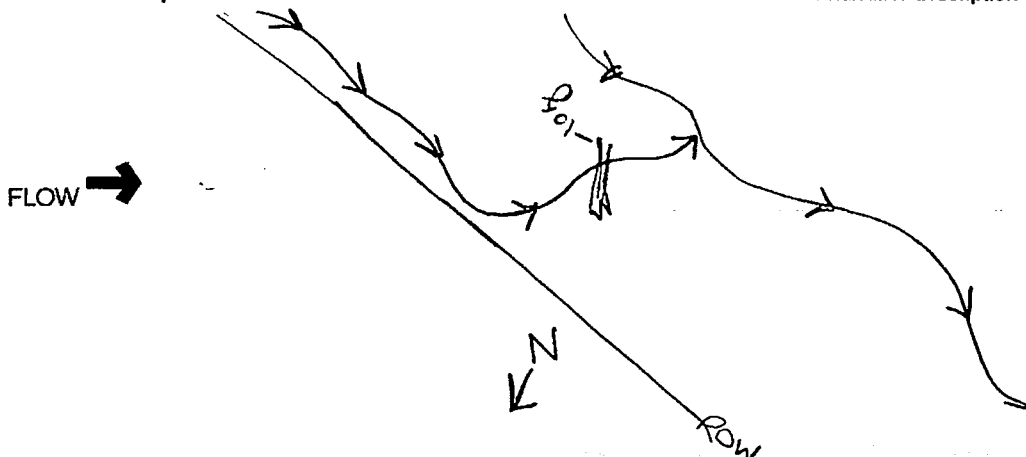
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location





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HH-HAB-5204-6 HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

37

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP BRHD

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE

5/20/14

SCORER

HAB

COMMENTS

Ephemeral

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL



NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL



RECOVERED



RECOVERING



RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE



BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

BEDROCK [16 pt]

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

PERCENT

10

10

20

20

20

20

TYPE



SILT [3 pt]

LEAF PACKWOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

MUCK [0 pts]

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

PERCENT

50

10

10

10

10

10

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

20

(A)

12

(B)

5

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

17

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

5

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

15

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):



> 30 centimeters [20 pts]



> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]



> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]



> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]



< 5 cm [5 pts]



NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

1"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):



> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]



> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]



> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]



> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]



≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

3.5'

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

☆NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream☆

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY



(Per Bank)

Wide >10m



Moderate 5-10m



Narrow <5m



None



None

COMMENTS



(Most Predominant per Bank)

Mature Forest, Wetland



Immature Forest, Shrub or Old



Field



Residential, Park, New Field



Fenced Pasture



Conservation Tillage



Urban or Industrial



Open Pasture, Row



Crop



Mining or Construction

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):



Stream Flowing



Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)



Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)



Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

- SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):



None



0.5



1.0



1.5



2.0



2.5



3.0



>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE



Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)



Flat to Moderate



Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)



Moderate to Severe



Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: US W DS E

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): _____ Canopy (% open): _____

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): N (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

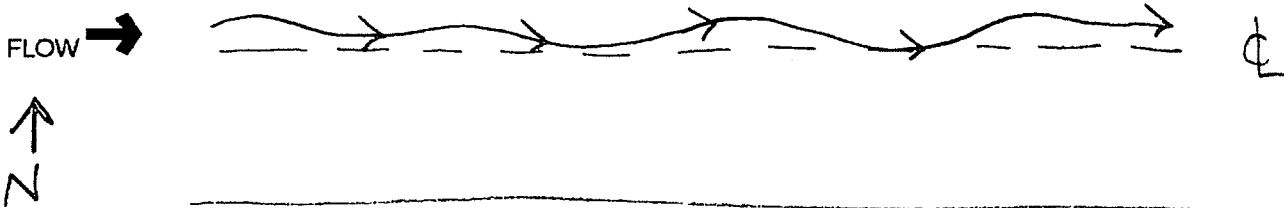
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Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

24

SITE NAME/LOCATION

NEP BRHD

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE

5/20/14

SCORER

COMMENTS

Ephemeral trib of HH- HAB-52014-6

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL



NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL



RECOVERED



RECOVERING



RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. **SUBSTRATE** (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	30
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	10
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	

TYPE	PERCENT
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	50
<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	10
<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	
<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

(A)

15

(B)

4

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

19

A + B

2. **Maximum Pool Depth** (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):
- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts] | <input type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts] | <input type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts] | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts] |

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

0

Pool Depth
Max = 30

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3. **BANK FULL WIDTH** (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):
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| <input type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts] | <input type="checkbox"/> > 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts] | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts] | |

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

1.5

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

5

This information must also be completed
RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY *NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream*

RIPARIAN WIDTH

L	R	(Per Bank)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	None

COMMENTS

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture

L	R	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

- FLOW REGIME** (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> Stream Flowing	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

- SINUOSITY** (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):
- | | | |
|-------------------------------|---|------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> None | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1.0 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2.0 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 0.5 | <input type="checkbox"/> 1.5 | <input type="checkbox"/> 2.5 |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> 3.0 |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> >3 |

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

- ☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft) ☐ Flat to Moderate ☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft) ☒ Moderate to Severe ☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information must also be completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: US SW DS NE

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): NA Canopy (% open): 30

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): N (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

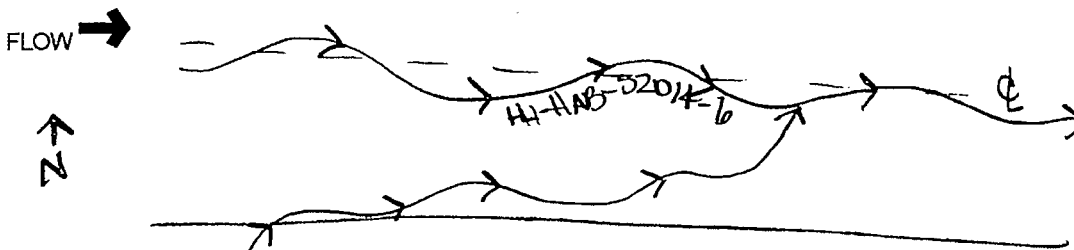
Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV12



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HH-HAB-52014-8

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

18

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP BRW

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE

5/20/14

SCORER

HAB

COMMENTS

EPH trib of HH-HAB-52014-7

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL



NONE/NATURAL CHANNEL



RECOVERED



RECOVERING



RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE



BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

BEDROCK [16 pt]

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

PERCENT

TYPE



SILT [3 pt]

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

MUCK [0 pts]

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

PERCENT

60

40

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

(A)

6

(B)

2

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

8

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

5

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

5

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):



> 30 centimeters [20 pts]

> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]

> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]



> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]

< 5 cm [5 pts]

NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

1 1/2

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):



> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]

> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]

> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]



> 1.3 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]

≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

1

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L R



(Per Bank)

Wide >10m

Moderate 5-10m

Narrow <5m

None

COMMENTS

L R



(Most Predominant per Bank)

Mature Forest, Wetland

Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field

Residential, Park, New Field

Fenced Pasture

L R



Conservation Tillage

Urban or Industrial

Open Pasture, Row Crop

Mining or Construction

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):



Stream Flowing

Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Intermittent)

COMMENTS

Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)

Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

None

0.5



1.0

1.5



2.0

2.5



3.0

>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE



Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)



Flat to Moderate



Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)



Moderate to Severe



Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: US SW DS NE

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): NA Canopy (% open): 30

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

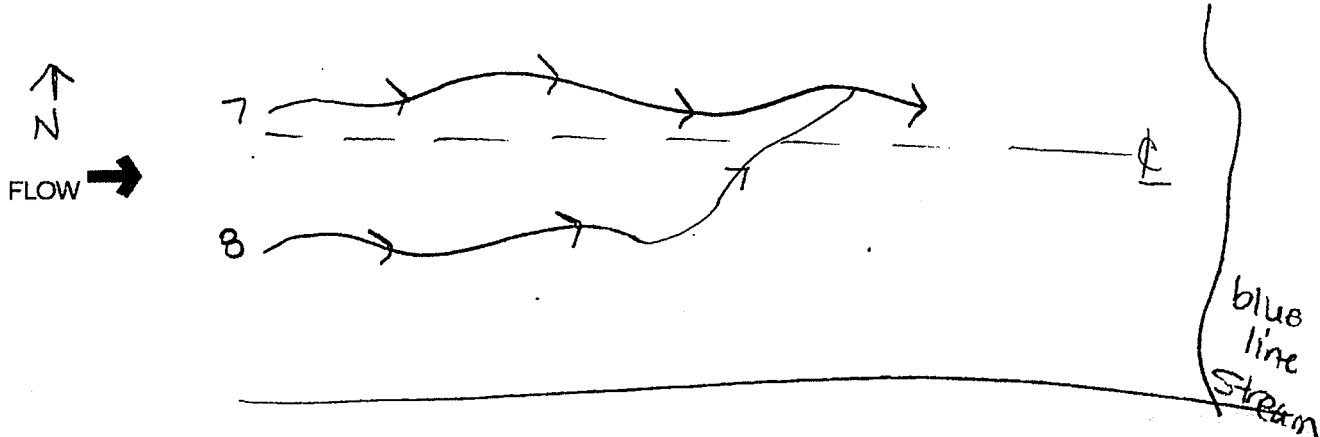
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV13



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HH-HAB-52014-9

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

74

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP BRND

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER

HAB

COMMENTS

Perennial

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL



NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL



RECOVERED



RECOVERING



RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE



BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

PERCENT

TYPE



SILT [3 pts]

PERCENT

10



BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]



LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]



BEDROCK [16 pts]



FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]



COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

20



CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pts]



GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

40



MUCK [0 pts]



SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

30



ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

20

(A)

15

(B)

4

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

19

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

30

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

25

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):



> 30 centimeters [20 pts]



> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]



> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]



< 5 cm [5 pts]



> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]



NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

10"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):



> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]



> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]



> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]



≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]



> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

12'

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

☆NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream☆

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L, R

(Per Bank)

L, R

(Most Predominant per Bank)

L, R



Wide >1Cm



Mature Forest, Wetland



Conservation Tillage



Moderate 5-10m



Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field



Urban or Industrial



Narrow <5m



Residential, Park, New Field



Open Pasture, Row Crop



None



Fenced Pasture



Mining or Construction

COMMENTS

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):



Stream Flowing



Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)



Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Intermittent)



Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):



None



1.0



2.0



3.0



0.5



1.5



2.5



>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)


