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Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project
Athens County, Ohio



Photo Location 9. View of Wetland 4. Photograph taken facing north.



Photo Location 9. View of Wetland 4. Photograph taken facing west.

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Photo Location 10. View of Stream 2. Photograph taken facing upstream/southwest.



Photo Location 10. View of Stream 2. Photograph taken facing downstream/northeast.

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Photo Location 11. View of Stream 1 (Hamley Run). Photograph taken facing upstream/west.



Photo Location 11. View of Stream 1 (Hamley Run). Photograph taken facing downstream/east.

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Photo Location 12. Representative view of upland drainage feature. Photograph taken facing west.

Habitat Photographs

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Photo Location 1. Representative view of old field habitat. Photograph taken facing south.



Photo Location 2. Representative view of industrial habitat. Photograph taken facing southeast.

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Photo Location 3. Representative view of mixed early successional/second growth deciduous forest habitat. Photograph taken facing west.



Photo Location 4. Representative view of potential bat roost tree. Photograph taken facing north.

Appendix D Data Forms

D.1 WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORMS

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 11/07/16							
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens							
Investigator #1: Aaron Kwolek		Investigator #2: Jody Nicholson		State: Ohio							
Soil Unit: Fitchville silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes		NWI/WWI Classification: None		Wetland ID: Wetland 1							
Landform: --		Local Relief: Concave		Sample Point: SP-1							
Slope (%): 4%		Latitude: 39.38321744510		Community ID: PEM							
		Longitude: -82.18024529		Datum: NAD83							
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No							
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township: 12N							
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: 15W Dir: --							
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS											
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Hydric Soils Present?							
Wetland Hydrology Present?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No							
Remarks:											
HYDROLOGY											
Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>											
<u>Primary:</u>			<u>Secondary:</u>								
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water			<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks								
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table			<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface								
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation			<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns								
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks			<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines								
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits			<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table								
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits			<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows								
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust			<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery								
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits			<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants								
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery			<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position								
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard								
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief								
			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test								
Field Observations:											
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			Wetland Hydrology Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No											
Saturation Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No											
Depth: (in.)											
Depth: (in.)											
Depth: (in.)											
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: N/A											
Remarks:											
SOILS											
Map Unit Name: Fitchville silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes											
Series Drainage Class: Somewhat poorly drained											
Taxonomy (Subgroup):											
Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix		Mottles				Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)		
			Color (Moist)	%	Color (Moist)	%	Type	Location			
0	10	1	10YR	4/2	90	10YR	6/8	10	C	M	silt loam
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>											
<input type="checkbox"/> A1- Histosol			<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox			<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, MLRA 136)			Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹		
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon			<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix			<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136)			<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic			<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface			<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 148)			<input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide			<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)			<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers			<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)			<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147)			<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface		
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)			<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix						<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx								
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface			<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface								
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)			<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface								
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix			<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions								
¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.											
Restrictive Layer (If Observed)			Type: Rock			Depth: 10"			Hydric Soil Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Remarks:											



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project

Wetland ID: Wetland 1

Sample Point: SP-1

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind.Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Typha X glauca	70	Y	OBL
2.	Phalaris arundinacea	20	N	FACW
3.	Angelica atropurpurea	5	N	OBL
4.	Rosa palustris	5	N	FACW
5.	Solidago gigantea	5	N	FACW
6.	Scirpus atrovirens	5	N	OBL
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		110		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 1 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 1 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 80

FACW spp. 30

FAC spp. 0

FACU spp. 0

UPL spp. 0

Multiply by:

x 1 = 80

x 2 = 60

x 3 = 0

x 4 = 0

x 5 = 0

Total 110 (A)

140 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 1.273

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes

No

☒ Yes

☐ No

☒ Yes

☐ No

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Yes

☒ No

Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Dominance Test is > 50%

Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present Yes No

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Additional Remarks:

Project/Site: Lemaster- Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 11/07/16	
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens	
Investigator #1: Aaron Kwolek		Investigator #2: Jody Nicholson		State: Ohio	
Soil Unit: Fitchville silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slops		NWI/WWI Classification: None		Wetland ID: Wetland 1	
Landform: --		Local Relief: Convex		Sample Point: SP-2	
Slope (%): 4%		Latitude: 39.38319645410		Community ID: Upland	
		Longitude: -82.18026061		Datum: NAD83	
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township: 12N	
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: 15W Dir: --	
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS					
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Hydric Soils Present?	
Wetland Hydrology Present?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Remarks:					
HYDROLOGY					
Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
<div><div>Primary:</div><div><div><input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery</div></div><div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)</div></div></div> <div><div>Secondary:</div><div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test</div></div></div>					

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Project/Site: **Lemaster- Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project**

Wetland ID: Wetland 1

Sample Point: **SP-2**

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind.Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Schedonorus arundinaceus	25	Y	FACU
2.	Lonicera japonica	10	N	FAC
3.	Solidago altissima	25	Y	FACU
4.	Plantago lanceolata	5	N	FACW
5.	Melilotus officinalis	2	N	FACU
6.	Daucus carota	5	N	UPL
7.	Achillea millefolium	5	N	FACU
8.	Trifolium repens	10	N	FACU
9.	Apocynum cannabinum	10	N	FACU
10.	Dipsacus fullonum	5	N	FACU
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		102		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 2 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 0

FACW spp. 5

FAC spp. 10

FACU spp. 82

UPL spp. 0

Multiply by:

x 1 = 0

x 2 = 10

x 3 = 30

x 4 = 328

x 5 = 0

Total 97 (A)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.794 (B)

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes

No

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Yes

☒ No

☐ Yes

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Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Dominance Test is > 50%

Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

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Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present

Yes

No

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Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Udorthents, loamy	NWI/WWI Classification: PEM1A			Wetland ID: Wetland 2
Landform: Side slope	Local Relief: Linear			Sample Point: SP-3
Slope (%): 5-10	Latitude: 39.387417°	Longitude: -82.174043°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: PEM
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY		
Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>		
Primary:		Secondary:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
		<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Depth: 0-1 (in.)	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Depth: 0 (in.)	
Saturation Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Depth: 0 (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:	N/A
Remarks:	

SOILS											
Map Unit Name: Udorthents, loamy						Series Drainage Class: N/A					
Taxonomy (Subgroup):											
Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles				Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)	
			Color (Moist)	%		Color (Moist)	%	Type	Location		
0	16	--	10YR	4/1	80	10YR	5/6	20	D	--	silty clay
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>				Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹			
<input type="checkbox"/> A1- Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface					
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147 <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Explain in Remarks)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix						
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matrix						
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface						
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface						
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions						

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project Wetland ID: Wetland 2 Sample Point SP-3

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

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1.	Cephalanthus occidentalis	10	Y	OBL
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		10		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Juncus effusus	20	Y	FACW
2.	Scirpus cyperinus	15	N	FACW
3.	Spiraea tomentosa	20	Y	FACW
4.	Agrimonia parviflora	10	N	FACW
5.	Dipsacus fullonum	5	N	FACU
6.	Poa palustris	10	N	FACW
7.	Penstemon digitalis	5	N	FAC
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		85		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 3 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 10

FACW spp. 75

FAC spp. 5

FACU spp. 5

UPL spp. 0

Multiply by:

x 1 = 10

x 2 = 150

x 3 = 15

x 4 = 20

x 5 = 0

Total 95 (A) 195 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.053

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☐ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☒ No ☐ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☒ No ☐ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☐ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☐ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☒ Yes ☐ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Udorthents, loamy	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: Wetland 2
Landform: Side slope	Local Relief: Linear			Sample Point: SP-4
Slope (%): 5-10	Latitude: 39.387119°	Longitude: -82.173773°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: UPL
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY		
Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<u>Primary:</u>		<u>Secondary:</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
		<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	
Saturation Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:	N/A
Remarks:	

SOILS											
Map Unit Name: Udorthents, loamy						Series Drainage Class: N/A					
Taxonomy (Subgroup):											
Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles			Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)		
			Color (Moist)		%	Color (Moist)		%	Type	Location	
0	8	--	10YR	3/3	60	--	--	--	--	--	silt
8	14	--	10YR	3/2	75	10YR	7/6	25	C	M	clay
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹			
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface					
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147 <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Explain in Remarks)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix						
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matrix						
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface						
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface						
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions						

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: **Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project**

Wetland ID: **Wetland 2**

Sample Point **SP-4**

VEGETATION

(Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

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1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	<i>Daucus carota</i>	20	Y	UPL
2.	<i>Solidago altissima</i>	20	Y	FACU
3.	<i>Dipsacus fullonum</i>	20	Y	FACU
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		60		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 3 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 0

FACW spp. 0

FAC spp. 0

FACU spp. 40

UPL spp. 20

Multiply by:

x 1 = 0

x 2 = 0

x 3 = 0

x 4 = 160

x 5 = 100

Total 60 (A) 260 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 4.333

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☒ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☐ No ☒ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☐ No ☒ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

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Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☐ Yes ☒ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Dekalb-Westmoreland complex, 40 to 70 percent slopes	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: Wetland 3
Landform: Side slope	Local Relief: Concave			Sample Point: SP-5
Slope (%): 7	Latitude: 39.380211°	Longitude: -82.171651°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: PEM
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>		Secondary:
Primary:		<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Saturation Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Depth: 0-1 (in.)	
Depth: -- (in.)	
Depth: 0-12 (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: N/A

Remarks:

SOILS

Map Unit Name: Dekalb-Westmoreland complex, 40 to 70 percent slopes Series Drainage Class: N/A

Taxonomy (Subgroup):

Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles				Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)	
			Color (Moist)	%		Color (Moist)	%	Type	Location		
0	12	--	10YR	6/1	70	10YR	7/8	10	C	M	clay
--	--	--	--	--	--	5YR	6/8	10	C	M	clay
--	--	--	--	--	--	7.5YR	2.5/1	10	C	M	clay
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>		Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹
<input type="checkbox"/> A1- Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix	
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matrix	
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions	

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: **Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project**

Wetland ID: **Wetland 3**

Sample Point **SP-5**

VEGETATION

(Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

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1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	<i>Spiraea tomentosa</i>	70	Y	FACW
2.	<i>Andropogon virginicus</i>	10	N	FACU
3.	<i>Juncus effusus</i>	5	N	FACW
4.	<i>Eupatorium perfoliatum</i>	5	N	FACW
5.	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	5	N	FACU
6.	<i>Pinus strobus</i>	5	N	FACU
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		100		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: **1** (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: **1** (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: **100.0%** (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. **0**

FACW spp. **80**

FAC spp. **0**

FACU spp. **20**

UPL spp. **0**

Multiply by:

x 1 = **0**

x 2 = **160**

x 3 = **0**

x 4 = **80**

x 5 = **0**

Total **100** (A) **240** (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = **2.400**

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☐ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☒ No ☐ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☒ No ☐ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☐ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☐ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☒ Yes ☐ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster - Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Dekalb-Westmoreland complex, 40 to 70 percent slopes	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: Wetland 3
Landform: Side slope	Local Relief: Linear			Sample Point: SP-6
Slope (%): 7	Latitude: 39.380115°	Longitude: -82.171770°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: UPL
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY		
Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<u>Primary:</u>		<u>Secondary:</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
		<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	
Saturation Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:	N/A
Remarks:	

SOILS											
Map Unit Name: Dekalb-Westmoreland complex, 40 to 70 percent slopes Series Drainage Class: N/A											
Taxonomy (Subgroup):											
Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix		Mottles		Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)				
			Color (Moist)	%	Color (Moist)	%	Type	Location			
0	4	--	10YR	4/4	--	--	--	--	loam		
4	16	--	10YR	6/8	--	--	--	--	loam		
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--		
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹		
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, MLRA 122, 136)	<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136)	<input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface		
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)		<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)		
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix				
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matrix				
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface				
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface				
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions				

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: Lemaster - Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Wetland ID: Wetland 3 Sample Point SP-6

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	5	Y	FACU
2.	<i>Quercus rubra</i>	5	Y	FACU
3.	<i>Prunus serotina</i>	5	Y	FACU
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Total Cover = 15