Flat to Moderate



Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)



Moderate to Severe



Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: US N DS 3

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 30

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aqualic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

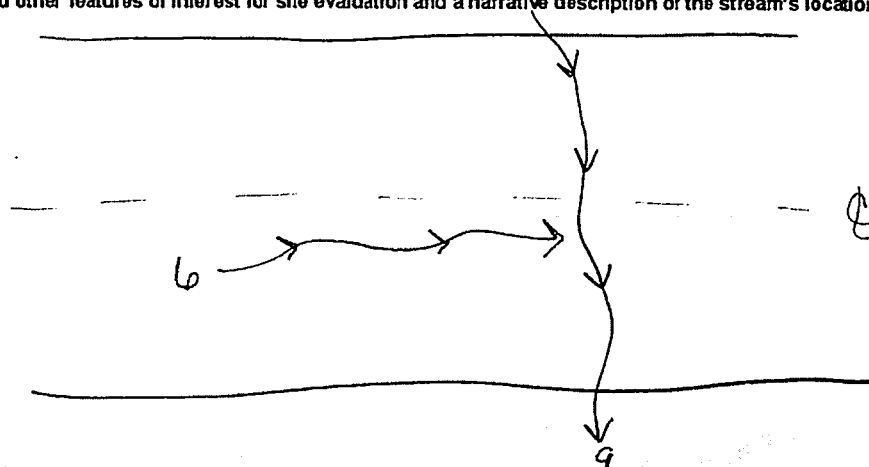
Comments Regarding Biology: Juvenile salamanders

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include Important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location

FLOW →

↑
N



ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____Photograph Information: US/DSElevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N/A Canopy (% open): 100Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N): Y If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATIONPerformed? (Y/N): N (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

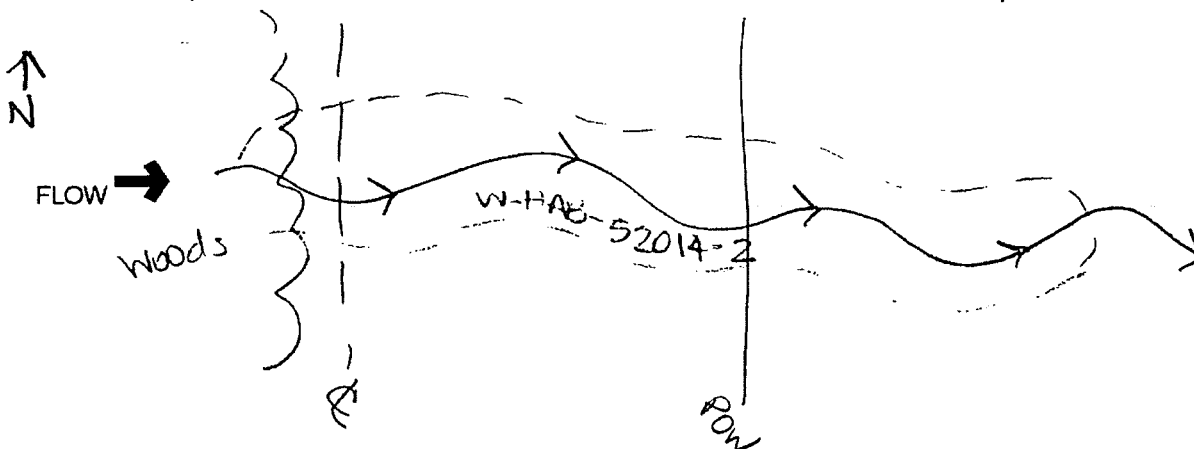
Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV 15



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HA-HAB-52014-11

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

60

SITE NAME/LOCATION

APP BRND

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER HAB

COMMENTS

Intermittent

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☐ NONE/NATURAL CHANNEL☐ RECOVERED☐ RECOVERING☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & E.

TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]	
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	5
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	45
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	

TYPE

☒

SILT [3 pt]

☐

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

☐

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

☐

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

☐

MUCK [0 pts]

☐

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

☐

PERCENT

50

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

(A)

12

(B)

3

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

15

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

25

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

20

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

☐ > 30 centimeters [20 pts]☒ > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]☒ > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]☐ > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]☐ < 5 cm [5 pts]☐ NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

8"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

☐ > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]☐ > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]☒ > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]☐ > 1.3 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]☐ ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

5'

This Information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L R

☒ ☒

(Per Bank)

Wide >1cm

☐ ☐

Moderate 5-10m

☐ ☐

Narrow <5m

☐ ☐

None

☐ ☐

COMMENTS

L R

☐ ☐

(Most Predominant per Bank)

Mature Forest, Wetland

☒ ☒

Immature Forest, Shrub or Old

Field

☐ ☐

Residential, Park, New Field

☐ ☐

Fenced Pasture

L R

☐ ☐

Conservation Tillage

☐ ☐

Urban or Industrial

☐ ☐

Open Pasture, Row

☐ ☐

Crop

☐ ☐

Mining or Construction

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

☒ Stream Flowing☐ Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)

COMMENTS

Seasonal + flow

☐ Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)☐ Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

☐ None☐ 0.5☒ 1.0☐ 1.5☐ 2.0☐ 2.5☐ 3.0☐ >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)☒ Flat to Moderate☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)☐ Moderate to Severe☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____Photograph Information: US N DS S

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): _____ Canopy (% open): _____

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

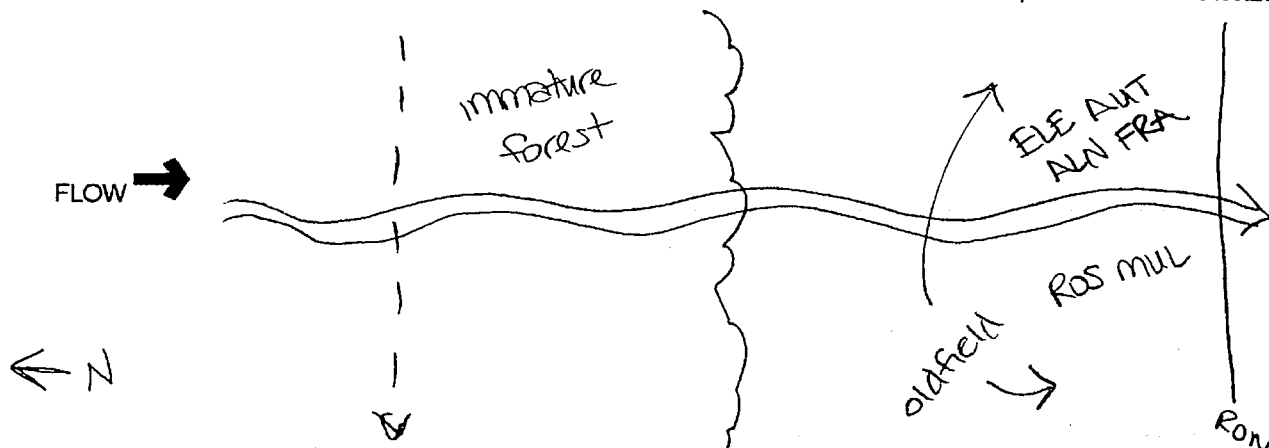
Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____Comments Regarding Biology: Caddis, Salamanders**DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):**

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV 17



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

HH-HAB-52014-13

HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

13

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP BRHD

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE

5/20/14

SCORER

HAB

COMMENTS

Ephemeral

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☒ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL

☐ RECOVERED

☐ RECOVERING

☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE

☐

BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

PERCENT

TYPE

☒

SILT [3 pt]

PERCENT

100

☐

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

☒

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

40

☐

BEDROCK [16 pt]

☐

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

☐

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

☐

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

☐

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

☐

MUCK [0 pts]

☐

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

☐

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

(A)

6

(B)

2

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI Metric Points

Substrate Max = 40

8

A + B

Pool Depth Max = 30

0

Bankfull Width Max=30

5

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):
- ☐ > 30 centimeters [20 pts]
- ☐ > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]
- ☐ > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]
- ☐ > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
- ☐ < 5 cm [5 pts]
- ☒ NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

0

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):
- ☐ > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]
- ☐ > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]
- ☐ > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]
- ☐ > 1.3 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]
- ☒ ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

1

This Information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L R

☒ ☒

(Per Bank)

Wide >10m

☐

Moderate 5-10m

☐

Narrow <5m

☐

None

COMMENTS

L R

☐

(Most Predominant per Bank)

Mature Forest, Wetland

☒

Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field

☐

Residential, Park, New Field

☐

Fenced Pasture

L R

☐

Conservation Tillage

☐

Urban or Industrial

☐

Open Pasture, Row Crop

☐

Mining or Construction

FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

Stream Flowing

☐

Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)

☐

Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)

☒

Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

None

☒

1.0

☐

2.0

☐

3.0

☐

0.5

☐

1.5

☐

2.5

☐

>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)

☐ Flat to Moderate

☒ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)

☐ Moderate to Severe

☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: US NE DS SW

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): NA Canopy (% open): 20

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

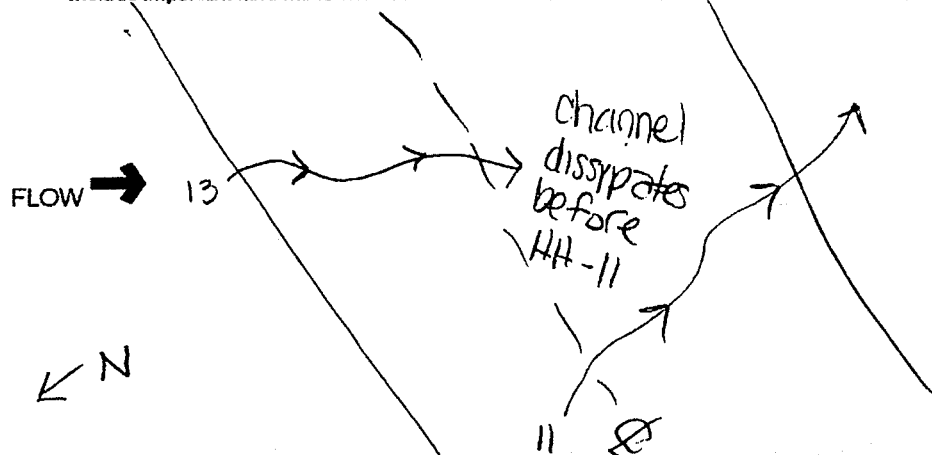
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location





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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3) :

44

SITE NAME/LOCATION

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER S/20/14

COMMENTS Intermittent

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☒ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL

☐ RECOVERED

☐ RECOVERING

☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE

☐

BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

PERCENT

TYPE

☐

SILT [3 pt]

PERCENT

30

☐

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

☐

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

15

☐

BEDROCK [16 pt]

☐

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

☒

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

☐

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

☐

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

☐

MUCK [0 pts]

☐

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

☐

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

40

(A)

15

(B)

4

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI Metric Points

Substrate Max = 40

19

A + B

Pool Depth Max = 30

5

Bankfull Width Max=30

20

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

> 30 centimeters [20 pts]

☐

> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]

☐

> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]

☒

< 5 cm [5 pts]

☐

> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]

☐

NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

1"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]

☐

> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]

☐

> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]

☐

≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]

☒

> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

5'

This Information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L R

(Per Bank)

☒

Wide >1cm

L R

(Most Predominant per Bank)

☐

Mature Forest, Wetland

L R

Conservation Tillage

☐

Moderate 5-10m

☒

Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field

☐

Urban or Industrial

☐

Narrow <5m

☐

Residential, Park, New Field

☐

Open Pasture, Row Crop

☐

None

☐

Fenced Pasture

☐

Mining or Construction

COMMENTS

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

☒

Stream Flowing

☐

Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)

☐

Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Intermittent)

☐

Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

None

☐

1.0

☐

2.0

☐

3.0

☐

0.5

☒

1.5

☐

2.5

☐

>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5/100 ft)

☐ Flat to Moderate

☒ Moderate (2.5/100 ft)

☐ Moderate to Severe

☐ Severe (10.0/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information must also be completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: DS/DS

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 20

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

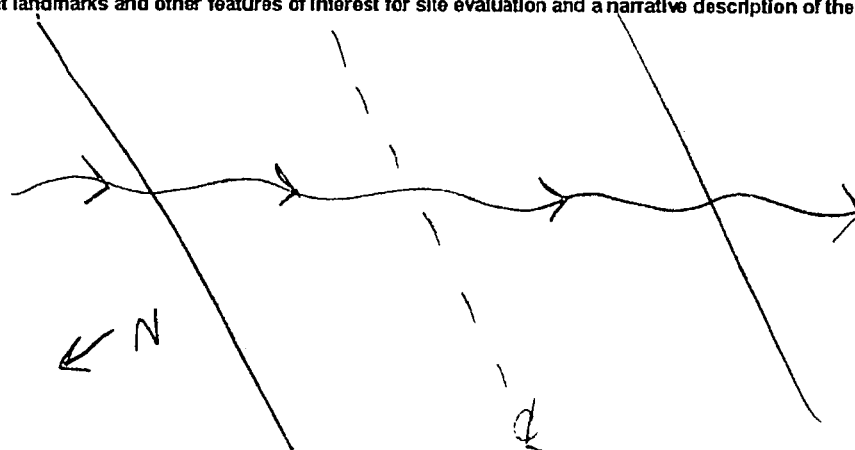
Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location

FLOW →





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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3) :

50

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP BRHD

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE 5/20/14

SCORER HAB

COMMENTS

Ephemeral

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☒ NONE/NATURAL CHANNEL

☐ RECOVERED

☐ RECOVERING

☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE

☐

BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

PERCENT

☐

BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]

☐

BEDROCK [16 pt]

☐

COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]

15

☐

GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]

15

☐

SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]

TYPE

☐

SILT [3 pt]

PERCENT

10

☒

LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]

70

☐

FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]

☐

CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]

☐

MUCK [0 pts]

☐

ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]

Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

15

(A)

6

(B)

4

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI Metric Points

Substrate Max = 40

10

A + B

Pool Depth Max = 30

25

Bankfull Width Max=30

15

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

> 30 centimeters [20 pts]

☐

> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]

☐

> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]

☐

< 5 cm [5 pts]

☒

> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]

☐

NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

4

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]

☒

> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3'3" - 4'8") [15 pts]

☐

> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9'7" - 13') [25 pts]

☐

≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3'3") [5 pts]

☐

> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4'8" - 9'7") [20 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

3.5

This Information must also be completed

RIPIARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

☆NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream☆

RIPIARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L

R

(Per Bank)

☒

☒

Wide >10m

L

R

(Most Predominant per Bank)

☐

☐

Mature Forest, Wetland

L

R

Conservation Tillage

☐

☐

Moderate 5-10m

☒

☒

Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field

☐

☐

Urban or Industrial

☐

☐

Narrow <5m

☐

☐

Residential, Park, New Field

☐

☐

Open Pasture, Row Crop

☐

☐

None

☐

☐

Fenced Pasture

☐

☐

Mining or Construction

COMMENTS

FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

Stream Flowing

☒

Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)

☐

Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)

☐

Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

☐

None

☐

1.0

☒

2.0

☐

3.0

☐

0.5

☐

1.5

☐

2.5

☐

>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0 ft/100 ft)

☐ Flat to Moderate

☒ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)

☐ Moderate to Severe

☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: US/DS

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 20

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

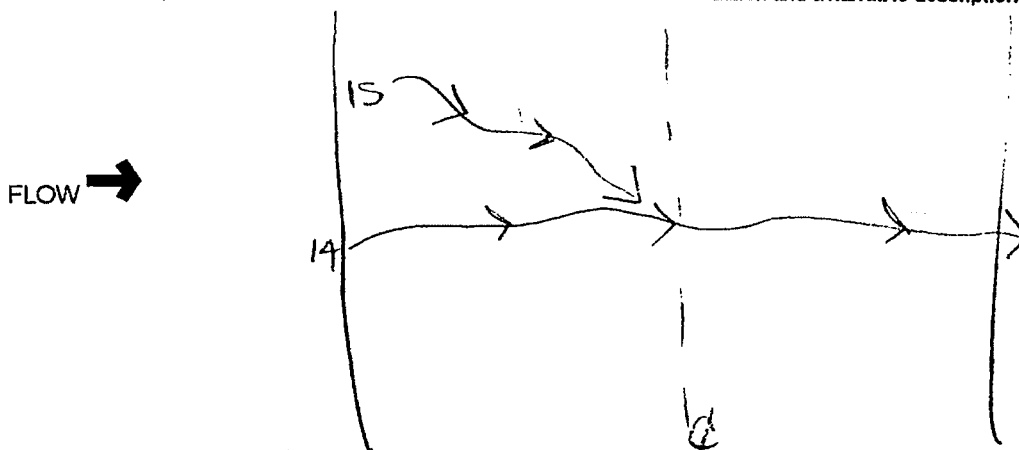
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV 20



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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3) :

31

SITE NAME/LOCATION

REP-BAD DNR SITE NUMBER RIVER BASIN DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) LAT. LONG. RIVER CODE RIVER MILE

DATE 5/19/14 SCORER HAB COMMENTS EPH

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL ☒ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL ☐ RECOVERED ☐ RECOVERING ☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	40
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	5	<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	10
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]		<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	30	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	10	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	5	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

(A)

15

(B)

6

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
Points

Substrate
Max = 40

21

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

5

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

5

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

1/2"

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3'3" - 4'8") [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9'7" - 13') [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3'3") [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4'8" - 9'7") [20 pts]	

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

1.5'

This Information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY *NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream*

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Per Bank)	L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)	L	R	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	None	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

COMMENTS

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):
- ☒ Stream Flowing ☐ Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
- ☐ Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial) ☐ Dry channel no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS recent seasonal rains

- SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.5	<input type="checkbox"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft) ☐ Flat to Moderate ☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft) ☐ Moderate to Severe ☒ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☐ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): _____ Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: _____

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): _____ Canopy (% open): _____

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

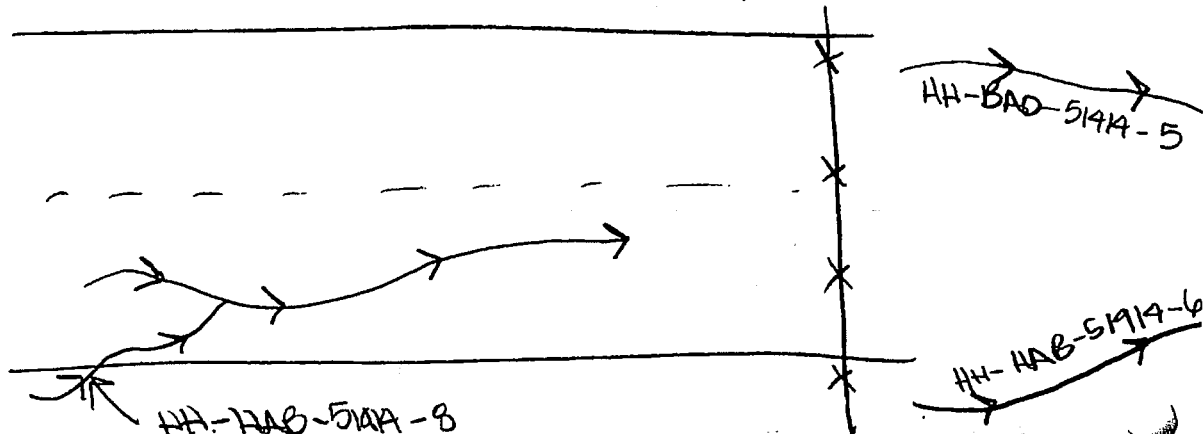
Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location

FLOW →



Stream PV 21



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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

14

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AEP BHD DNR

SITE NUMBER

RIVER BASIN

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft)

LAT.

LONG.