20

1.	<i>Rhus glabra</i>	60	Y	UPL
2.	<i>Rubus allegheniensis</i>	10	N	FACU
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Total Cover = 70

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	<i>Polystichum acrostichoides</i>	70	Y	FACU
2.	<i>Rubus allegheniensis</i>	10	N	FACU
3.	<i>Andropogon virginicus</i>	5	N	FACU
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14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--

Total Cover = 85

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--

Total Cover = 0

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 5 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

Multiply by:

OBL spp.	0	x 1 =	0
FACW spp.	0	x 2 =	0
FAC spp.	0	x 3 =	0
FACU spp.	110	x 4 =	440
UPL spp.	60	x 5 =	300

Total 170 (A) 740 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 4.353

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- Yes ☐ ☒ No Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
Yes ☐ ☒ No Dominance Test is > 50%
Yes ☐ ☒ No Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *
Yes ☐ ☒ No Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *
Yes ☐ ☒ No Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☐ Yes ☒ No



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster - Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: Wetland 4
Landform: Floodplain	Local Relief: Concave			Sample Point: SP-7
Slope (%): 0	Latitude: 39.378502°	Longitude: -82.176685°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: PEM
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>		Secondary:
Primary:		<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Saturation Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Depth: - (in.)	
Depth: 8 (in.)	
Depth: 4 (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: N/A

Remarks:

SOILS

Map Unit Name: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded Series Drainage Class: N/A

Taxonomy (Subgroup):

Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles				Location	Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)
			Color (Moist)		%	Color (Moist)		%	Type		
0	4	--	10YR	3/1	100	--	--	--	--	--	silty clay loam
4	16	--	10YR	4/1	90	5YR	4/4	10	C	PL	silty clay loam
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>		Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix	
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx	
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions	

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: **Lemaster - Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation**

Wetland ID: **Wetland 4**

Sample Point **SP-7**

VEGETATION

(Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
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7.	--	--	--	--
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9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Hydrocotyle bonariensis	20	Y	FACW
2.	Poa palustris	60	Y	FACW
3.	Ratibida pinnata	5	N	UPL
4.	Rubus allegheniensis	5	N	FACU
5.	Urtica dioica	5	N	FACU
6.	Monarda fistulosa	5	N	UPL
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		100		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 2 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 2 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 100.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of: OBL spp. 0, FACW spp. 80, FAC spp. 0, FACU spp. 10, UPL spp. 10

Multiply by: x 1 = 0, x 2 = 160, x 3 = 0, x 4 = 40, x 5 = 50

Total 100 (A), 250 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.500

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes No Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes No Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes No Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes No Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes No Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present

Yes No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster - Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: Wetland 4
Landform: Side slope	Local Relief: Concave			Sample Point: SP-8
Slope (%): 2	Latitude: 39.378354°	Longitude: -82.176551°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: UPL
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problematic?				Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present):		Secondary:
Primary:		
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
		<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Saturation Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Depth: -- (in.)	
Depth: -- (in.)	
Depth: -- (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: N/A

Remarks:

SOILS

Map Unit Name: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded Series Drainage Class: N/A

Taxonomy (Subgroup):

Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles				Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)	
			Color (Moist)		%	Color (Moist)		%	Type		Location
0	10	--	10YR	5/2	100	--	--	--	--	--	silty clay loam
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present):		Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix	
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx	
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions	

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: Rock	Depth: 10"	Hydric Soil Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster - Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Wetland ID: Wetland 4 Sample Point SP-8

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	Acer rubrum	25	Y	FAC
2.	Fagus grandifolia	15	Y	FACU
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		40		

Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 ft radius)

1.	Aesculus flava	5	Y	FACU
2.	Cornus florida	5	Y	FACU
3.	Rosa multiflora	5	Y	FACU
4.	Juglans nigra	5	Y	FACU
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		20		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Symphotrichum lanceolatum	5	Y	FACW
2.	Verbesina alternifolia	5	Y	FAC
3.	Rosa multiflora	5	Y	UPL
4.	Ageratina altissima	5	Y	FACU
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		20		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 10 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 30.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 0

FACW spp. 5

FAC spp. 30

FACU spp. 40

UPL spp. 5

Multiply by:

x 1 = 0

x 2 = 10

x 3 = 90

x 4 = 160

x 5 = 25

Total 80 (A) 285 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.563

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☒ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☐ No ☒ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☐ No ☒ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☐ Yes ☒ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: NA
Landform: Floodplain	Local Relief: Concave			Sample Point: SP-9
Slope (%): 0	Latitude: 39.385888°	Longitude: -82.172750°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: UPL
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		<u>Secondary:</u>	
<u>Primary:</u>		<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks	
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns	
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines	
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table	
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows	
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery	
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants	
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position	
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard	
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief	
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test	

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	
Saturation Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:	N/A
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Remarks:

SOILS

Map Unit Name: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded	Series Drainage Class: N/A
Taxonomy (Subgroup):	

Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles				Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)	
			Color (Moist)		%	Color (Moist)	%	Type	Location		
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	loam
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	loam
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹	
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136)	<input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/>	F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147 <input type="checkbox"/>	Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix		
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx		
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface		
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface		
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions		

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed) Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project Wetland ID: NA Sample Point SP-9

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 ft radius)

1.	Platanus occidentalis	10	Y	FACW
2.	Rhus glabra	15	Y	UPL
3.	Sambucus nigra	5	N	FAC
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		30		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Rubus allegheniensis	5	N	FACU
2.	Phalaris arundinacea	5	N	FACW
3.	Monarda fistulosa	5	N	UPL
4.	Elymus riparius	50	Y	FACW
5.	Verbesina alternifolia	5	N	FAC
6.	Lonicera japonica	10	N	FAC
7.	Allium canadense	5	N	FACU
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		85		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 2 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 3 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 66.7% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 0

FACW spp. 65

FAC spp. 20

FACU spp. 10

UPL spp. 20

Multiply by:

x 1 = 0

x 2 = 130

x 3 = 60

x 4 = 40

x 5 = 100

Total 115 (A) 330 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.870

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☐ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☒ No ☐ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☒ No ☐ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☐ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☐ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☒ Yes ☐ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: NA
Landform: Floodplain	Local Relief: Concave			Sample Point: SP-10
Slope (%): 0	Latitude: 39.383578°	Longitude: -82.172134°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: UPL
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>		Secondary:
Primary:		
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
		<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Saturation Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Depth: -- (in.)	
Depth: -- (in.)	
Depth: 5 (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: N/A

Remarks:

SOILS

Map Unit Name: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded Series Drainage Class: N/A

Taxonomy (Subgroup):

Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles				Location	Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)
			Color (Moist)		%	Color (Moist)		%	Type		
0	8	--	10YR	3/2	100	--	--	--	--	--	fine sandy loam
8	16	--	10YR	3/2	90	10YR	5/6	10	C	M	fine sandy loam
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix	
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx	
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions	

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed) Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project Wetland ID: NA Sample Point SP-10

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind.Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

20

1.	Rhus glabra	20	Y	UPL
2.	Rubus allegheniensis	10	Y	FACU
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		30		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Rhus glabra	10	N	UPL
2.	Poa palustris	70	Y	FACW
3.	Platanus occidentalis	5	N	FACW
4.	Verbesina alternifolia	10	N	FAC
5.	Monarda fistulosa	5	N	UPL
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		100		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 1 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 3 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 33.3% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 0

FACW spp. 75

FAC spp. 10

FACU spp. 10

UPL spp. 35

Multiply by:

x 1 = 0

x 2 = 150

x 3 = 30

x 4 = 40

x 5 = 175

Total 130 (A)

395 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.038

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☒ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☐ No ☒ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☐ No ☒ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

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Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☐ Yes ☒ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17						
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens						
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio						
Soil Unit: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded		NWI/WWI Classification: PSS1/EM1C		Wetland ID: NA						
Landform: Floodplain		Local Relief: Concave		Sample Point: SP-11						
Slope (%): 0		Latitude: 39.385388°		Community ID: UPL						
		Longitude: -82.173065°		Datum: NAD83						
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Section:						
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Township:						
				Range: Dir: --						
SUMMARY OF FINDINGS										
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Hydric Soils Present?						
Wetland Hydrology Present?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No										
Remarks:										
HYDROLOGY										
Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>										
Primary: <input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water <input type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table <input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation <input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks <input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits <input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits <input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust <input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits <input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery										
Secondary: <input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks <input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface <input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns <input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna <input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants <input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines <input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor <input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table <input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots <input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron <input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils <input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface <input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows <input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery <input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants <input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position <input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard <input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief <input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test										
Field Observations:										
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)				Wetland Hydrology Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No						
Water Table Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)										
Saturation Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Depth: -- (in.)										
Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: N/A										
Remarks:										
SOILS										
Map Unit Name: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded Series Drainage Class: N/A										
Taxonomy (Subgroup):										
Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)										
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix		Mottles				Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)	
			Color (Moist)	%	Color (Moist)	%	Type	Location		
0	4	--	10YR 3/2	100	--	--	--	--	--	fine sandy loam
4	8	--	10YR 3/2	85	10YR 6/6	5	C	M	--	fine sandy loam
--	--	--	--	--	7.5YR 5/6	10	C	M	--	fine sandy loam
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>										
Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹										
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol <input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon <input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic <input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide <input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers <input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N) <input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface <input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface <input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148) <input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix <input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox <input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix <input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface <input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148) <input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148) <input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx <input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface <input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface <input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions <input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N) <input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA) <input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147) <input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147) <input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148) <input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147) <input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)										
¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.										
Restrictive Layer (If Observed)		Type: N/A		Depth: N/A		Hydric Soil Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
Remarks:										

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project Wetland ID: NA Sample Point SP-11

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

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1.	Rubus allegheniensis	25	Y	FACU
2.	Platanus occidentalis	20	Y	FACW
3.	Rhus glabra	10	N	FACU
4.	Juglans nigra	5	N	FACU
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		60		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Elymus riparius	50	Y	FACW
2.	Dichanthelium clandestinum	10	N	FAC
3.	Dipsacus fullonum	5	N	FACU
4.	Daucus carota	5	N	UPL
5.	Monarda fistulosa	5	N	UPL
6.	Solidago gigantea	5	N	FACW
7.	Poa palustris	5	N	FACW
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		85		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	Lonicera japonica	50	Y	FAC
2.	Vitis riparia	10	N	FACW
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		60		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 3 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 4 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 75.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

OBL spp. 0

FACW spp. 90

FAC spp. 60

FACU spp. 45

UPL spp. 10

Multiply by:

x 1 = 0

x 2 = 180

x 3 = 180

x 4 = 180

x 5 = 50

Total 205 (A) 590 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 2.878

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☒ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☒ No ☐ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☐ No ☒ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

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Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☒ Yes ☐ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded	NWI/WWI Classification: PSS1/EM1C			Wetland ID: NA
Landform: Floodplain	Local Relief: Linear			Sample Point: SP-12
Slope (%): 0	Latitude: 39.385877°	Longitude: -82.173304°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: UPL
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation <input type="checkbox"/> , Soil <input type="checkbox"/> , or Hydrology <input type="checkbox"/> naturally problematic?		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Hydric Soils Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Remarks:			

HYDROLOGY		
Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>		
Primary:		Secondary:
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
		<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Wetland Hydrology Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Water Table Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Saturation Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Depth: -- (in.)	
Depth: 8 (in.)	
Depth: 6 (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available:	N/A
Remarks:	

SOILS											
Map Unit Name: Chagrin silt loam, 0 to 3 percent slopes, frequently flooded Series Drainage Class: N/A											
Taxonomy (Subgroup):											
Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles			Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)		
			Color (Moist)	%		Color (Moist)	%	Type	Location		
0	4	--	10YR	3/1	100	--	--	--	--	--	silt
4	6	--	10YR	3/1	95	10YR	5/6	5	C	M	silt
6	12	--	10YR	3/1	90	10YR	5/6	5	C	M	silty clay
--	--	--	--	--	--	10YR	5/1	5	D	M	--
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present): <input type="checkbox"/>				Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹			
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N, <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2cm Muck (MLRA 147)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136) <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> A16 - Coast Prairie Redox (MLRA 147, 148)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA 136, 147)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147 <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface				
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)		<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)				
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix						
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx						
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface						
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface						
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions						

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Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project Wetland ID: NA Sample Point SP-12

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

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1.	Elaeagnus angustifolia	25	Y	FACU
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		25		

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	Dipsacus fullonum	20	Y	FACU
2.	Daucus carota	20	Y	UPL
3.	Symphyotrichum novae-angliae	7	N	FACW
4.	Solidago altissima	7	N	FACU
5.	--	--	--	--
6.	--	--	--	--
7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
9.	--	--	--	--
10.	--	--	--	--
11.	--	--	--	--
12.	--	--	--	--
13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		54		

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--
Total Cover =		0		

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 3 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 0.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of: OBL spp. 0 FACW spp. 7 FAC spp. 0 FACU spp. 52 UPL spp. 20

Multiply by: x 1 = 0 x 2 = 14 x 3 = 0 x 4 = 208 x 5 = 100

Total 79 (A) 322 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 4.076

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

Yes ☐ No ☒ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation

Yes ☐ No ☒ Dominance Test is > 50%

Yes ☐ No ☒ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *

Yes ☐ No ☒ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

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Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☐ Yes ☒ No

Additional Remarks:



WETLAND DETERMINATION DATA FORM
Eastern Mountains and Piedmont Region

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project		Stantec Project #: 193704783		Date: 02/10/17
Applicant: American Electric Power				County: Athens
Investigator #1: Jody Nicholson		Investigator #2: Kate Bomar		State: Ohio
Soil Unit: Dekalb-Westmoreland complex, 40 to 70 percent slop	NWI/WWI Classification: NA			Wetland ID: NA
Landform: Toeslope	Local Relief: Concave			Sample Point: SP-13
Slope (%): 0	Latitude: 39.380195°	Longitude: -82.172120°	Datum: NAD83	Community ID: UPL
Are climatic/hydrologic conditions on the site typical for this time of year? (If no, explain in remarks)				Section:
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology significantly disturbed?		Are normal circumstances present?		Township:
Are Vegetation, Soil, or Hydrology naturally problematic?		Yes No		Range: Dir: --

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS			
Hydrophytic Vegetation Present?	Yes No	Hydric Soils Present?	Yes No
Wetland Hydrology Present?	Yes No	Is This Sampling Point Within A Wetland?	Yes No

Remarks:

HYDROLOGY

Wetland Hydrology Indicators (Check here if indicators are not present):		Secondary:
Primary:		
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Surface Water	<input type="checkbox"/> B9 - Water-Stained Leaves	<input type="checkbox"/> B6 - Surface Soil Cracks
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A2 - High Water Table	<input type="checkbox"/> B13 - Aquatic Fauna	<input type="checkbox"/> B8 - Sparsely Vegetated Concave Surface
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A3 - Saturation	<input type="checkbox"/> B14 - True Aquatic Plants	<input type="checkbox"/> B10 - Drainage Patterns
<input type="checkbox"/> B1 - Water Marks	<input type="checkbox"/> C1 - Hydrogen Sulfide Odor	<input type="checkbox"/> B16 - Moss Trim Lines
<input type="checkbox"/> B2 - Sediment Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C3 - Oxidized Rhizospheres on Living Roots	<input type="checkbox"/> C2 - Dry Season Water Table
<input type="checkbox"/> B3 - Drift Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C4 - Presence of Reduced Iron	<input type="checkbox"/> C8 - Crayfish Burrows
<input type="checkbox"/> B4 - Algal Mat or Crust	<input type="checkbox"/> C6 - Recent Iron Reduction in Tilled Soils	<input type="checkbox"/> C9 - Saturation Visible on Aerial Imagery
<input type="checkbox"/> B5 - Iron Deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> C7 - Thin Muck Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> D1 - Stunted or Stressed Plants
<input type="checkbox"/> B7 - Inundation Visible on Aerial Imagery	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Explain in Remarks)	<input type="checkbox"/> D2 - Geomorphic Position
		<input type="checkbox"/> D3 - Shallow Aquitard
		<input type="checkbox"/> D4 - Microtopographic Relief
		<input type="checkbox"/> D5 - FAC-Neutral Test

Field Observations:	
Surface Water Present? Yes No	Wetland Hydrology Present? Yes No
Water Table Present? Yes No	
Saturation Present? Yes No	
Depth: - (in.)	
Depth: 1 (in.)	
Depth: surface (in.)	

Describe Recorded Data (stream gauge, monitoring well, aerial photos, previous inspections), if available: N/A

Remarks:

SOILS

Map Unit Name: Dekalb-Westmoreland complex, 40 to 70 percent slopes	Series Drainage Class: N/A
Taxonomy (Subgroup):	

Profile Description (Describe to the depth needed to document the indicator or confirm the absence of indicators.) (Type: C=Concentration, D=Depletion, RM=Reduced Matrix, CS=Covered/Coated Sand Grains; Location: PL=Pore Lining, M=Matrix)											
Top Depth	Bottom Depth	Horizon	Matrix			Mottles				Location	Texture (e.g. clay, sand, loam)
			Color (Moist)		%	Color (Moist)	%	Type			
0	10	--	10YR	3/1	100	--	--	--	--	--	loam
10	16	--	10YR	4/1	70	10YR	5/6	30	C	M	loam
--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
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NRCS Hydric Soil Field Indicators (check here if indicators are not present):		Indicators for Problematic Soils ¹
<input type="checkbox"/> A1 - Histosol	<input type="checkbox"/> S5 - Sandy Redox	<input type="checkbox"/> F12 - Iron-Manganese Masses (LRR N)
<input type="checkbox"/> A2 - Histic Epipedon	<input type="checkbox"/> S6 - Stripped Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F13 - Umbric Surface (MLRA 122, 136)
<input type="checkbox"/> A3 - Black Histic	<input type="checkbox"/> S7 - Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F19 - Piedmont Floodplain Soils (MLRA)
<input type="checkbox"/> A4 - Hydrogen Sulfide	<input type="checkbox"/> S8 - Polyvalue Below Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> TF12 - Very Shallow Dark Surface
<input type="checkbox"/> A5 - Stratified Layers	<input type="checkbox"/> S9 - Thin Dark Surface (MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F21 - Red Parent Material (MLRA 127, 147)
<input type="checkbox"/> A10 - 2 cm Muck (LRR N)	<input type="checkbox"/> F2 - Loamy Gleyed Matrix	
<input type="checkbox"/> A11 - Depleted Below Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F3 - Depleted Matirx	
<input type="checkbox"/> A12 - Thick Dark Surface	<input type="checkbox"/> F6 - Redox Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S1 - Sandy Muck Mineral (LRR N, MLRA 147, 148)	<input type="checkbox"/> F7 - Depleted Dark Surface	
<input type="checkbox"/> S4 - Sandy Gleyed Matrix	<input type="checkbox"/> F8 - Redox Depressions	

¹ Indicators of hydrophytic vegetation and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Restrictive Layer (If Observed)	Type: N/A	Depth: N/A	Hydric Soil Present?	Yes No
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Remarks:

Project/Site: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project Wetland ID: NA Sample Point SP-13

VEGETATION (Species identified in all uppercase are non-native species.)

Tree Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

	Species Name	% Cover	Dominant	Ind. Status
1.	<i>Carya ovata</i>	20	Y	FACU
2.	--	--	--	--
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Total Cover = 20

Sapling/Shrub Stratum (Plot size: 15 ft radius)

1.	<i>Liriodendron tulipifera</i>	5	Y	FACU
2.	<i>Rubus allegheniensis</i>	5	Y	FACU
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4.	--	--	--	--
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Total Cover = 10

Herb Stratum (Plot size: 5 ft radius)

1.	<i>Verbesina alternifolia</i>	5	Y	FAC
2.	<i>Onoclea sensibilis</i>	5	Y	FACW
3.	<i>Dichanthelium clandestinum</i>	5	Y	FAC
4.	<i>Elymus canadensis</i>	5	Y	FACU
5.	<i>Vernonia gigantea</i>	5	Y	FAC
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7.	--	--	--	--
8.	--	--	--	--
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13.	--	--	--	--
14.	--	--	--	--
15.	--	--	--	--

Total Cover = 25

Woody Vine Stratum (Plot size: 30 ft radius)

1.	--	--	--	--
2.	--	--	--	--
3.	--	--	--	--
4.	--	--	--	--
5.	--	--	--	--

Total Cover = 0

Remarks:

Dominance Test Worksheet

Number of Dominant Species that are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 4 (A)

Total Number of Dominant Species Across All Strata: 8 (B)

Percent of Dominant Species That Are OBL, FACW, or FAC: 50.0% (A/B)

Prevalence Index Worksheet

Total % Cover of:

Multiply by:

OBL spp.	0	x 1 =	0
FACW spp.	5	x 2 =	10
FAC spp.	15	x 3 =	45
FACU spp.	35	x 4 =	140
UPL spp.	0	x 5 =	0

Total 55 (A) 195 (B)

Prevalence Index = B/A = 3.545

Hydrophytic Vegetation Indicators:

- Yes ☐ No ☒ Rapid Test for Hydrophytic Vegetation
Yes ☐ No ☒ Dominance Test is > 50%
Yes ☐ No ☒ Prevalence Index is ≤ 3.0 *
Yes ☐ No ☒ Morphological Adaptations (Explain) *
Yes ☐ No ☒ Problem Hydrophytic Vegetation (Explain) *

* Indicators of hydric soil and wetland hydrology must be present, unless disturbed or problematic.

Definitions of Vegetation Strata:

Tree - Woody plants 3 in. (7.6cm) or more in diameter at breast height (DBH), regardless of height.

Sapling/Shrub - Woody plants less than 3 in. DBH and greater than 3.28 ft. tall.

Herb - All herbaceous (non-woody) plants, regardless of size, and woody plants less than 3.28 ft. tall.

Woody Vines - All woody vines greater than 3.28 ft. in height.

Hydrophytic Vegetation Present ☐ Yes ☒ No**Additional Remarks:**

LEMASTER-LICK 138 KV TRANSMISSION LINE RELOCATION PROJECT, ATHENS COUNTY,
OHIO

D.2 ORAM DATA FORMS

Wetland 1

Version 5.0	Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands 10 Page Form for Wetland Categorization	
	Background Information Scoring Boundary Worksheet Narrative Rating Field Form Quantitative Rating ORAM Summary Worksheet Wetland Categorization Worksheet	Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water Final: February 1, 2001

Instructions

The investigator is *STRONGLY URGED* to read the Manual for Using the Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands for further elaboration and discussion of the questions below prior to using the rating forms.

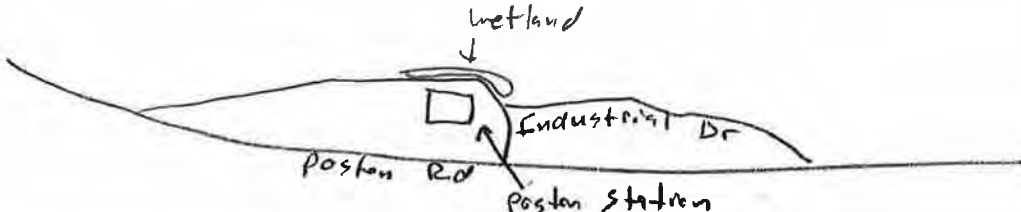
The Narrative Rating is designed to categorize a wetland or to provide alerts to the Rater based on the presence or possible presence of threatened or endangered species. The presence or proximity of such species is often an indicator of the quality and lack of disturbance of the wetland being evaluated. In addition, it is designed to categorize certain wetlands as very low quality (Category 1) or very high quality (Category 3) regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating. In addition, the Narrative Rating also alerts the investigator that a particular wetland *may* be a Category 3 wetland, again, regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating.