RIVER CODE

RIVER MILE

DATE

5/19/14

SCORER

HAB

COMMENTS

EPH Trib. of HH-HAB-5914-7

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL



NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL



RECOVERED



RECOVERING



RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE



BLDR SLABS [16 pts]

PERCENT

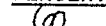


TYPE



SILT [3 pt]

PERCENT



BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]



LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]



BEDROCK [16 pt]



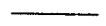
FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]



COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]



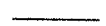
CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]



GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]



MUCK [0 pts]



SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]



ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]



Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

(A)

6

(B)

3

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):



> 30 centimeters [20 pts]



> 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]



> 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]



< 5 cm [5 pts]



> 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]



NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):



> 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]



> 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]



> 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]



≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]



> 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

HHEI Metric Points

Substrate Max = 40

9

A + B

Pool Depth Max = 30

0

Bankfull Width Max=30

5

This information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY



(Per Bank)



(Most Predominant per Bank)



L R



Wide >10m



Mature Forest, Wetland



Conservation Tillage



Moderate 5-10m



Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field



Urban or Industrial



Narrow <5m



Residential, Park, New Field



Open Pasture, Row Crop



None



Fenced Pasture



Mining or Construction

COMMENTS



FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):



Stream Flowing



Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)



Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Intersitial)



Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS



SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):



None



1.0



2.0



0.5



1.5



2.5



3.0



>3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE



Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)



Flat to Moderate



Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)



Moderate to Severe



Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

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ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This Information Must Also be Completed):

QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)

DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____
☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): _____ Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____

Photograph Information: _____

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): _____ Canopy (% open): _____

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATION

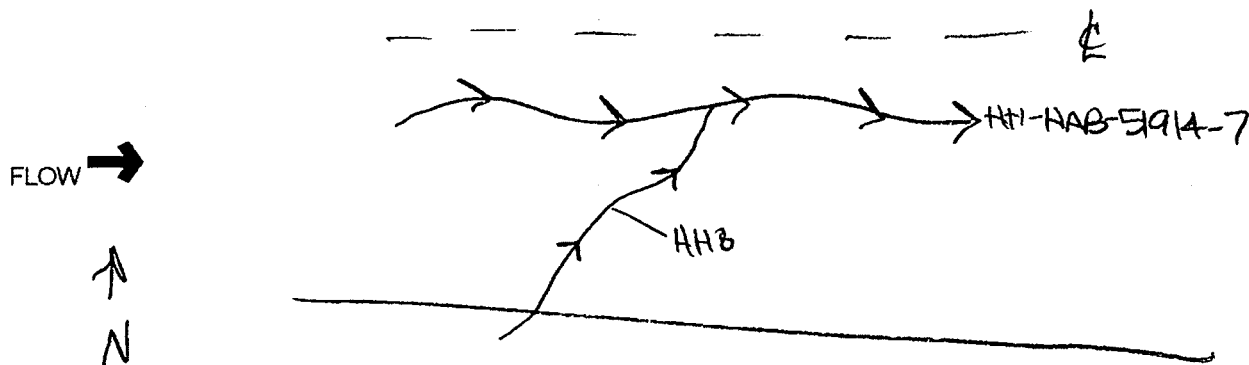
Performed? (Y/N): _____ (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____
Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location



Stream PV 22



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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

19

SITE NAME/LOCATION

AFR-BAD-DNR SITE NUMBER RIVER BASIN DRAINAGE AREA (mi²)

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) LAT. LONG. RIVER CODE RIVER MILE

DATE 5/19/14 SCORER HAB COMMENTS EPH trib of HH-BAD-51914-05

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PHWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL ☒ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL ☐ RECOVERED ☐ RECOVERING ☒ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS: Downstream end @ confluence filled in for xing

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pts]	75
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	15
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	10	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	

Total of Percentages of
Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock

(A)

6

(B)

3

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

HHEI
Metric
Points

Substrate
Max = 40

9

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

5

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

5

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters):

1 1/2

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.3 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]	

COMMENTS

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters)

1.5

This Information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY ☒ NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Per Bank)	L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)	L	R	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	None	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

COMMENTS

FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stream Flowing	<input type="checkbox"/> Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS

Recent rain

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.5	<input type="checkbox"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☐ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft) ☐ Flat to Moderate ☒ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft) ☐ Moderate to Severe ☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information Must Also be Completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: _____ Quantity: _____Photograph Information: US DSElevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 5

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): _____ (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: _____

BIOTIC EVALUATIONPerformed? (Y/N): N (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location

FLOW →



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HHEI Score (sum of metrics 1, 2, 3):

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SITE NAME/LOCATION AEP-BHD

SITE NUMBER _____

RIVER BASIN _____

DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) _____

LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) _____

LAT. _____

LONG. _____

RIVER CODE _____

RIVER MILE _____

DATE 5-14-14 SCORER BA0, MRK COMMENTS INT

NOTE: Complete All Items On This Form - Refer to "Field Evaluation Manual for Ohio's PWH Streams" for Instructions

STREAM CHANNEL

☐ NONE / NATURAL CHANNEL☒ RECOVERED☐ RECOVERING☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY

MODIFICATIONS:

Small riparian area, formally cleared

1. SUBSTRATE (Estimate percent of every type of substrate present. Check ONLY two predominant substrate TYPE boxes (Max of 40). Add total number of significant substrate types found (Max of 8). Final metric score is sum of boxes A & B.

TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]	_____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	<u>10.5</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	<u>5</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	<u>5</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	_____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	<u>20</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	<u>5</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	_____

Total of Percentages of
Blldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock _____

(A)

(B)

SCORE OF TWO MOST PREDOMINATE SUBSTRATE TYPES:

TOTAL NUMBER OF SUBSTRATE TYPES:

2. Maximum Pool Depth (Measure the maximum pool depth within the 61 meter (200 ft) evaluation reach at the time of evaluation. Avoid plunge pools from road culverts or storm water pipes) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 30 centimeters [20 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 5 cm - 10 cm [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 22.5 - 30 cm [30 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> < 5 cm [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 - 22.5 cm [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> NO WATER OR MOIST CHANNEL [0 pts]

COMMENTS _____

MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (inches)

3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):

<input type="checkbox"/> > 4.0 meters (> 13') [30 pts]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> > 1.0 m - 1.5 m (> 3' 3" - 4' 8") [15 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 3.0 m - 4.0 m (> 9' 7" - 13') [25 pts]	<input type="checkbox"/> ≤ 1.0 m (≤ 3' 3") [5 pts]
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1.5 m - 3.0 m (> 4' 8" - 9' 7") [20 pts]	

COMMENTS _____

AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (feet)HHEI
Metric
PointsSubstrate
Max = 40

12

A + B

Pool Depth
Max = 30

15

Bankfull
Width
Max=30

15

This Information must also be completed

RIPARIAN ZONE AND FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

NOTE: River Left (L) and Right (R) as looking downstream

RIPARIAN WIDTH

L	R	(Per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Wide >10m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Moderate 5-10m
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Narrow <5m
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	None

COMMENTS _____

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

L	R	(Most Predominant per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mature Forest, Wetland
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Immature Forest, Shrub or Old Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Residential, Park, New Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fenced Pasture

L	R	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Conservation Tillage
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urban or Industrial
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Open Pasture, Row Crop
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mining or Construction

- FLOW REGIME (At Time of Evaluation) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Stream Flowing	<input type="checkbox"/> Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
<input type="checkbox"/> Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)

COMMENTS _____

- SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.0	<input type="checkbox"/> 3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 1.5	<input type="checkbox"/> 2.5	<input type="checkbox"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

☒ Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft) ☐ Flat to Moderate ☐ Moderate (2 ft/100 ft) ☐ Moderate to Severe ☐ Severe (10 ft/100 ft)

ADDITIONAL STREAM INFORMATION (This information must also be completed):QHEI PERFORMED? - ☐ Yes ☒ No QHEI Score _____ (If Yes, Attach Completed QHEI Form)**DOWNSTREAM DESIGNATED USE(S)**

☐ WWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ CWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

☐ EWH Name: _____ Distance from Evaluated Stream _____

MAPPING: ATTACH COPIES OF MAPS, INCLUDING THE ENTIRE WATERSHED AREA. CLEARLY MARK THE SITE LOCATION

USGS Quadrangle Name: _____ NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____

County: _____ Township / City: _____

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 5-13-14 Quantity: _____Photograph Information: upstr., downstr.Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): _____Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id, and attach results) Lab Number: _____

Field Measures: Temp (°C) _____ Dissolved Oxygen (mg/l) _____ pH (S.U.) _____ Conductivity (µmhos/cm) _____

Is the sampling reach representative of the stream (Y/N) _____ If not, please explain: _____

Additional comments/description of pollution impacts: Agriculture on each side

of riparian zone.

BIOTIC EVALUATIONPerformed? (Y/N): Y (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) _____ Voucher? (Y/N) _____

Comments Regarding Biology: _____

DRAWING AND NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF STREAM REACH (This must be completed):

Include important landmarks and other features of interest for site evaluation and a narrative description of the stream's location

FLOW →

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N

Forested

As field

APPENDIX 07-3

WETLAND DELINEATION FORMS

WETLAND PV1

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Metric 1. Wetland Area (size).

max 6 pts

subtotal

- Select one size class and assign score.**
- ☐ >50 acres (>20.2ha) (6 pts)
 - ☐ 25 to <50 acres (10.1 to <20.2ha) (5 pts)
 - ☐ 10 to <25 acres (4 to <10.1ha) (4 pts)
 - ☐ 3 to <10 acres (1.2 to <4ha) (3 pts)
 - ☐ 0.3 to <3 acres (0.12 to <1.2ha) (2pts)
 - ☒ 0.1 to <0.3 acres (0.04 to <0.12ha) (1 pt)
 - ☐ <0.1 acres (0.04ha) (0 pts)

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Metric 2. Upland buffers and surrounding land use.

max 14 pts.

subtotal

2a. Calculate average buffer width. Select only one and assign score. Do not double check.

- ☒ WIDE. Buffers average 50m (164ft) or more around wetland perimeter (7)
- ☐ MEDIUM. Buffers average 25m to <50m (82 to <164ft) around wetland perimeter (4)
- ☐ NARROW. Buffers average 10m to <25m (32ft to <82ft) around wetland perimeter (1)
- ☐ VERY NARROW. Buffers average <10m (<32ft) around wetland perimeter (0)

2b. Intensity of surrounding land use. Select one or double check and average.

- ☒ VERY LOW. 2nd growth or older forest, prairie, savannah, wildlife area, etc. (7)
- ☐ LOW. Old field (>10 years), shrubland, young second growth forest. (5)
- ☐ MODERATELY HIGH. Residential, fenced pasture, park, conservation tillage, new fallow field. (3)
- ☐ HIGH. Urban, industrial, open pasture, row cropping, mining, construction. (1)

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Metric 3. Hydrology.

max 30 pts.

subtotal

3a. Sources of Water. Score all that apply.

- ☐ High pH groundwater (5)
- ☒ Other groundwater (3)
- ☒ Precipitation (1)
- ☒ Seasonal/Intermittent surface water (3)
- ☐ Perennial surface water (lake or stream) (5)

3c. Maximum water depth. Select one.

- ☐ >0.7 (27.6in) (3)
- ☐ 0.4 to 0.7m (15.7 to 27.6in) (2)
- ☒ <0.4m (<15.7in) (1)

3e. Modifications to natural hydrologic regime. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (12)
- ☐ Recovered (7)
- ☐ Recovering (3)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

3b. Connectivity. Score all that apply.

- ☐ 100 year floodplain (1)
- ☐ Between stream/lake and other human use (1)
- ☒ Part of wetland/upland (e.g. forest), complex (1)
- ☐ Part of riparian or upland corridor (1)

3d. Duration inundation/saturation. Score one or dbl check.

- ☐ Semi- to permanently inundated/saturated (4)
- ☐ Regularly inundated/saturated (3)
- ☐ Seasonally inundated (2)
- ☒ Seasonally saturated in upper 30cm (12in) (1)

Check all disturbances observed

- | | |
|--|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> ditch <input type="checkbox"/> tile <input type="checkbox"/> dike <input type="checkbox"/> weir <input type="checkbox"/> stormwater input | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> point source (nonstormwater) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> filling/grading <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> road bed/RR track <input type="checkbox"/> dredging <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
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Metric 4. Habitat Alteration and Development.

max 20 pts.

subtotal

4a. Substrate disturbance. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (4)
- ☐ Recovered (3)
- ☐ Recovering (2)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

4b. Habitat development. Select only one and assign score.

- ☐ Excellent (7)
- ☐ Very good (6)
- ☐ Good (5)
- ☐ Moderately good (4)
- ☒ Fair (3)
- ☐ Poor to fair (2)
- ☐ Poor (1)

4c. Habitat alteration. Score one or double check and average.

- ☐ None or none apparent (9)
- ☐ Recovered (6)
- ☒ Recovering (3)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

Check all disturbances observed

- | | |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mowing <input type="checkbox"/> grazing <input type="checkbox"/> clearcutting <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> selective cutting <input type="checkbox"/> woody debris removal <input type="checkbox"/> toxic pollutants | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> shrub/sapling removal <input type="checkbox"/> herbaceous/aquatic bed removal <input type="checkbox"/> sedimentation <input type="checkbox"/> dredging <input type="checkbox"/> farming <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> nutrient enrichment |
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WETLAND PV1

0

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subtotal this page

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max 10 pts.

subtotal

Metric 5. Special Wetlands.

Check all that apply and score as indicated.

- ☐ Bog (10)
- ☐ Fen (10)
- ☐ Old growth forest (10)
- ☐ Mature forested wetland (5)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-unrestricted hydrology (10)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-restricted hydrology (5)
- ☐ Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) (10)
- ☐ Relict Wet Prairies (10)
- ☐ Known occurrence state/federal threatened or endangered species (10)
- ☐ Significant migratory songbird/water fowl habitat or usage (10)
- ☐ Category 1 Wetland. See Question 5 Qualitative Rating (-10)

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max 20pts.

subtotal

Metric 6. Plant communities, interspersions, microtopography.

6a. Wetland Vegetation Communities.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ Aquatic bed
- ☒ 2 Emergent
- ☐ Shrub
- ☐ Forest
- ☐ Mudflats
- ☐ Open water
- ☐ Other _____

6b. horizontal (plan view) Interspersions.

Select only one.

- ☐ High (5)
- ☐ Moderately high(4)
- ☐ Moderate (3)
- ☐ Moderately low (2)
- ☒ x Low (1)
- ☐ None (0)

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer

Table 1 ORAM long form for list. Add or deduct points for coverage

- ☐ Extensive >75% cover (-5)
- ☐ Moderate 25-75% cover (-3)
- ☐ Sparse 5-25% cover (-1)
- ☐ Nearly absent <5% cover (0)
- ☒ x Absent (1)

6d. Microtopography.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ Vegetated hummocks/tussucks
- ☐ Coarse woody debris >15cm (6in)
- ☐ Standing dead >25cm (10in) dbh
- ☐ Amphibian breeding pools

Vegetation Community Cover Scale

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Absent or comprises <0.1ha (0.2471 acres) contiguous area |
| 1 | Present and either comprises small part of wetland's 1 vegetation and is of moderate quality, or comprises a significant part but is of low quality |
| 2 | Present and either comprises significant part of wetland's 2 vegetation and is of moderate quality or comprises a small part and is of high quality |
| 3 | Present and comprises significant part, or more, of wetland's 3 vegetation and is of high quality |

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or low disturbance tolerant native species |
| 1 | Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, mod although nonnative and/or disturbance tolerant native spp can also be present, and species diversity moderate to moderately high, but generally w/o presence of rare threatened or endangered spp to |
| 2 | A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp high and/or disturbance tolerant native spp absent or virtually absent, and high spp diversity and often, but not always, the presence of rare, threatened, or endangered spp |
| 3 | |

Mudflat and Open Water Class Quality

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Absent <0.1ha (0.247 acres) |
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Microtopography Cover Scale

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 GRAND TOTAL(max 100 pts)

CATEGORY 2

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM -- Midwest Region

WETLAND PV1

Project/Site: PVWMA Options BR-H-D 138 kV Transmission Line City/County: Ross County Sampling Date: 5/20/2014
 Applicant/Owner: AEP Ohio Transco State: OH Sampling Point: 1
 Investigator(s): Heather A. Bobich Section, Township, Range: _____
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): Shallow Swale Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave
 Slope (%): _____ Lat: _____ Long: _____ Datum: _____
 Soil Map Unit Name: _____ NWI classification: n/a

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes X No _____ (If no, explain in Remarks.)
 Are Vegetation N, Soil N, or Hydrology N significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes X No _____
 Are Vegetation N, Soil N, or Hydrology N naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS -- Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____
Hydric Soil Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
Remarks: PEM in oldfield area					

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet: Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>4</u> (A) Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>5</u> (B) Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>80%</u> (A/B)																
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Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>5'</u> radius)																				
1. <u>Cyperus erythrorhizos</u>	<u>50</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>OBL</u>	Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators: <u>1</u> -Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <u>X</u> 2-Dominance Test is >50% <u>X</u> 3-Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 ¹ <u>4</u> -Morphological Adaptations ¹ (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) <u>Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation</u> ¹ (Explain) ¹ Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.																
2. <u>Agrimonia parviflora</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACW</u>																	
3. <u>Penstemon digitalis</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>OBL</u>																	
4. <u>Schizachyrium scoparium</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACU</u>																	
5. <u>Solidago canadensis</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>FACU</u>																	
6. <u>Toxicodendron radicans</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FAC</u>																	
7. <u>Rubus allegheniensis var. allegheniensis</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>OBL</u>																	
8. <u>Elymus virginicus</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Yes</u>	<u>FACW</u>																	
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Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> radius)																				
1. _____	_____	_____	_____	Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <u>X</u> No _____																
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
= Total Cover																				

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type ¹	Loc ²		
0-16"	10YR 4/2	97	7.5YR 5/8	3	C	M	Silty Clay	

¹Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains. ²Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

Hydric Soil Indicators:		Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils ³ :	
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Coast Prairie Redox (A16)	³ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Iron-Manganese Masses (F12)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dark Surface (S7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)		
<input type="checkbox"/> 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)			

Restrictive Layer (if observed):
 Type: _____
 Depth (inches): _____

Hydric Soil Present? Yes ☒ No ☐

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:			
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required: check all that apply)		Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Fauna (B13)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> True Aquatic Plants (B14)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Geomorphic Position (D2)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Iron Deposits (B5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Gauge or Well Data (D9)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)		

Field Observations:			
Surface Water Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches):	_____
Water Table Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches):	9"
Saturation Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches):	4"
(includes capillary fringe)			
		Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:			
Remarks:			

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0 0

max 6 pts

subtotal

Metric 1. Wetland Area (size).**Select one size class and assign score.**

- ☐ >50 acres (>20.2ha) (6 pts)
☐ 25 to <50 acres (10.1 to <20.2ha) (5 pts)
☐ 10 to <25 acres (4 to <10.1ha) (4 pts)
☐ 3 to <10 acres (1.2 to <4ha) (3 pts)
☐ 0.3 to <3 acres (0.12 to <1.2ha) (2pts)
☐ 0.1 to <0.3 acres (0.04 to <0.12ha) (1 pt)
☒ <0.1 acres (0.04ha) (0 pts)

14 14

max 14 pts.

subtotal

Metric 2. Upland buffers and surrounding land use.**2a. Calculate average buffer width. Select only one and assign score. Do not double check.**

- ☒ WIDE. Buffers average 50m (164ft) or more around wetland perimeter (7)
☐ MEDIUM. Buffers average 25m to <50m (82 to <164ft) around wetland perimeter (4)
☐ NARROW. Buffers average 10m to <25m (32ft to <82ft) around wetland perimeter (1)
☐ VERY NARROW. Buffers average <10m (<32ft) around wetland perimeter (0)

2b. Intensity of surrounding land use. Select one or double check and average.

- ☒ VERY LOW. 2nd growth or older forest, prairie, savannah, wildlife area, etc. (7)
☐ LOW. Old field (>10 years), shrubland, young second growth forest. (5)
☐ MODERATELY HIGH. Residential, fenced pasture, park, conservation tillage, new fallow field. (3)
☐ HIGH. Urban, industrial, open pasture, row cropping, mining, construction. (1)

19.0 33

max 30 pts.

subtotal

Metric 3. Hydrology.**3a. Sources of Water. Score all that apply.**

- ☐ High pH groundwater (5)
☐ Other groundwater (3)
☒ Precipitation (1)
☒ Seasonal/Intermittent surface water (3)
☐ Perennial surface water (lake or stream) (5)

3c. Maximum water depth. Select one.

- ☐ >0.7 (27.6in) (3)
☐ 0.4 to 0.7m (15.7 to 27.6in) (2)
☒ <0.4m (<15.7in) (1)

3e. Modifications to natural hydrologic regime. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (12)
☐ Recovered (7)
☐ Recovering (3)
☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

3b. Connectivity. Score all that apply.

- ☐ 100 year floodplain (1)
☐ Between stream/lake and other human use (1)
☒ Part of wetland/upland (e.g. forest), complex (1)
☐ Part of riparian or upland corridor (1)

3d. Duration inundation/saturation. Score one or dbl check.