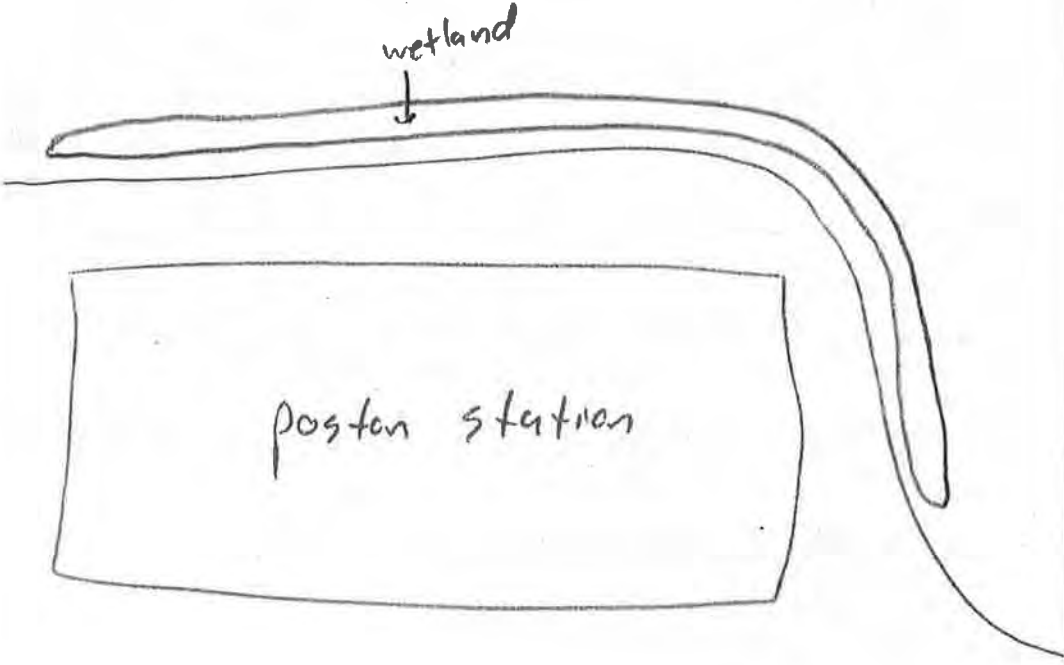
It is *VERY IMPORTANT* to properly and thoroughly answer each of the questions in the ORAM in order to properly categorize a wetland. To *properly* answer all the questions, the boundaries of the wetland being assessed must be correctly identified. Refer to Scoring Boundary worksheet and the User's Manual for a discussion of how to determine the "scoring boundaries." In some instances, the scoring boundaries may differ from the "jurisdictional boundaries."

Refer to the most recent ORAM Score Calibration Report for the scoring breakpoints between wetland categories. The most recent version of this document is posted on Ohio EPA's Division of Surface Water web page at: <http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/wetlands/WetlandEcologySection.aspx>

Background Information

Wetland 1

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Name of Wetland:	Wetland 1
Vegetation Community(ies):	PEM
HGM Class(es):	Depressions 1
Location of Wetland: include map, address, north arrow, landmarks, distances, roads, etc.	
	
Lat/Long or UTM Coordinate	39.383058, -82.178780
USGS Quad Name	Nelsonville
County	Athens
Township	The Plains
Section and Subsection	Sec 1 T12N R15W
Hydrologic Unit Code	050302040801
Site Visit	11/7/16
National Wetland Inventory Map	None
Ohio Wetland Inventory Map	None
Soil Survey	FAA - Fitchville silt loam, 0-3% slopes
Delineation report/map	See Jurisdictional Waters Delineation Report

Name of Wetland: <u>Wetland 1</u>	
Wetland Size (acres, hectares): <u>0.06 ac</u>	
Sketch: Include north arrow, relationship with other surface waters, vegetation zones, etc.	
	
Comments, Narrative Discussion, Justification of Category Changes:	
Final score : <u>12</u>	Category: <u>1</u>

Scoring Boundary Worksheet

Wetland 1

INSTRUCTIONS. The initial step in completing the ORAM is to identify the "scoring boundaries" of the wetland being rated. In many instances this determination will be relatively easy and the scoring boundaries will coincide with the "jurisdictional boundaries." For example, the scoring boundary of an isolated cattail marsh located in the middle of a farm field will likely be the same as that wetland's jurisdictional boundaries. In other instances, however, the scoring boundary will not be as easily determined. Wetlands that are small or isolated from other surface waters often form large contiguous areas or heterogeneous complexes of wetland and upland. In separating wetlands for scoring purposes, the hydrologic regime of the wetland is the main criterion that should be used. Boundaries between contiguous or connected wetlands should be established where the volume, flow, or velocity of water moving through the wetland changes significantly. *Areas with a high degree of hydrologic interaction should be scored as a single wetland.* In determining a wetland's scoring boundaries, use the guidelines in the ORAM Manual Section 5.0. In certain instances, it may be difficult to establish the scoring boundary for the wetland being rated. These problem situations include wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, wetlands divided by artificial boundaries like property fences, roads, or railroad embankments, wetlands that are contiguous with streams, lakes, or rivers, and estuarine or coastal wetlands. These situations are discussed below, however, it is recommended that Rater contact Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water, 401/Wetlands Section if there are additional questions or a need for further clarification of the appropriate scoring boundaries of a particular wetland.

#	Steps in properly establishing scoring boundaries	done?	not applicable
Step 1	Identify the wetland area of interest. This may be the site of a proposed impact, a reference site, conservation site, etc.	✓	
Step 2	Identify the locations where there is physical evidence that hydrology changes rapidly. Such evidence includes both natural and human-induced changes including, constrictions caused by berms or dikes, points where the water velocity changes rapidly at rapids or falls, points where significant inflows occur at the confluence of rivers, or other factors that may restrict hydrologic interaction between the wetlands or parts of a single wetland.	✓	
Step 3	Delineate the boundary of the wetland to be rated such that all areas of interest that are contiguous to and within the areas where the hydrology does not change significantly, i.e. areas that have a high degree of hydrologic interaction are included within the scoring boundary.	✓	
Step 4	Determine if artificial boundaries, such as property lines, state lines, roads, railroad embankments, etc., are present. These should not be used to establish scoring boundaries unless they coincide with areas where the hydrologic regime changes.	✓	
Step 5	In all instances, the Rater may enlarge the minimum scoring boundaries discussed here to score together wetlands that could be scored separately.	✓	
Step 6	Consult ORAM Manual Section 5.0 for how to establish scoring boundaries for wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, divided by artificial boundaries, contiguous to streams, lakes or rivers, or for dual classifications.	✓	

End of Scoring Boundary Determination. Begin Narrative Rating on next page.

Narrative Rating

Wetland 1

INSTRUCTIONS. Answer each of the following questions. Questions 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be answered based on information obtained from the site visit or the literature *and* by submitting a Data Services Request to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Natural Areas and Preserves, Natural Heritage Data Services, 1889 Fountain Square Court, Building F-1, Columbus, Ohio 43224, 614-265-6453 (phone), 614-265-3096 (fax), <http://www.dnr.state.oh.us/dnap>. The remaining questions are designed to be answered primarily by the results of the site visit. Refer to the User's Manual for descriptions of these wetland types. Note: "Critical habitat" is legally defined in the Endangered Species Act and is the geographic area containing physical or biological features essential to the conservation of a listed species or as an area that may require special management considerations or protection. The Rater should contact the Region 3 Headquarters or the Columbus Ecological Services Office for updates as to whether critical habitat has been designated for other federally listed threatened or endangered species. "Documented" means the wetland is listed in the appropriate State of Ohio database.

#	Question	Circle one	
1	Critical Habitat. Is the wetland in a township, section, or subsection of a United States Geological Survey 7.5 minute Quadrangle that has been designated by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as "critical habitat" for any threatened or endangered plant or animal species? Note: as of January 1, 2001, of the federally listed endangered or threatened species which can be found in Ohio, the Indiana Bat has had critical habitat designated (50 CFR 17.95(a)) and the piping plover has had critical habitat proposed (65 FR 41812 July 6, 2000).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 2	NO Go to Question 2
2	Threatened or Endangered Species. Is the wetland known to contain an individual of, or documented occurrences of federal or state-listed threatened or endangered plant or animal species?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 3	NO Go to Question 3
3	Documented High Quality Wetland. Is the wetland on record in Natural Heritage Database as a high quality wetland?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 4	NO Go to Question 4
4	Significant Breeding or Concentration Area. Does the wetland contain documented regionally significant breeding or nonbreeding waterfowl, neotropical songbird, or shorebird concentration areas?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 5	NO Go to Question 5
5	Category 1 Wetlands. Is the wetland less than 0.5 hectares (1 acre) in size and hydrologically isolated and either 1) comprised of vegetation that is dominated (greater than eighty per cent areal cover) by <i>Phalaris arundinacea</i> , <i>Lythrum salicaria</i> , or <i>Phragmites australis</i> , or 2) an acidic pond created or excavated on mined lands that has little or no vegetation?	YES Wetland is a Category 1 wetland Go to Question 6	NO Go to Question 6
6	Bogs. Is the wetland a peat-accumulating wetland that 1) has no significant inflows or outflows, 2) supports acidophilic mosses, particularly <i>Sphagnum</i> spp., 3) the acidophilic mosses have >30% cover, 4) at least one species from Table 1 is present, and 5) the cover of invasive species (see Table 1) is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 7	NO Go to Question 7
7	Fens. Is the wetland a carbon accumulating (peat, muck) wetland that is saturated during most of the year, primarily by a discharge of free flowing, mineral rich, ground water with a circumneutral pH (5.5-9.0) and with one or more plant species listed in Table 1 and the cover of invasive species listed in Table 1 is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 8a	NO Go to Question 8a
8a	"Old Growth Forest." Is the wetland a forested wetland and is the forest characterized by, but not limited to, the following characteristics: overstory canopy trees of great age (exceeding at least 50% of a projected maximum attainable age for a species); little or no evidence of human-caused understory disturbance during the past 80 to 100 years; an all-aged structure and multilayered canopies; aggregations of canopy trees interspersed with canopy gaps; and significant numbers of standing dead snags and downed logs?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 8b	NO Go to Question 8b

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8b	Mature forested wetlands. Is the wetland a forested wetland with 50% or more of the cover of upper forest canopy consisting of deciduous trees with large diameters at breast height (dbh), generally diameters greater than 45cm (17.7in) dbh?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status. Go to Question 9a	NO Go to Question 9a
9a	Lake Erie coastal and tributary wetlands. Is the wetland located at an elevation less than 575 feet on the USGS map, adjacent to this elevation, or along a tributary to Lake Erie that is accessible to fish?	YES Go to Question 9b	NO Go to Question 10
9b	Does the wetland's hydrology result from measures designed to prevent erosion and the loss of aquatic plants, i.e. the wetland is partially hydrologically restricted from Lake Erie due to lakeward or landward dikes or other hydrological controls?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 9c
9c	Are Lake Erie water levels the wetland's primary hydrological influence, i.e. the wetland is hydrologically unrestricted (no lakeward or upland border alterations), or the wetland can be characterized as an "estuarine" wetland with lake and river influenced hydrology. These include sandbar deposition wetlands, estuarine wetlands, river mouth wetlands, or those dominated by submersed aquatic vegetation.	YES Go to Question 9d	NO Go to Question 10
9d	Does the wetland have a predominance of native species within its vegetation communities, although non-native or disturbance tolerant native species can also be present?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 9e
9e	Does the wetland have a predominance of non-native or disturbance tolerant native plant species within its vegetation communities?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 10
10	Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) Is the wetland located in Lucas, Fulton, Henry, or Wood Counties and can the wetland be characterized by the following description: the wetland has a sandy substrate with interspersed organic matter, a water table often within several inches of the surface, and often with a dominance of the gramineous vegetation listed in Table 1 (woody species may also be present). The Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Natural Areas and Preserves can provide assistance in confirming this type of wetland and its quality.	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 11	NO Go to Question 11
11	Relict Wet Prairies. Is the wetland a relict wet prairie community dominated by some or all of the species in Table 1. Extensive prairies were formerly located in the Darby Plains (Madison and Union Counties), Sandusky Plains (Wyandot, Crawford, and Marion Counties), northwest Ohio (e.g. Erie, Huron, Lucas, Wood Counties), and portions of western Ohio Counties (e.g. Darke, Mercer, Miami, Montgomery, Van Wert etc.).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Complete Quantitative Rating	NO Complete Quantitative Rating

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Table 1. Characteristic plant species.

invasive/exotic spp	fen species	bog species	Oak Opening species	wet prairie species
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	<i>Zygadenus elegans</i> var. <i>glaucus</i>	<i>Calla palustris</i>	<i>Carex cryptolepis</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>
<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	<i>Cacalia plantaginea</i>	<i>Carex atlantica</i> var. <i>capillacea</i>	<i>Carex lasiocarpa</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>
<i>Najas minor</i>	<i>Carex flava</i>	<i>Carex echinata</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex atherodes</i>
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	<i>Carex sterilis</i>	<i>Carex oligosperma</i>	<i>Cladium mariscoides</i>	<i>Carex buxbaumii</i>
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex trisperma</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>	<i>Carex pellita</i>
<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>	<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>	<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	<i>Carex sartwellii</i>
<i>Ranunculus ficaria</i>	<i>Eleocharis rostellata</i>	<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	<i>Quercus palustris</i>	<i>Gentiana andrewsii</i>
<i>Rhamnus frangula</i>	<i>Eriophorum viridicarinatum</i>	<i>Eriophorum virginicum</i>		<i>Helianthus grosseserratus</i>
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	<i>Gentianopsis</i> spp.	<i>Larix laricina</i>		<i>Liatris spicata</i>
<i>Typha xglauca</i>	<i>Lobelia kalmii</i>	<i>Nemopanthus mucronatus</i>		<i>Lysimachia quadriflora</i>
	<i>Parnassia glauca</i>	<i>Scheuchzeria palustris</i>		<i>Lythrum alatum</i>
	<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.		<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>
	<i>Rhamnus alnifolia</i>	<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>		<i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i>
	<i>Rhynchospora capillacea</i>	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>		<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>
	<i>Salix candida</i>	<i>Vaccinium oxycoccos</i>		<i>Spartina pectinata</i>
	<i>Salix myricoides</i>	<i>Woodwardia virginica</i>		<i>Solidago riddellii</i>
	<i>Salix serissima</i>	<i>Xyris difformis</i>		
	<i>Solidago ohioensis</i>			
	<i>Tofieldia glutinosa</i>			
	<i>Triglochin maritimum</i>			
	<i>Triglochin palustre</i>			

End of Narrative Rating. Begin Quantitative Rating on next page.

Site: <u>Wetland 1</u>	Rater(s): <u>AsK</u>	Date: <u>11/7/16</u>
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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)

3	3
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), shrub land, 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)

4	7
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 only one and assign score.

- ☐ >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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> ditch <input type="checkbox"/> tile <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> dike <input type="checkbox"/> weir <input type="checkbox"/> stormwater input	<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

4	11
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 type="checkbox"/> mowing <input type="checkbox"/> grazing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> clearcutting <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> selective cutting <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> woody debris removal <input type="checkbox"/> toxic pollutants	<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 type="checkbox"/> nutrient enrichment

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subtotal this page

Site: <u>Wetland</u>	Rater(s): <u>AK</u>	Date: <u>11/7/12</u>
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0	11
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 1 Qualitative Rating (-10)

1	12
max 20 pts.	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) Interspersion.

Select only one.

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

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer to 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/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 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 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 vegetation and is of high quality

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

low	Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or disturbance tolerant native species
mod	Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, 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
high	A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp 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

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End of Quantitative Rating. Complete Categorization Worksheets.

ORAM Summary Worksheet

Wetland 1

		circle answer or insert score	Result
Narrative Rating	Question 1 Critical Habitat	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 2. Threatened or Endangered Species	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 3. High Quality Natural Wetland	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 4. Significant bird habitat	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 5. Category 1 Wetlands	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 1.
	Question 6. Bogs	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 7. Fens	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8a. Old Growth Forest	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8b. Mature Forested Wetland	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9b. Lake Erie Wetlands - Restricted	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9d. Lake Erie Wetlands - Unrestricted with native plants	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3
	Question 9e. Lake Erie Wetlands - Unrestricted with invasive plants	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
Question 10. Oak Openings	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3	
Question 11. Relict Wet Prairies	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.	
Quantitative Rating	Metric 1. Size	6	
	Metric 2. Buffers and surrounding land use	3	
	Metric 3. Hydrology	4	
	Metric 4. Habitat	2	
	Metric 5. Special Wetland Communities	0	
	Metric 6. Plant communities, interspersed, microtopography	1	
	TOTAL SCORE	12	Category based on score breakpoints

Complete Wetland Categorization Worksheet.

Wetland Categorization Worksheet

Wetland 1

Choices	Circle one	Evaluation of Categorization Result of ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8a, 9d, 10	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 3 wetland	NO Is quantitative rating score <i>less</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>excluding</i> gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been over-categorized by the ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 1, 8b, 9b, 9e, 11	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status	NO Evaluate the wetland using the 1) narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and 2) the quantitative rating score. If the wetland is determined to be a Category 3 wetland using either of these, it should be categorized as a Category 3 wetland. Detailed biological and/or functional assessments may also be used to determine the wetland's category.
Did you answer "Yes" to Narrative Rating No. 5	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 1 wetland	NO Is quantitative rating score <i>greater</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>including</i> any gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been under-categorized by the ORAM
Does the quantitative score fall within the scoring range of a Category 1, 2, or 3 wetland?	YES Wetland is assigned to the appropriate category based on the scoring range	NO If the score of the wetland is located within the scoring range for a particular category, the wetland should be assigned to that category. In all instances however, the narrative criteria described in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) can be used to clarify or change a categorization based on a quantitative score.
Does the quantitative score fall with the "gray zone" for Category 1 or 2 or Category 2 or 3 wetlands?	YES Wetland is assigned to the higher of the two categories or assigned to a category based on detailed assessments and the narrative criteria	NO Rater has the option of assigning the wetland to the higher of the two categories or to assign a category based on the results of a nonrapid wetland assessment method, e.g. functional assessment, biological assessment, etc, and a consideration of the narrative criteria in OAC rule 3745-1-54(C).
Does the wetland otherwise exhibit <i>moderate</i> OR <i>superior</i> hydrologic OR habitat, OR recreational functions AND the wetland was <i>not</i> categorized as a Category 2 wetland (in the case of moderate functions) or a Category 3 wetland (in the case of superior functions) by this method?	YES Wetland was undercategorized by this method. A written justification for recategorization should be provided on Background Information Form	NO Wetland is assigned to category as determined by the ORAM. A wetland may be undercategorized using this method, but still exhibit one or more superior functions, e.g. a wetland's biotic communities may be degraded by human activities, but the wetland may still exhibit superior hydrologic functions because of its type, landscape position, size, local or regional significance, etc. In this circumstance, the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C)(2) and (3) are controlling, and the under-categorization should be corrected. A written justification with supporting reasons or information for this determination should be provided.

Final Category			
Choose one	Category 1	Category 2	Category 3

End of Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands.

Wetland 2

Version 5.0	Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands 10 Page Form for Wetland Categorization	
	Background Information Scoring Boundary Worksheet Narrative Rating Field Form Quantitative Rating ORAM Summary Worksheet Wetland Categorization Worksheet	Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water Final: February 1, 2001

Instructions

The investigator is *STRONGLY URGED* to read the Manual for Using the Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands for further elaboration and discussion of the questions below prior to using the rating forms.

The Narrative Rating is designed to categorize a wetland or to provide alerts to the Rater based on the presence or possible presence of threatened or endangered species. The presence or proximity of such species is often an indicator of the quality and lack of disturbance of the wetland being evaluated. In addition, it is designed to categorize certain wetlands as very low quality (Category 1) or very high quality (Category 3) regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating. In addition, the Narrative Rating also alerts the investigator that a particular wetland *may* be a Category 3 wetland, again, regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating.

It is *VERY IMPORTANT* to properly and thoroughly answer each of the questions in the ORAM in order to properly categorize a wetland. To *properly* answer all the questions, the boundaries of the wetland being assessed must be correctly identified. Refer to Scoring Boundary worksheet and the User's Manual for a discussion of how to determine the "scoring boundaries." In some instances, the scoring boundaries may differ from the "jurisdictional boundaries."

Refer to the most recent ORAM Score Calibration Report for the scoring breakpoints between wetland categories. The most recent version of this document is posted on Ohio EPA's Division of Surface Water web page at: <http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/wetlands/WetlandEcologySection.aspx>

Background Information

Wetland Z

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Name of Wetland:	Wetland Z
Vegetation Community(ies):	PEM
HGM Class(es):	depressional
Location of Wetland: include map, address, north arrow, landmarks, distances, roads, etc.	
Lat/Long or UTM Coordinate	39.387800°N, -82.174257°W
USGS Quad Name	Nelsonville
County	Athens
Township	T10N
Section and Subsection	331 T10N R14W
Hydrologic Unit Code	05030104
Site Visit	2/10/2017
National Wetland Inventory Map	PEM1A
Ohio Wetland Inventory Map	NA
Soil Survey	Udorthents, loamy
Delineation report/map	See Ecological Resources Inventory Report

Name of Wetland: <u>Wetland Z</u>	
Wetland Size (acres, hectares): <u>0.13 ac</u>	
Sketch: Include north arrow, relationship with other surface waters, vegetation zones, etc.	
Comments, Narrative Discussion, Justification of Category Changes:	
<p>See Ecological Resources Inventory Report</p>	
Final score : <u>24</u>	Category: <u>1</u>

Scoring Boundary Worksheet

Wetland 2

INSTRUCTIONS. The initial step in completing the ORAM is to identify the “scoring boundaries” of the wetland being rated. In many instances this determination will be relatively easy and the scoring boundaries will coincide with the “jurisdictional boundaries.” For example, the scoring boundary of an isolated cattail marsh located in the middle of a farm field will likely be the same as that wetland’s jurisdictional boundaries. In other instances, however, the scoring boundary will not be as easily determined. Wetlands that are small or isolated from other surface waters often form large contiguous areas or heterogeneous complexes of wetland and upland. In separating wetlands for scoring purposes, the hydrologic regime of the wetland is the main criterion that should be used. Boundaries between contiguous or connected wetlands should be established where the volume, flow, or velocity of water moving through the wetland changes significantly. *Areas with a high degree of hydrologic interaction should be scored as a single wetland.* In determining a wetland’s scoring boundaries, use the guidelines in the ORAM Manual Section 5.0. In certain instances, it may be difficult to establish the scoring boundary for the wetland being rated. These problem situations include wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, wetlands divided by artificial boundaries like property fences, roads, or railroad embankments, wetlands that are contiguous with streams, lakes, or rivers, and estuarine or coastal wetlands. These situations are discussed below, however, it is recommended that Rater contact Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water, 401/Wetlands Section if there are additional questions or a need for further clarification of the appropriate scoring boundaries of a particular wetland.

#	Steps in properly establishing scoring boundaries	done?	not applicable
Step 1	Identify the wetland area of interest. This may be the site of a proposed impact, a reference site, conservation site, etc.	✓	
Step 2	Identify the locations where there is physical evidence that hydrology changes rapidly. Such evidence includes both natural and human-induced changes including, constrictions caused by berms or dikes, points where the water velocity changes rapidly at rapids or falls, points where significant inflows occur at the confluence of rivers, or other factors that may restrict hydrologic interaction between the wetlands or parts of a single wetland.	✓	
Step 3	Delineate the boundary of the wetland to be rated such that all areas of interest that are contiguous to and within the areas where the hydrology does not change significantly, i.e. areas that have a high degree of hydrologic interaction are included within the scoring boundary.	✓	
Step 4	Determine if artificial boundaries, such as property lines, state lines, roads, railroad embankments, etc., are present. These should not be used to establish scoring boundaries unless they coincide with areas where the hydrologic regime changes.	✓	
Step 5	In all instances, the Rater may enlarge the minimum scoring boundaries discussed here to score together wetlands that could be scored separately.		✓
Step 6	Consult ORAM Manual Section 5.0 for how to establish scoring boundaries for wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, divided by artificial boundaries, contiguous to streams, lakes or rivers, or for dual classifications.	✓	

End of Scoring Boundary Determination. Begin Narrative Rating on next page.