- ☐ Semi- to permanently inundated/saturated (4)
☐ Regularly inundated/saturated (3)
☐ Seasonally inundated (2)
☒ Seasonally saturated in upper 30cm (12in) (1)

Check all disturbances observed

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> ditch | <input type="checkbox"/> point source (nonstormwater) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> tile | <input type="checkbox"/> filling/grading |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dike | <input type="checkbox"/> road bed/RR track |
| <input type="checkbox"/> weir | <input type="checkbox"/> dredging |
| <input type="checkbox"/> stormwater input | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |

10 43

max 20 pts.

subtotal

Metric 4. Habitat Alteration and Development.**4a. Substrate disturbance. Score one or double check and average.**

- ☒ None or none apparent (4)
☐ Recovered (3)
☐ Recovering (2)
☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

4b. Habitat development. Select only one and assign score.

- ☐ Excellent (7)
☐ Very good (6)
☐ Good (5)
☐ Moderately good (4)
☒ Fair (3)
☐ Poor to fair (2)
☐ Poor (1)

4c. Habitat alteration. Score one or double check and average.

- ☐ None or none apparent (9)
☐ Recovered (6)
☒ Recovering (3)
☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

Check all disturbances observed

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mowing | <input type="checkbox"/> shrub/sapling removal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> grazing | <input type="checkbox"/> herbaceous/aquatic bed removal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> clearcutting | <input type="checkbox"/> sedimentation |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> selective cutting | <input type="checkbox"/> dredging |
| <input type="checkbox"/> woody debris removal | <input type="checkbox"/> farming |
| <input type="checkbox"/> toxic pollutants | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> nutrient enrichment |

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0

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0	43
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max 10 pts.

subtotal

Metric 5. Special Wetlands.

Check all that apply and score as indicated.

- ☐ Bog (10)
- ☐ Fen (10)
- ☐ Old growth forest (10)
- ☐ Mature forested wetland (5)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-unrestricted hydrology (10)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-restricted hydrology (5)
- ☐ Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) (10)
- ☐ Relict Wet Prairies (10)
- ☐ Known occurrence state/federal threatened or endangered species (10)
- ☐ Significant migratory songbird/water fowl habitat or usage (10)
- ☐ Category 1 Wetland. See Question 5 Qualitative Rating (-10)

4	47
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max 20pts.

subtotal

Metric 6. Plant communities, interspersions, microtopography.

6a. Wetland Vegetation Communities.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ Aquatic bed
- ☒ 2 Emergent
- ☐ Shrub
- ☐ Forest
- ☐ Mudflats
- ☐ Open water
- ☐ Other _____

6b. horizontal (plan view) Interspersions.

Select only one.

- ☐ High (5)
- ☐ Moderately high(4)
- ☐ Moderate (3)
- ☐ Moderately low (2)
- ☒ x Low (1)
- ☐ None (0)

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer

Table 1 ORAM long form for list. Add or deduct points for coverage

- ☐ Extensive >75% cover (-5)
- ☐ Moderate 25-75% cover (-3)
- ☐ Sparse 5-25% cover (-1)
- ☐ Nearly absent <5% cover (0)
- ☒ x Absent (1)

6d. Microtopography.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ Vegetated hummocks/tussocks
- ☐ Coarse woody debris >15cm (6in)
- ☐ Standing dead >25cm (10in) dbh
- ☐ Amphibian breeding pools

Vegetation Community Cover Scale

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Absent or comprises <0.1ha (0.2471 acres) contiguous area |
| 1 | Present and either comprises small part of wetland's 1 vegetation and is of moderate quality, or comprises a significant part but is of low quality |
| 2 | Present and either comprises significant part of wetland's 2 vegetation and is of moderate quality or comprises a small part and is of high quality |
| 3 | Present and comprises significant part, or more, of wetland's 3 vegetation and is of high quality |

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

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|---|---|
| 0 | Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or low disturbance tolerant native species |
| 1 | Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, mod although nonnative and/or disturbance tolerant native spp can also be present, and species diversity moderate to moderately high, but generally w/o presence of rare threatened or endangered spp to |
| 2 | A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp high and/or disturbance tolerant native spp absent or virtually absent, and high spp diversity and often, but not always, the presence of rare, threatened, or endangered spp |

Mudflat and Open Water Class Quality

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GRAND TOTAL(max 100 pts)

CATEGORY 2

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM -- Midwest Region

WETLAND PV2

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Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes X No _____ (If no, explain in Remarks.)
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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS -- Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____
Hydric Soil Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
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5. <u>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</u>	20	No	FACW																													
6. <u>Calamagrostis canadensis</u>	20	No	OBL																													
7. <u>Apocynum cannabinum</u>	10	No	OBL																													
8. <u>Asclepias incarnata</u>	5	No	OBL																													
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20. _____	_____	_____	_____																													
215 = Total Cover																																
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> radius)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <u>X</u> No _____																												
1. _____	_____	_____	_____																													
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																													
= Total Cover																																

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

SOIL

Sampling Point: 1

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type ¹	Loc ²		
0-16"	10YR 4/2	95	7.5YR 5/8	5	C	M	Silty Clay	

¹Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains. ²Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

Hydric Soil Indicators:		Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils ³ :	
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Coast Prairie Redox (A16)	³ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Iron-Manganese Masses (F12)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dark Surface (S7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)		
<input type="checkbox"/> 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)			

Restrictive Layer (if observed):
 Type: _____
 Depth (inches): _____

Hydric Soil Present? Yes ☒ No ☐

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:			
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required: check all that apply)		Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Fauna (B13)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> True Aquatic Plants (B14)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Geomorphic Position (D2)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Iron Deposits (B5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Gauge or Well Data (D9)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)		

Field Observations:			
Surface Water Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): _____	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Water Table Present?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): _____	
Saturation Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): 8"	
(includes capillary fringe)			
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:			
Remarks:			

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Metric 1. Wetland Area (size).

max 6 pts

subtotal

- Select one size class and assign score.**
- ☐ >50 acres (>20.2ha) (6 pts)
 - ☐ 25 to <50 acres (10.1 to <20.2ha) (5 pts)
 - ☐ 10 to <25 acres (4 to <10.1ha) (4 pts)
 - ☐ 3 to <10 acres (1.2 to <4ha) (3 pts)
 - ☐ 0.3 to <3 acres (0.12 to <1.2ha) (2pts)
 - ☐ 0.1 to <0.3 acres (0.04 to <0.12ha) (1 pt)
 - ☒ <0.1 acres (0.04ha) (0 pts)

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Metric 2. Upland buffers and surrounding land use.

max 14 pts.

subtotal

2a. Calculate average buffer width. Select only one and assign score. Do not double check.

- ☒ WIDE. Buffers average 50m (164ft) or more around wetland perimeter (7)
- ☐ MEDIUM. Buffers average 25m to <50m (82 to <164ft) around wetland perimeter (4)
- ☐ NARROW. Buffers average 10m to <25m (32ft to <82ft) around wetland perimeter (1)
- ☐ VERY NARROW. Buffers average <10m (<32ft) around wetland perimeter (0)

2b. Intensity of surrounding land use. Select one or double check and average.

- ☒ VERY LOW. 2nd growth or older forest, prairie, savannah, wildlife area, etc. (7)
- ☐ LOW. Old field (>10 years), shrubland, young second growth forest. (5)
- ☐ MODERATELY HIGH. Residential, fenced pasture, park, conservation tillage, new fallow field. (3)
- ☐ HIGH. Urban, industrial, open pasture, row cropping, mining, construction. (1)

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Metric 3. Hydrology.

max 30 pts.

subtotal

3a. Sources of Water. Score all that apply.

- ☐ High pH groundwater (5)
- ☐ Other groundwater (3)
- ☒ Precipitation (1)
- ☒ Seasonal/Intermittent surface water (3)
- ☐ Perennial surface water (lake or stream) (5)

3c. Maximum water depth. Select one.

- ☐ >0.7 (27.6in) (3)
- ☐ 0.4 to 0.7m (15.7 to 27.6in) (2)
- ☒ <0.4m (<15.7in) (1)

3e. Modifications to natural hydrologic regime. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (12)
- ☐ Recovered (7)
- ☐ Recovering (3)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

3b. Connectivity. Score all that apply.

- ☐ 100 year floodplain (1)
- ☐ Between stream/lake and other human use (1)
- ☒ Part of wetland/upland (e.g. forest), complex (1)
- ☐ Part of riparian or upland corridor (1)

3d. Duration inundation/saturation. Score one or dbl check.

- ☐ Semi- to permanently inundated/saturated (4)
- ☐ Regularly inundated/saturated (3)
- ☐ Seasonally inundated (2)
- ☒ Seasonally saturated in upper 30cm (12in) (1)

Check all disturbances observed

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|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> ditch <input type="checkbox"/> tile <input type="checkbox"/> dike <input type="checkbox"/> weir <input type="checkbox"/> stormwater input | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> point source (nonstormwater) <input type="checkbox"/> filling/grading <input type="checkbox"/> road bed/RR track <input type="checkbox"/> dredging <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
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Metric 4. Habitat Alteration and Development.

max 20 pts.

subtotal

4a. Substrate disturbance. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (4)
- ☐ Recovered (3)
- ☐ Recovering (2)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

4b. Habitat development. Select only one and assign score.

- ☐ Excellent (7)
- ☐ Very good (6)
- ☐ Good (5)
- ☐ Moderately good (4)
- ☒ Fair (3)
- ☐ Poor to fair (2)
- ☐ Poor (1)

4c. Habitat alteration. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (9)
- ☐ Recovered (6)
- ☐ Recovering (3)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

Check all disturbances observed

- | | |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mowing <input type="checkbox"/> grazing <input type="checkbox"/> clearcutting <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> selective cutting <input type="checkbox"/> woody debris removal <input type="checkbox"/> toxic pollutants | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> shrub/sapling removal <input type="checkbox"/> herbaceous/aquatic bed removal <input type="checkbox"/> sedimentation <input type="checkbox"/> dredging <input type="checkbox"/> farming <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> nutrient enrichment |
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max 10 pts.

subtotal

Metric 5. Special Wetlands.

Check all that apply and score as indicated.

- ☐ Bog (10)
- ☐ Fen (10)
- ☐ Old growth forest (10)
- ☐ Mature forested wetland (5)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-unrestricted hydrology (10)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-restricted hydrology (5)
- ☐ Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) (10)
- ☐ Relict Wet Prairies (10)
- ☐ Known occurrence state/federal threatened or endangered species (10)
- ☐ Significant migratory songbird/water fowl habitat or usage (10)
- ☐ Category 1 Wetland. See Question 5 Qualitative Rating (-10)

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max 20pts.

subtotal

6a. Wetland Vegetation Communities.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ Aquatic bed
- ☐ 1 Emergent
- ☐ 1 Shrub
- ☐ Forest
- ☐ Mudflats
- ☐ Open water
- ☐ Other _____

6b. horizontal (plan view) Interspersion.