Narrative Rating

Wetland 2

INSTRUCTIONS. Answer each of the following questions. Questions 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be answered based on information obtained from the site visit or the literature *and* by submitting a Data Services Request to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Natural Areas and Preserves, Natural Heritage Data Services, 1889 Fountain Square Court, Building F-1, Columbus, Ohio 43224, 614-265-6453 (phone), 614-265-3096 (fax), <http://www.dnr.state.oh.us/dnap>. The remaining questions are designed to be answered primarily by the results of the site visit. Refer to the User's Manual for descriptions of these wetland types. Note: "Critical habitat" is legally defined in the Endangered Species Act and is the geographic area containing physical or biological features essential to the conservation of a listed species or as an area that may require special management considerations or protection. The Rater should contact the Region 3 Headquarters or the Columbus Ecological Services Office for updates as to whether critical habitat has been designated for other federally listed threatened or endangered species. "Documented" means the wetland is listed in the appropriate State of Ohio database.

#	Question	Circle one	
1	Critical Habitat. Is the wetland in a township, section, or subsection of a United States Geological Survey 7.5 minute Quadrangle that has been designated by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as "critical habitat" for any threatened or endangered plant or animal species? Note: as of January 1, 2001, of the federally listed endangered or threatened species which can be found in Ohio, the Indiana Bat has had critical habitat designated (50 CFR 17.95(a)) and the piping plover has had critical habitat proposed (65 FR 41812 July 6, 2000).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 2	NO Go to Question 2
2	Threatened or Endangered Species. Is the wetland known to contain an individual of, or documented occurrences of federal or state-listed threatened or endangered plant or animal species?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 3	NO Go to Question 3
3	Documented High Quality Wetland. Is the wetland on record in Natural Heritage Database as a high quality wetland?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 4	NO Go to Question 4
4	Significant Breeding or Concentration Area. Does the wetland contain documented regionally significant breeding or nonbreeding waterfowl, neotropical songbird, or shorebird concentration areas?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 5	NO Go to Question 5
5	Category 1 Wetlands. Is the wetland less than 0.5 hectares (1 acre) in size and hydrologically isolated and either 1) comprised of vegetation that is dominated (greater than eighty per cent areal cover) by <i>Phalaris arundinacea</i> , <i>Lythrum salicaria</i> , or <i>Phragmites australis</i> , or 2) an acidic pond created or excavated on mined lands that has little or no vegetation?	YES Wetland is a Category 1 wetland Go to Question 6	NO Go to Question 6
6	Bogs. Is the wetland a peat-accumulating wetland that 1) has no significant inflows or outflows, 2) supports acidophilic mosses, particularly <i>Sphagnum</i> spp., 3) the acidophilic mosses have >30% cover, 4) at least one species from Table 1 is present, and 5) the cover of invasive species (see Table 1) is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 7	NO Go to Question 7
7	Fens. Is the wetland a carbon accumulating (peat, muck) wetland that is saturated during most of the year, primarily by a discharge of free flowing, mineral rich, ground water with a circumneutral pH (5.5-9.0) and with one or more plant species listed in Table 1 and the cover of invasive species listed in Table 1 is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 8a	NO Go to Question 8a
8a	"Old Growth Forest." Is the wetland a forested wetland and is the forest characterized by, but not limited to, the following characteristics: overstory canopy trees of great age (exceeding at least 50% of a projected maximum attainable age for a species); little or no evidence of human-caused understory disturbance during the past 80 to 100 years; an all-aged structure and multilayered canopies; aggregations of canopy trees interspersed with canopy gaps; and significant numbers of standing dead snags and downed logs?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 8b	NO Go to Question 8b

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8b	Mature forested wetlands. Is the wetland a forested wetland with 50% or more of the cover of upper forest canopy consisting of deciduous trees with large diameters at breast height (dbh), generally diameters greater than 45cm (17.7in) dbh?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status. Go to Question 9a	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 9a
9a	Lake Erie coastal and tributary wetlands. Is the wetland located at an elevation less than 575 feet on the USGS map, adjacent to this elevation, or along a tributary to Lake Erie that is accessible to fish?	YES Go to Question 9b	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 10
9b	Does the wetland's hydrology result from measures designed to prevent erosion and the loss of aquatic plants, i.e. the wetland is partially hydrologically restricted from Lake Erie due to lakeward or landward dikes or other hydrological controls?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 9c
9c	Are Lake Erie water levels the wetland's primary hydrological influence, i.e. the wetland is hydrologically unrestricted (no lakeward or upland border alterations), or the wetland can be characterized as an "estuarine" wetland with lake and river influenced hydrology. These include sandbar deposition wetlands, estuarine wetlands, river mouth wetlands, or those dominated by submersed aquatic vegetation.	YES Go to Question 9d	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 10
9d	Does the wetland have a predominance of native species within its vegetation communities, although non-native or disturbance tolerant native species can also be present?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 10	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 9e
9e	Does the wetland have a predominance of non-native or disturbance tolerant native plant species within its vegetation communities?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 10
10	Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) Is the wetland located in Lucas, Fulton, Henry, or Wood Counties and can the wetland be characterized by the following description: the wetland has a sandy substrate with interspersed organic matter, a water table often within several inches of the surface, and often with a dominance of the gramineous vegetation listed in Table 1 (woody species may also be present). The Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Natural Areas and Preserves can provide assistance in confirming this type of wetland and its quality.	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 11	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 11
11	Relict Wet Prairies. Is the wetland a relict wet prairie community dominated by some or all of the species in Table 1. Extensive prairies were formerly located in the Darby Plains (Madison and Union Counties), Sandusky Plains (Wyandot, Crawford, and Marion Counties), northwest Ohio (e.g. Erie, Huron, Lucas, Wood Counties), and portions of western Ohio Counties (e.g. Darke, Mercer, Miami, Montgomery, Van Wert etc.).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Complete Quantitative Rating	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Complete Quantitative Rating

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Table 1. Characteristic plant species.

invasive/exotic spp	fen species	bog species	Oak Opening species	wet prairie species
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	<i>Zygadenus elegans</i> var. <i>glaucus</i>	<i>Calla palustris</i>	<i>Carex cryptolepis</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>
<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	<i>Cacalia plantaginea</i>	<i>Carex atlantica</i> var. <i>capillacea</i>	<i>Carex lasiocarpa</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>
<i>Najas minor</i>	<i>Carex flava</i>	<i>Carex echinata</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex atherodes</i>
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	<i>Carex sterilis</i>	<i>Carex oligosperma</i>	<i>Cladium mariscoides</i>	<i>Carex buxbaumii</i>
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex trisperma</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>	<i>Carex pellita</i>
<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>	<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>	<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	<i>Carex sartwellii</i>
<i>Ranunculus ficaria</i>	<i>Eleocharis rostellata</i>	<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	<i>Quercus palustris</i>	<i>Gentiana andrewsii</i>
<i>Rhamnus frangula</i>	<i>Eriophorum viridicarinarum</i>	<i>Eriophorum virginicum</i>		<i>Helianthus grosseserratus</i>
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	<i>Gentianopsis</i> spp.	<i>Larix laricina</i>		<i>Liatris spicata</i>
<i>Typha xglauca</i>	<i>Lobelia kalmii</i>	<i>Nemopanthus mucronatus</i>		<i>Lysimachia quadriflora</i>
	<i>Parnassia glauca</i>	<i>Scheuchzeria palustris</i>		<i>Lythrum alatum</i>
	<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.		<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>
	<i>Rhamnus alnifolia</i>	<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>		<i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i>
	<i>Rhynchospora capillacea</i>	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>		<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>
	<i>Salix candida</i>	<i>Vaccinium oxycoccos</i>		<i>Spartina pectinata</i>
	<i>Salix myricoides</i>	<i>Woodwardia virginica</i>		<i>Solidago riddellii</i>
	<i>Salix serissima</i>	<i>Xyris difformis</i>		
	<i>Solidago ohioensis</i>			
	<i>Tofieldia glutinosa</i>			
	<i>Triglochin maritimum</i>			
	<i>Triglochin palustre</i>			

End of Narrative Rating. Begin Quantitative Rating on next page.

Site: <u>Wetland 2</u>	Rater(s): <u>JN/KB</u>	Date: <u>10 FEB 2017</u>
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1	1
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)

5	6
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), shrub land, 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)

11	17
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 only one and assign score.

- ☐ >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"/> tile <input type="checkbox"/> dike <input type="checkbox"/> weir <input type="checkbox"/> stormwater input	<input type="checkbox"/> point source (nonstormwater) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> filling/grading <input type="checkbox"/> road bed/RR track <input type="checkbox"/> dredging <input type="checkbox"/> other _____

5	22
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 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	<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 type="checkbox"/> nutrient enrichment

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0	22
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 1 Qualitative Rating (-10)

2	24
max 20 pts.	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) Interspersion.

Select only one.

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

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer to 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/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 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 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 vegetation and is of high quality

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

low	Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or disturbance tolerant native species
mod	Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, 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
high	A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp 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

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End of Quantitative Rating. Complete Categorization Worksheets.

ORAM Summary Worksheet

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		circle answer or insert score	Result
Narrative Rating	Question 1 Critical Habitat	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 2. Threatened or Endangered Species	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 3. High Quality Natural Wetland	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 4. Significant bird habitat	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 5. Category 1 Wetlands	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 1.
	Question 6. Bogs	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 7. Fens	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8a. Old Growth Forest	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8b. Mature Forested Wetland	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9b. Lake Erie Wetlands - Restricted	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9d. Lake Erie Wetlands - Unrestricted with native plants	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3
	Question 9e. Lake Erie Wetlands - Unrestricted with invasive plants	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
Question 10. Oak Openings	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3	
Question 11. Relict Wet Prairies	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.	
Quantitative Rating	Metric 1. Size	1	
	Metric 2. Buffers and surrounding land use	5	
	Metric 3. Hydrology	11	
	Metric 4. Habitat	5	
	Metric 5. Special Wetland Communities	0	
	Metric 6. Plant communities, interspersed, microtopography	2	
	TOTAL SCORE	24	Category based on score breakpoints 1

Complete Wetland Categorization Worksheet.

Wetland Categorization Worksheet

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Choices	Circle one	Evaluation of Categorization Result of ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8a, 9d, 10	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 3 wetland	NO Is quantitative rating score <i>less</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>excluding</i> gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been over-categorized by the ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 1, 8b, 9b, 9e, 11	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status	NO Evaluate the wetland using the 1) narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and 2) the quantitative rating score. If the wetland is determined to be a Category 3 wetland using either of these, it should be categorized as a Category 3 wetland. Detailed biological and/or functional assessments may also be used to determine the wetland's category.
Did you answer "Yes" to Narrative Rating No. 5	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 1 wetland	NO Is quantitative rating score <i>greater</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>including</i> any gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been under-categorized by the ORAM
Does the quantitative score fall within the scoring range of a Category 1, 2, or 3 wetland?	YES Wetland is assigned to the appropriate category based on the scoring range	NO If the score of the wetland is located within the scoring range for a particular category, the wetland should be assigned to that category. In all instances however, the narrative criteria described in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) can be used to clarify or change a categorization based on a quantitative score.
Does the quantitative score fall with the "gray zone" for Category 1 or 2 or Category 2 or 3 wetlands?	YES Wetland is assigned to the higher of the two categories or assigned to a category based on detailed assessments and the narrative criteria	NO Rater has the option of assigning the wetland to the higher of the two categories or to assign a category based on the results of a nonrapid wetland assessment method, e.g. functional assessment, biological assessment, etc. and a consideration of the narrative criteria in OAC rule 3745-1-54(C).
Does the wetland otherwise exhibit <i>moderate OR superior</i> hydrologic OR habitat, OR recreational functions AND the wetland was <i>not</i> categorized as a Category 2 wetland (in the case of moderate functions) or a Category 3 wetland (in the case of superior functions) by this method?	YES Wetland was undercategorized by this method. A written justification for recategorization should be provided on Background Information Form	NO Wetland is assigned to category as determined by the ORAM. A wetland may be undercategorized using this method, but still exhibit one or more superior functions, e.g. a wetland's biotic communities may be degraded by human activities, but the wetland may still exhibit superior hydrologic functions because of its type, landscape position, size, local or regional significance, etc. In this circumstance, the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C)(2) and (3) are controlling, and the under-categorization should be corrected. A written justification with supporting reasons or information for this determination should be provided.