Select only one.

- ☐ High (5)
- ☐ Moderately high(4)
- ☐ Moderate (3)
- ☒ Moderately low (2)
- ☐ Low (1)
- ☐ None (0)

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer

Table 1 ORAM long form for list. Add or deduct points for coverage

- ☐ Extensive >75% cover (-5)
- ☐ Moderate 25-75% cover (-3)
- ☒ Sparse 5-25% cover (-1)
- ☐ Nearly absent <5% cover (0)
- ☐ Absent (1)

6d. Microtopography.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ 1 Vegetated hummocks/tussucks
- ☐ 1 Coarse woody debris >15cm (6in)
- ☐ Standing dead >25cm (10in) dbh
- ☐ Amphibian breeding pools

Vegetation Community Cover Scale

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Absent or comprises <0.1ha (0.2471 acres) contiguous area |
| 1 | Present and either comprises small part of wetland's 1 vegetation and is of moderate quality, or comprises a significant part but is of low quality |
| 2 | Present and either comprises significant part of wetland's 2 vegetation and is of moderate quality or comprises a small part and is of high quality |
| 3 | Present and comprises significant part, or more, of wetland's 3 vegetation and is of high quality |

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or low disturbance tolerant native species |
| 1 | Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, mod although nonnative and/or disturbance tolerant native spp can also be present, and species diversity moderate to moderately high, but generally w/o presence of rare threatened or endangered spp to |
| 2 | A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp high and/or disturbance tolerant native spp absent or virtually absent, and high spp diversity and often, but not always, the presence of rare, threatened, or endangered spp |

Mudflat and Open Water Class Quality

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|---|---|
| 0 | Absent <0.1ha (0.247 acres) |
| 1 | Low 0.1 to <1ha (0.247 to 2.47 acres) |
| 2 | Moderate 1 to <4ha (2.47 to 9.88 acres) |
| 3 | High 4ha (9.88 acres) or more |

Microtopography Cover Scale

- | | |
|---|--|
| 0 | Absent |
| 1 | Present very small amounts or if more common of marginal quality |
| 2 | Present in moderate amounts, but not of highest quality or in small amounts of highest quality |
| 3 | Present in moderate or greater amounts and of highest quality |

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 GRAND TOTAL(max 100 pts)

CATEGORY 2

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM -- Midwest Region

WETLAND PV3

Project/Site: PVWMA Options BR-H-D 138 kV Transmission Line City/County: Ross County Sampling Date: 5/20/2014
 Applicant/Owner: AEP Ohio Transco State: OH Sampling Point: 1
 Investigator(s): Heather A. Bobich Section, Township, Range: _____
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): hillslope Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave
 Slope (%): _____ Lat: _____ Long: _____ Datum: _____
 Soil Map Unit Name: _____ NWI classification: n/a

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes X No _____ (If no, explain in Remarks.)
 Are Vegetation N, Soil N, or Hydrology N significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes X No _____
 Are Vegetation N, Soil N, or Hydrology N naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS -- Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____
Hydric Soil Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
Remarks: PEM in oldfield area					

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet: Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>4</u> (A) Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>5</u> (B) Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>80%</u> (A/B)																
1. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
= Total Cover																				
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>15'</u> radius)				Prevalence Index worksheet: Prevalence Index worksheet: <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Total % Cover of:</td> <td>Multiply by:</td> </tr> <tr> <td>OBL species <u>40</u></td> <td>x1 = <u>40</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACW species <u>50</u></td> <td>x2 = <u>100</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FAC species <u>35</u></td> <td>x3 = <u>105</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACU species <u>30</u></td> <td>x4 = <u>120</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>UPL species _____</td> <td>x5 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Column Totals: <u>155</u> (A)</td> <td><u>365</u> (B)</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>2.35</u></td> </tr> </table>	Total % Cover of:	Multiply by:	OBL species <u>40</u>	x1 = <u>40</u>	FACW species <u>50</u>	x2 = <u>100</u>	FAC species <u>35</u>	x3 = <u>105</u>	FACU species <u>30</u>	x4 = <u>120</u>	UPL species _____	x5 = _____	Column Totals: <u>155</u> (A)	<u>365</u> (B)	Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>2.35</u>	
Total % Cover of:	Multiply by:																			
OBL species <u>40</u>	x1 = <u>40</u>																			
FACW species <u>50</u>	x2 = <u>100</u>																			
FAC species <u>35</u>	x3 = <u>105</u>																			
FACU species <u>30</u>	x4 = <u>120</u>																			
UPL species _____	x5 = _____																			
Column Totals: <u>155</u> (A)	<u>365</u> (B)																			
Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>2.35</u>																				
1. <u>Ulmus americana</u>	<u>10</u>	Yes	FACW																	
2. <u>Fraxinus pennsylvanica</u>	<u>10</u>	Yes	FACW																	
3. <u>Rosa multiflora</u>	<u>10</u>	Yes	FACU																	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
30 = Total Cover																				
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>5'</u> radius)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators: _____ 1-Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <u>X</u> 2-Dominance Test is >50% <u>X</u> 3-Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 ¹ _____ 4-Morphological Adaptations ¹ (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) _____ Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation ¹ (Explain) ¹ Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.																
1. <u>Glyceria striata</u>	<u>40</u>	Yes	OBL																	
2. <u>Lysimachia nummularia</u>	<u>30</u>	Yes	FACW																	
3. <u>Toxicodendron radicans</u>	<u>20</u>	No	FAC																	
4. <u>Geum vernum</u>	<u>20</u>	No	FACU																	
5. <u>Carex sp.</u>	<u>15</u>	No	FAC																	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
8. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
9. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
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15. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
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18. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
19. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
20. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
125 = Total Cover																				
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> radius)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <u>X</u> No _____																
1. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
= Total Cover																				

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

SOIL

Sampling Point: 1

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type ¹	Loc ²		
0-5"	10YR 3/2	100					Silt Loam	
5-16"	10YR 5/3	80	10YR 5/8	20	C	M	Silty Clay	

¹Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains. ²Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

Hydric Soil Indicators:		Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils ³ :	
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Coast Prairie Redox (A16)	³ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Iron-Manganese Masses (F12)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dark Surface (S7)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Very Shallow Dark Surface (TF12)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)		
<input type="checkbox"/> 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)			

Restrictive Layer (if observed):
 Type: _____
 Depth (inches): _____

Hydric Soil Present? Yes ☒ No ☐

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:		
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required: check all that apply)		Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Fauna (B13)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> True Aquatic Plants (B14)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)
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<input type="checkbox"/> Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Geomorphic Position (D2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Iron Deposits (B5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Gauge or Well Data (D9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	

Field Observations:			Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
Surface Water Present? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): _____		
Water Table Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): _____		
Saturation Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Depth (inches): <u>surface</u>		
(includes capillary fringe)			
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:			
Remarks:			

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Metric 1. Wetland Area (size).

max 6 pts

subtotal

- Select one size class and assign score.**
- ☐ >50 acres (>20.2ha) (6 pts)
 - ☐ 25 to <50 acres (10.1 to <20.2ha) (5 pts)
 - ☐ 10 to <25 acres (4 to <10.1ha) (4 pts)
 - ☐ 3 to <10 acres (1.2 to <4ha) (3 pts)
 - ☐ 0.3 to <3 acres (0.12 to <1.2ha) (2pts)
 - ☐ 0.1 to <0.3 acres (0.04 to <0.12ha) (1 pt)
 - ☒ <0.1 acres (0.04ha) (0 pts)

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Metric 2. Upland buffers and surrounding land use.

max 14 pts.

subtotal

2a. Calculate average buffer width. Select only one and assign score. Do not double check.

- ☒ WIDE. Buffers average 50m (164ft) or more around wetland perimeter (7)
- ☐ MEDIUM. Buffers average 25m to <50m (82 to <164ft) around wetland perimeter (4)
- ☐ NARROW. Buffers average 10m to <25m (32ft to <82ft) around wetland perimeter (1)
- ☐ VERY NARROW. Buffers average <10m (<32ft) around wetland perimeter (0)

2b. Intensity of surrounding land use. Select one or double check and average.

- ☐ VERY LOW. 2nd growth or older forest, prairie, savannah, wildlife area, etc. (7)
- ☐ LOW. Old field (>10 years), shrubland, young second growth forest. (5)
- ☒ MODERATELY HIGH. Residential, fenced pasture, park, conservation tillage, new fallow field. (3)
- ☐ HIGH. Urban, industrial, open pasture, row cropping, mining, construction. (1)

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Metric 3. Hydrology.

max 30 pts.

subtotal

3a. Sources of Water. Score all that apply.

- ☐ High pH groundwater (5)
- ☐ Other groundwater (3)
- ☒ Precipitation (1)
- ☐ Seasonal/Intermittent surface water (3)
- ☐ Perennial surface water (lake or stream) (5)

3c. Maximum water depth. Select one.

- ☐ >0.7 (27.6in) (3)
- ☐ 0.4 to 0.7m (15.7 to 27.6in) (2)
- ☒ <0.4m (<15.7in) (1)

3e. Modifications to natural hydrologic regime. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (12)
- ☐ Recovered (7)
- ☐ Recovering (3)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

3b. Connectivity. Score all that apply.

- ☐ 100 year floodplain (1)
- ☐ Between stream/lake and other human use (1)
- ☐ Part of wetland/upland (e.g. forest), complex (1)
- ☒ Part of riparian or upland corridor (1)

3d. Duration inundation/saturation. Score one or dbl check.

- ☐ Semi- to permanently inundated/saturated (4)
- ☐ Regularly inundated/saturated (3)
- ☐ Seasonally inundated (2)
- ☒ Seasonally saturated in upper 30cm (12in) (1)

Check all disturbances observed

- | | |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> ditch <input type="checkbox"/> tile <input type="checkbox"/> dike <input type="checkbox"/> weir <input type="checkbox"/> stormwater input | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> point source (nonstormwater) <input type="checkbox"/> filling/grading <input type="checkbox"/> road bed/RR track <input type="checkbox"/> dredging <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
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Metric 4. Habitat Alteration and Development.

max 20 pts.

subtotal

4a. Substrate disturbance. Score one or double check and average.

- ☒ None or none apparent (4)
- ☐ Recovered (3)
- ☐ Recovering (2)
- ☐ Recent or no recovery (1)

4b. Habitat development. Select only one and assign score.