Final Category			
Choose one	Category 1	Category 2	Category 3

End of Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands.

Wetland 3

Version 5.0	Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands 10 Page Form for Wetland Categorization	
	Background Information Scoring Boundary Worksheet Narrative Rating Field Form Quantitative Rating ORAM Summary Worksheet Wetland Categorization Worksheet	Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water Final: February 1, 2001

Instructions

The investigator is *STRONGLY URGED* to read the Manual for Using the Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands for further elaboration and discussion of the questions below prior to using the rating forms.

The Narrative Rating is designed to categorize a wetland or to provide alerts to the Rater based on the presence or possible presence of threatened or endangered species. The presence or proximity of such species is often an indicator of the quality and lack of disturbance of the wetland being evaluated. In addition, it is designed to categorize certain wetlands as very low quality (Category 1) or very high quality (Category 3) regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating. In addition, the Narrative Rating also alerts the investigator that a particular wetland *may* be a Category 3 wetland, again, regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating.

It is *VERY IMPORTANT* to properly and thoroughly answer each of the questions in the ORAM in order to properly categorize a wetland. To *properly* answer all the questions, the boundaries of the wetland being assessed must be correctly identified. Refer to Scoring Boundary worksheet and the User's Manual for a discussion of how to determine the "scoring boundaries." In some instances, the scoring boundaries may differ from the "jurisdictional boundaries."

Refer to the most recent ORAM Score Calibration Report for the scoring breakpoints between wetland categories. The most recent version of this document is posted on Ohio EPA's Division of Surface Water web page at: <http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/wetlands/WetlandEcologySection.aspx>

Background Information

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Name of Wetland:	Wetland 3
Vegetation Community(ies):	PEM
HGM Class(es):	depressional
Location of Wetland: include map, address, north arrow, landmarks, distances, roads, etc.	
Lat/Long or UTM Coordinate	39.380206°N, -82.171668°W
USGS Quad Name	Nelsonville
County	Athena
Township	T11N
Section and Subsection	SE T11N R15W
Hydrologic Unit Code	05030204
Site Visit	2/10/2017
National Wetland Inventory Map	NA
Ohio Wetland Inventory Map	NA
Soil Survey	DeKalb-Westmoreland Complex, 40-70% slopes
Delineation report/map	See Ecological Resources Inventory Report

Name of Wetland: <u>Wetland 3</u>	
Wetland Size (acres, hectares): <u>0.02 ac</u>	
Sketch: Include north arrow, relationship with other surface waters, vegetation zones, etc.	
Comments, Narrative Discussion, Justification of Category Changes:	
Final score :	<div>31</div> <div>Category: 2</div>

Scoring Boundary Worksheet

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INSTRUCTIONS. The initial step in completing the ORAM is to identify the “scoring boundaries” of the wetland being rated. In many instances this determination will be relatively easy and the scoring boundaries will coincide with the “jurisdictional boundaries.” For example, the scoring boundary of an isolated cattail marsh located in the middle of a farm field will likely be the same as that wetland’s jurisdictional boundaries. In other instances, however, the scoring boundary will not be as easily determined. Wetlands that are small or isolated from other surface waters often form large contiguous areas or heterogeneous complexes of wetland and upland. In separating wetlands for scoring purposes, the hydrologic regime of the wetland is the main criterion that should be used. Boundaries between contiguous or connected wetlands should be established where the volume, flow, or velocity of water moving through the wetland changes significantly. *Areas with a high degree of hydrologic interaction should be scored as a single wetland.* In determining a wetland’s scoring boundaries, use the guidelines in the ORAM Manual Section 5.0. In certain instances, it may be difficult to establish the scoring boundary for the wetland being rated. These problem situations include wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, wetlands divided by artificial boundaries like property fences, roads, or railroad embankments, wetlands that are contiguous with streams, lakes, or rivers, and estuarine or coastal wetlands. These situations are discussed below, however, it is recommended that Rater contact Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water, 401/Wetlands Section if there are additional questions or a need for further clarification of the appropriate scoring boundaries of a particular wetland.

#	Steps in properly establishing scoring boundaries	done?	not applicable
Step 1	Identify the wetland area of interest. This may be the site of a proposed impact, a reference site, conservation site, etc.	✓	
Step 2	Identify the locations where there is physical evidence that hydrology changes rapidly. Such evidence includes both natural and human-induced changes including, constrictions caused by berms or dikes, points where the water velocity changes rapidly at rapids or falls, points where significant inflows occur at the confluence of rivers, or other factors that may restrict hydrologic interaction between the wetlands or parts of a single wetland.	✓	
Step 3	Delineate the boundary of the wetland to be rated such that all areas of interest that are contiguous to and within the areas where the hydrology does not change significantly, i.e. areas that have a high degree of hydrologic interaction are included within the scoring boundary.	✓	
Step 4	Determine if artificial boundaries, such as property lines, state lines, roads, railroad embankments, etc., are present. These should not be used to establish scoring boundaries unless they coincide with areas where the hydrologic regime changes.	✓	
Step 5	In all instances, the Rater may enlarge the minimum scoring boundaries discussed here to score together wetlands that could be scored separately.		✓
Step 6	Consult ORAM Manual Section 5.0 for how to establish scoring boundaries for wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, divided by artificial boundaries, contiguous to streams, lakes or rivers, or for dual classifications.	✓	

End of Scoring Boundary Determination. Begin Narrative Rating on next page.

Narrative Rating

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INSTRUCTIONS. Answer each of the following questions. Questions 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be answered based on information obtained from the site visit or the literature *and* by submitting a Data Services Request to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Natural Areas and Preserves, Natural Heritage Data Services, 1889 Fountain Square Court, Building F-1, Columbus, Ohio 43224, 614-265-6453 (phone), 614-265-3096 (fax), <http://www.dnr.state.oh.us/dnap>. The remaining questions are designed to be answered primarily by the results of the site visit. Refer to the User's Manual for descriptions of these wetland types. Note: "Critical habitat" is legally defined in the Endangered Species Act and is the geographic area containing physical or biological features essential to the conservation of a listed species or as an area that may require special management considerations or protection. The Rater should contact the Region 3 Headquarters or the Columbus Ecological Services Office for updates as to whether critical habitat has been designated for other federally listed threatened or endangered species. "Documented" means the wetland is listed in the appropriate State of Ohio database.

#	Question	Circle one	
1	Critical Habitat. Is the wetland in a township, section, or subsection of a United States Geological Survey 7.5 minute Quadrangle that has been designated by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as "critical habitat" for any threatened or endangered plant or animal species? Note: as of January 1, 2001, of the federally listed endangered or threatened species which can be found in Ohio, the Indiana Bat has had critical habitat designated (50 CFR 17.95(a)) and the piping plover has had critical habitat proposed (65 FR 41812 July 6, 2000).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 2	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 2
2	Threatened or Endangered Species. Is the wetland known to contain an individual of, or documented occurrences of federal or state-listed threatened or endangered plant or animal species?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 3	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 3
3	Documented High Quality Wetland. Is the wetland on record in Natural Heritage Database as a high quality wetland?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 4	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 4
4	Significant Breeding or Concentration Area. Does the wetland contain documented regionally significant breeding or nonbreeding waterfowl, neotropical songbird, or shorebird concentration areas?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 5	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 5
5	Category 1 Wetlands. Is the wetland less than 0.5 hectares (1 acre) in size and hydrologically isolated and either 1) comprised of vegetation that is dominated (greater than eighty per cent areal cover) by <i>Phalaris arundinacea</i> , <i>Lythrum salicaria</i> , or <i>Phragmites australis</i> , or 2) an acidic pond created or excavated on mined lands that has little or no vegetation?	YES Wetland is a Category 1 wetland Go to Question 6	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 6
6	Bogs. Is the wetland a peat-accumulating wetland that 1) has no significant inflows or outflows, 2) supports acidophilic mosses, particularly <i>Sphagnum</i> spp., 3) the acidophilic mosses have >30% cover, 4) at least one species from Table 1 is present, and 5) the cover of invasive species (see Table 1) is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 7	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 7
7	Fens. Is the wetland a carbon accumulating (peat, muck) wetland that is saturated during most of the year, primarily by a discharge of free flowing, mineral rich, ground water with a circumneutral pH (5.5-9.0) and with one or more plant species listed in Table 1 and the cover of invasive species listed in Table 1 is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 8a	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 8a
8a	"Old Growth Forest." Is the wetland a forested wetland and is the forest characterized by, but not limited to, the following characteristics: overstory canopy trees of great age (exceeding at least 50% of a projected maximum attainable age for a species); little or no evidence of human-caused understory disturbance during the past 80 to 100 years; an all-aged structure and multilayered canopies; aggregations of canopy trees interspersed with canopy gaps; and significant numbers of standing dead snags and downed logs?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 8b	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 8b

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8b	Mature forested wetlands. Is the wetland a forested wetland with 50% or more of the cover of upper forest canopy consisting of deciduous trees with large diameters at breast height (dbh), generally diameters greater than 45cm (17.7in) dbh?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status. Go to Question 9a	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 9a
9a	Lake Erie coastal and tributary wetlands. Is the wetland located at an elevation less than 575 feet on the USGS map, adjacent to this elevation, or along a tributary to Lake Erie that is accessible to fish?	YES Go to Question 9b	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 10
9b	Does the wetland's hydrology result from measures designed to prevent erosion and the loss of aquatic plants, i.e. the wetland is partially hydrologically restricted from Lake Erie due to lakeward or landward dikes or other hydrological controls?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 9c
9c	Are Lake Erie water levels the wetland's primary hydrological influence, i.e. the wetland is hydrologically unrestricted (no lakeward or upland border alterations), or the wetland can be characterized as an "estuarine" wetland with lake and river influenced hydrology. These include sandbar deposition wetlands, estuarine wetlands, river mouth wetlands, or those dominated by submersed aquatic vegetation.	YES Go to Question 9d	NO Go to Question 10
9d	Does the wetland have a predominance of native species within its vegetation communities, although non-native or disturbance tolerant native species can also be present?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 9e
9e	Does the wetland have a predominance of non-native or disturbance tolerant native plant species within its vegetation communities?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 10
10	Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) Is the wetland located in Lucas, Fulton, Henry, or Wood Counties and can the wetland be characterized by the following description: the wetland has a sandy substrate with interspersed organic matter, a water table often within several inches of the surface, and often with a dominance of the gramineous vegetation listed in Table 1 (woody species may also be present). The Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Natural Areas and Preserves can provide assistance in confirming this type of wetland and its quality.	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 11	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 11
11	Relict Wet Prairies. Is the wetland a relict wet prairie community dominated by some or all of the species in Table 1. Extensive prairies were formerly located in the Darby Plains (Madison and Union Counties), Sandusky Plains (Wyandot, Crawford, and Marion Counties), northwest Ohio (e.g. Erie, Huron, Lucas, Wood Counties), and portions of western Ohio Counties (e.g. Darke, Mercer, Miami, Montgomery, Van Wert etc.).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Complete Quantitative Rating	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Complete Quantitative Rating

Table 1. Characteristic plant species.