- ☐ Excellent (7)
- ☐ Very good (6)
- ☐ Good (5)
- ☐ Moderately good (4)
- ☐ Fair (3)
- ☒ Poor to fair (2)
- ☐ Poor (1)

4c. Habitat alteration. Score one or double check and average.

- ☐ None or none apparent (9)
- ☐ Recovered (6)
- ☐ Recovering (3)
- ☒ Recent or no recovery (1)

Check all disturbances observed

- | | |
|---|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> mowing <input type="checkbox"/> grazing <input type="checkbox"/> clearcutting <input type="checkbox"/> selective cutting <input type="checkbox"/> woody debris removal <input type="checkbox"/> toxic pollutants | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> shrub/sapling removal <input type="checkbox"/> herbaceous/aquatic bed removal <input type="checkbox"/> sedimentation <input type="checkbox"/> dredging <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> farming <input type="checkbox"/> nutrient enrichment |
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max 10 pts. subtotal

Metric 5. Special Wetlands.

Check all that apply and score as indicated.

- ☐ Bog (10)
- ☐ Fen (10)
- ☐ Old growth forest (10)
- ☐ Mature forested wetland (5)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-unrestricted hydrology (10)
- ☐ Lake Erie coastal/tributary wetland-restricted hydrology (5)
- ☐ Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) (10)
- ☐ Relict Wet Prairies (10)
- ☐ Known occurrence state/federal threatened or endangered species (10)
- ☐ Significant migratory songbird/water fowl habitat or usage (10)
- ☐ Category 1 Wetland. See Question 5 Qualitative Rating (-10)

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max 20pts. subtotal

Metric 6. Plant communities, interspersions, microtopography.

6a. Wetland Vegetation Communities.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ Aquatic bed
- ☐ Emergent
- ☐ Shrub
- ☐ Forest
- ☐ Mudflats
- ☐ Open water
- ☐ Other _____

6b. horizontal (plan view) Interspersions.

Select only one.

- ☐ High (5)
- ☐ Moderately high(4)
- ☐ Moderate (3)
- ☐ Moderately low (2)
- ☐ Low (1)
- ☒ None (0)

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer

Table 1 ORAM long form for list. Add or deduct points for coverage

- ☐ Extensive >75% cover (-5)
- ☐ Moderate 25-75% cover (-3)
- ☐ Sparse 5-25% cover (-1)
- ☐ Nearly absent <5% cover (0)
- ☒ Absent (1)

6d. Microtopography.

Score all present using 0 to 3 scale.

- ☐ Vegetated hummocks/tussucks
- ☐ Coarse woody debris >15cm (6in)
- ☐ Standing dead >25cm (10in) dbh
- ☐ Amphibian breeding pools

Vegetation Community Cover Scale

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Absent or comprises <0.1ha (0.2471 acres) contiguous area |
| 1 | Present and either comprises small part of wetland's 1 vegetation and is of moderate quality, or comprises a significant part but is of low quality |
| 2 | Present and either comprises significant part of wetland's 2 vegetation and is of moderate quality or comprises a small part and is of high quality |
| 3 | Present and comprises significant part, or more, of wetland's 3 vegetation and is of high quality |

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

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|---|---|
| 0 | Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or low disturbance tolerant native species |
| 1 | Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, mod although nonnative and/or disturbance tolerant native spp can also be present, and species diversity moderate to moderately high, but generally w/o presence of rare threatened or endangered spp to |
| 2 | A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp high and/or disturbance tolerant native spp absent or virtually absent, and high spp diversity and often, but not always, the presence of rare, threatened, or endangered spp |

Mudflat and Open Water Class Quality

- | | |
|---|---|
| 0 | Absent <0.1ha (0.247 acres) |
| 1 | Low 0.1 to <1ha (0.247 to 2.47 acres) |
| 2 | Moderate 1 to <4ha (2.47 to 9.88 acres) |
| 3 | High 4ha (9.88 acres) or more |

Microtopography Cover Scale

- | | |
|---|--|
| 0 | Absent |
| 1 | Present very small amounts or if more common of marginal quality |
| 2 | Present in moderate amounts, but not of highest quality or in small amounts of highest quality |
| 3 | Present in moderate or greater amounts and of highest quality |

36	GRAND TOTAL(max 100 pts)
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CATEGORY 2

WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM -- Midwest Region

WETLAND PV4

Project/Site: PVWMA Options BR-H-D 138 kV Transmission Line City/County: Ross County Sampling Date: 5/20/2014
 Applicant/Owner: AEP Ohio Transco State: OH Sampling Point: 1
 Investigator(s): Heather A. Bobich Section, Township, Range: _____
 Landform (hillslope, terrace, etc.): terrace Local relief (concave, convex, none): concave
 Slope (%): _____ Lat: _____ Long: _____ Datum: _____
 Soil Map Unit Name: _____ NWI classification: n/a

Are climatic / hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? Yes X No _____ (If no, explain in Remarks.)
 Are Vegetation N, Soil N, or Hydrology N significantly disturbed? Are "Normal Circumstances" present? Yes X No _____
 Are Vegetation N, Soil N, or Hydrology N naturally problematic? (If needed, explain any answers in Remarks.)

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS -- Attach site map showing sampling point locations, transects, important features, etc.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____	Is the Sampled Area within a Wetland?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____
Hydric Soil Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes <u>X</u>	No _____			
Remarks: PEM in oldfield area					

VEGETATION -- Use scientific names of plants.

Tree Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> radius)	Absolute % Cover	Dominant Species?	Indicator Status	Dominance Test worksheet: Number of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>3</u> (A) Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: <u>3</u> (B) Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: <u>100%</u> (A/B)																
1. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
= Total Cover																				
Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: <u>15'</u> radius)				Prevalence Index worksheet: Prevalence Index worksheet: <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Total % Cover of:</td> <td>Multiply by:</td> </tr> <tr> <td>OBL species <u>20</u></td> <td>x1 = <u>20</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACW species <u>40</u></td> <td>x2 = <u>80</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FAC species <u>40</u></td> <td>x3 = <u>120</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>FACU species _____</td> <td>x4 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>UPL species _____</td> <td>x5 = _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Column Totals: <u>100</u> (A)</td> <td><u>220</u> (B)</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>2.20</u></td> </tr> </table>	Total % Cover of:	Multiply by:	OBL species <u>20</u>	x1 = <u>20</u>	FACW species <u>40</u>	x2 = <u>80</u>	FAC species <u>40</u>	x3 = <u>120</u>	FACU species _____	x4 = _____	UPL species _____	x5 = _____	Column Totals: <u>100</u> (A)	<u>220</u> (B)	Prevalence Index = B/A = <u>2.20</u>	
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UPL species _____	x5 = _____																			
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1. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
3. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
4. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
= Total Cover																				
Herb Stratum (Plot size: <u>5'</u> radius)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators: _____ 1-Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation <u>X</u> 2-Dominance Test is >50% <u>X</u> 3-Prevalence Index is ≤3.0 ¹ _____ 4-Morphological Adaptations ¹ (Provide supporting data in Remarks or on a separate sheet) _____ Problematic Hydrophytic Vegetation ¹ (Explain) ¹ Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.																
1. <i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	20	Yes	OBL																	
2. <i>Festuca nutans</i>	30	Yes	FAC																	
3. <i>Rumex crispus</i>	10	No	FAC																	
4. <i>Eleocharis geniculata</i>	40	Yes	FACW																	
5. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
6. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
7. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
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17. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
18. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
19. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
20. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
100 = Total Cover																				
Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: <u>30'</u> radius)				Hydrophytic Vegetation Present? Yes <u>X</u> No _____																
1. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
2. _____	_____	_____	_____																	
= Total Cover																				

Remarks: (Include photo numbers here or on a separate sheet.)

SOIL

Sampling Point: 1

Profile Description: (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.)								
Depth (inches)	Matrix		Redox Features				Texture	Remarks
	Color (moist)	%	Color (moist)	%	Type ¹	Loc ²		
0-16"	10YR 4/2	85	7.5YR 4/6	15	C	PL	Silty Clay	

¹Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered or Coated Sand Grains. ²Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix.

Hydric Soil Indicators:	Indicators for Problematic Hydric Soils ³ :
<input type="checkbox"/> Histosol (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Gleyed Matrix (S4)
<input type="checkbox"/> Histic Epipedon (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Redox (S5)
<input type="checkbox"/> Black Histic (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stripped Matrix (S6)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide (A4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Mucky Mineral (F1)
<input type="checkbox"/> Stratified Layers (A5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Loamy Gleyed Matrix (F2)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 cm Muck (A10)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Depleted Matrix (F3)
<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Below Dark Surface (A11)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Dark Surface (F6)
<input type="checkbox"/> Thick Dark Surface (A12)	<input type="checkbox"/> Depleted Dark Surface (F7)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sandy Mucky Mineral (S1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Redox Depressions (F8)
<input type="checkbox"/> 5 cm Mucky Peat or Peat (S3)	

³Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (if observed):		Hydric Soil Present?	
Type: _____	Depth (inches): _____	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X	No _____

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators:			
Primary Indicators (minimum of one is required: check all that apply)		Secondary Indicators (minimum of two required)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Water (A1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Water-Stained Leaves (B9)	<input type="checkbox"/> Surface Soil Cracks (B6)	
<input type="checkbox"/> High Water Table (A2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Aquatic Fauna (B13)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drainage Patterns (B10)	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Saturation (A3)	<input type="checkbox"/> True Aquatic Plants (B14)	<input type="checkbox"/> Dry-Season Water Table (C2)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Water Marks (B1)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hydrogen Sulfide Odor (C1)	<input type="checkbox"/> Crayfish Burrows (C8)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sediment Deposits (B2)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots (C3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery (C9)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Drift Deposits (B3)	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of Reduced Iron (C4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Stunted or Stressed Plants (D1)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Algal Mat or Crust (B4)	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils (C6)	<input type="checkbox"/> Geomorphic Position (D2)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Iron Deposits (B5)	<input type="checkbox"/> Thin Muck Surface (C7)	<input type="checkbox"/> FAC-Neutral Test (D5)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery (B7)	<input type="checkbox"/> Gauge or Well Data (D9)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface (B8)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)		

Field Observations:			
Surface Water Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x No _____	Depth (inches): <u>2"</u>	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X No _____
Water Table Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x No _____	Depth (inches): <u>8"</u>	
Saturation Present?	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> x No _____	Depth (inches): <u>surface</u>	
(includes capillary fringe)			

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:

Remarks:

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