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invasive/exotic spp	fen species	bog species	Oak Opening species	wet prairie species
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	<i>Zygadenus elegans</i> var. <i>glaucus</i>	<i>Calla palustris</i>	<i>Carex cryptolepis</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>
<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	<i>Cacalia plantaginea</i>	<i>Carex atlantica</i> var. <i>capillacea</i>	<i>Carex lasiocarpa</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>
<i>Najas minor</i>	<i>Carex flava</i>	<i>Carex echinata</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex atherodes</i>
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	<i>Carex sterilis</i>	<i>Carex oligosperma</i>	<i>Cladium mariscoides</i>	<i>Carex buxbaumii</i>
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex trisperma</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>	<i>Carex pellita</i>
<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>	<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>	<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	<i>Carex sartwellii</i>
<i>Ranunculus ficaria</i>	<i>Eleocharis rostellata</i>	<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	<i>Quercus palustris</i>	<i>Gentiana andrewsii</i>
<i>Rhamnus frangula</i>	<i>Eriophorum viridicaratum</i>	<i>Eriophorum virginicum</i>		<i>Helianthus grosseserratus</i>
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	<i>Gentianopsis</i> spp.	<i>Larix laricina</i>		<i>Liatris spicata</i>
<i>Typha xglauca</i>	<i>Lobelia kalmii</i>	<i>Nemopanthus mucronatus</i>		<i>Lysimachia quadriflora</i>
	<i>Parnassia glauca</i>	<i>Scheuchzeria palustris</i>		<i>Lythrum alatum</i>
	<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.		<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>
	<i>Rhamnus alnifolia</i>	<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>		<i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i>
	<i>Rhynchospora capillacea</i>	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>		<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>
	<i>Salix candida</i>	<i>Vaccinium oxycoccos</i>		<i>Spartina pectinata</i>
	<i>Salix myricoides</i>	<i>Woodwardia virginica</i>		<i>Solidago riddellii</i>
	<i>Salix serissima</i>	<i>Xyris difformis</i>		
	<i>Solidago ohioensis</i>			
	<i>Tofieldia glutinosa</i>			
	<i>Triglochin maritimum</i>			
	<i>Triglochin palustre</i>			

End of Narrative Rating. Begin Quantitative Rating on next page.

Site: Wetland 3	Rater(s): SN KB	Date: 2/10/2017
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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)

11	11
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), shrub land, 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)

9	20
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 only one and assign score.

- ☐ >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

- ☐ ditch
☐ tile
☐ dike
☐ weir
☐ stormwater input

- ☐ point source (nonstormwater)
☐ filling/grading
☐ road bed/RR track
☐ dredging
☐ other

9	29
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

- ☐ mowing
☐ grazing
☐ clearcutting
☐ selective cutting
☐ woody debris removal
☐ toxic pollutants

- ☐ shrub/sapling removal
☐ herbaceous/aquatic bed removal
☐ sedimentation
☐ dredging
☐ farming
☐ nutrient enrichment

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subtotal this page

Site: <u>Wetland 3</u>	Rater(s): <u>SN KB</u>	Date: <u>10 FEB 2017</u>
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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 1 Qualitative Rating (-10)

2	31
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max 20 pts.

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) Interspersion.

Select only one.

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

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer to 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/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 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 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 vegetation and is of high quality

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

low	Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or disturbance tolerant native species
mod	Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, 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
high	A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp 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

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End of Quantitative Rating. Complete Categorization Worksheets.

ORAM Summary Worksheet

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		circle answer or insert score	Result
Narrative Rating	Question 1 Critical Habitat	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 2. Threatened or Endangered Species	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 3. High Quality Natural Wetland	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 4. Significant bird habitat	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 5. Category 1 Wetlands	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 1.
	Question 6. Bogs	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 7. Fens	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8a. Old Growth Forest	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8b. Mature Forested Wetland	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9b. Lake Erie Wetlands - Restricted	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9d. Lake Erie Wetlands - Unrestricted with native plants	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3
	Question 9e. Lake Erie Wetlands - Unrestricted with invasive plants	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
Question 10. Oak Openings	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, Category 3	
Question 11. Relict Wet Prairies	YES <input checked="" type="radio"/> NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.	
Quantitative Rating	Metric 1. Size	0	
	Metric 2. Buffers and surrounding land use	11	
	Metric 3. Hydrology	9	
	Metric 4. Habitat	9	
	Metric 5. Special Wetland Communities	0	
	Metric 6. Plant communities, interspersion, microtopography	2	
	TOTAL SCORE	31	Category based on score breakpoints 1 or 2 gray zone

Complete Wetland Categorization Worksheet.

Wetland Categorization Worksheet

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Choices	Circle one	Evaluation of Categorization Result of ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8a, 9d, 10	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 3 wetland	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Is quantitative rating score <i>less</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>excluding</i> gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been over-categorized by the ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 1, 8b, 9b, 9e, 11	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Evaluate the wetland using the 1) narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and 2) the quantitative rating score. If the wetland is determined to be a Category 3 wetland using either of these, it should be categorized as a Category 3 wetland. Detailed biological and/or functional assessments may also be used to determine the wetland's category.
Did you answer "Yes" to Narrative Rating No. 5	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 1 wetland	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Is quantitative rating score <i>greater</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>including</i> any gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been under-categorized by the ORAM
Does the quantitative score fall within the scoring range of a Category 1, 2, or 3 wetland?	YES Wetland is assigned to the appropriate category based on the scoring range	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO If the score of the wetland is located within the scoring range for a particular category, the wetland should be assigned to that category. In all instances however, the narrative criteria described in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) can be used to clarify or change a categorization based on a quantitative score.
Does the quantitative score fall with the "gray zone" for Category 1 or 2 or Category 2 or 3 wetlands?	YES Wetland is assigned to the higher of the two categories or assigned to a category based on detailed assessments and the narrative criteria	NO Rater has the option of assigning the wetland to the higher of the two categories or to assign a category based on the results of a nonrapid wetland assessment method, e.g. functional assessment, biological assessment, etc. and a consideration of the narrative criteria in OAC rule 3745-1-54(C).
Does the wetland otherwise exhibit <i>moderate</i> OR <i>superior</i> hydrologic OR habitat, OR recreational functions AND the wetland was <i>not</i> categorized as a Category 2 wetland (in the case of moderate functions) or a Category 3 wetland (in the case of superior functions) by this method?	YES Wetland was undercategorized by this method. A written justification for recategorization should be provided on Background Information Form	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Wetland is assigned to category as determined by the ORAM. A wetland may be undercategorized using this method, but still exhibit one or more superior functions, e.g. a wetland's biotic communities may be degraded by human activities, but the wetland may still exhibit superior hydrologic functions because of its type, landscape position, size, local or regional significance, etc. In this circumstance, the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C)(2) and (3) are controlling, and the under-categorization should be corrected. A written justification with supporting reasons or information for this determination should be provided.

Final Category			
Choose one	Category 1	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Category 2	Category 3

End of Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands.

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Version 5.0	Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands 10 Page Form for Wetland Categorization	
	Background Information Scoring Boundary Worksheet Narrative Rating Field Form Quantitative Rating ORAM Summary Worksheet Wetland Categorization Worksheet	Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water Final: February 1, 2001

Instructions

The investigator is *STRONGLY URGED* to read the Manual for Using the Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands for further elaboration and discussion of the questions below prior to using the rating forms.

The Narrative Rating is designed to categorize a wetland or to provide alerts to the Rater based on the presence or possible presence of threatened or endangered species. The presence or proximity of such species is often an indicator of the quality and lack of disturbance of the wetland being evaluated. In addition, it is designed to categorize certain wetlands as very low quality (Category 1) or very high quality (Category 3) regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating. In addition, the Narrative Rating also alerts the investigator that a particular wetland *may* be a Category 3 wetland, again, regardless of the wetland's score on the Quantitative Rating.

It is *VERY IMPORTANT* to properly and thoroughly answer each of the questions in the ORAM in order to properly categorize a wetland. To *properly* answer all the questions, the boundaries of the wetland being assessed must be correctly identified. Refer to Scoring Boundary worksheet and the User's Manual for a discussion of how to determine the "scoring boundaries." In some instances, the scoring boundaries may differ from the "jurisdictional boundaries."

Refer to the most recent ORAM Score Calibration Report for the scoring breakpoints between wetland categories. The most recent version of this document is posted on Ohio EPA's Division of Surface Water web page at: <http://www.epa.ohio.gov/dsw/wetlands/WetlandEcologySection.aspx>

Background Information

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Name of Wetland:	Wetland 4
Vegetation Community(ies):	PEM
HGM Class(es):	depressional
Location of Wetland: include map, address, north arrow, landmarks, distances, roads, etc.	
Lat/Long or UTM Coordinate	39.378314°N, -82.176999°W
USGS Quad Name	Nelsonville
County	Athens
Township	T11N
Section and Subsection	56 T11N R15W
Hydrologic Unit Code	05030204
Site Visit	2/10/2017
National Wetland Inventory Map	NA
Ohio Wetland Inventory Map	NA
Soil Survey	Chagrin silt loam, 0-3% slopes frequently flooded
Delineation report/map	See Ecological Resources Inventory Report

Name of Wetland: <u>Wetland 4</u>		
Wetland Size (acres, hectares): <u>0.20ac</u>		
Sketch: Include north arrow, relationship with other surface waters, vegetation zones, etc.		
Comments, Narrative Discussion, Justification of Category Changes:		
Final score :	<u>37.5</u>	Category: <u>2</u>

Scoring Boundary Worksheet

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INSTRUCTIONS. The initial step in completing the ORAM is to identify the “scoring boundaries” of the wetland being rated. In many instances this determination will be relatively easy and the scoring boundaries will coincide with the “jurisdictional boundaries.” For example, the scoring boundary of an isolated cattail marsh located in the middle of a farm field will likely be the same as that wetland’s jurisdictional boundaries. In other instances, however, the scoring boundary will not be as easily determined. Wetlands that are small or isolated from other surface waters often form large contiguous areas or heterogeneous complexes of wetland and upland. In separating wetlands for scoring purposes, the hydrologic regime of the wetland is the main criterion that should be used. Boundaries between contiguous or connected wetlands should be established where the volume, flow, or velocity of water moving through the wetland changes significantly. *Areas with a high degree of hydrologic interaction should be scored as a single wetland.* In determining a wetland’s scoring boundaries, use the guidelines in the ORAM Manual Section 5.0. In certain instances, it may be difficult to establish the scoring boundary for the wetland being rated. These problem situations include wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, wetlands divided by artificial boundaries like property fences, roads, or railroad embankments, wetlands that are contiguous with streams, lakes, or rivers, and estuarine or coastal wetlands. These situations are discussed below, however, it is recommended that Rater contact Ohio EPA, Division of Surface Water, 401/Wetlands Section if there are additional questions or a need for further clarification of the appropriate scoring boundaries of a particular wetland.

#	Steps in properly establishing scoring boundaries	done?	not applicable
Step 1	Identify the wetland area of interest. This may be the site of a proposed impact, a reference site, conservation site, etc.	✓	
Step 2	Identify the locations where there is physical evidence that hydrology changes rapidly. Such evidence includes both natural and human-induced changes including, constrictions caused by berms or dikes, points where the water velocity changes rapidly at rapids or falls, points where significant inflows occur at the confluence of rivers, or other factors that may restrict hydrologic interaction between the wetlands or parts of a single wetland.	✓	
Step 3	Delineate the boundary of the wetland to be rated such that all areas of interest that are contiguous to and within the areas where the hydrology does not change significantly, i.e. areas that have a high degree of hydrologic interaction are included within the scoring boundary.	✓	
Step 4	Determine if artificial boundaries, such as property lines, state lines, roads, railroad embankments, etc., are present. These should not be used to establish scoring boundaries unless they coincide with areas where the hydrologic regime changes.	✓	
Step 5	In all instances, the Rater may enlarge the minimum scoring boundaries discussed here to score together wetlands that could be scored separately.		✓
Step 6	Consult ORAM Manual Section 5.0 for how to establish scoring boundaries for wetlands that form a patchwork on the landscape, divided by artificial boundaries, contiguous to streams, lakes or rivers, or for dual classifications.	✓	

End of Scoring Boundary Determination. Begin Narrative Rating on next page.

Narrative Rating

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INSTRUCTIONS. Answer each of the following questions. Questions 1, 2, 3 and 4 should be answered based on information obtained from the site visit or the literature *and* by submitting a Data Services Request to the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Natural Areas and Preserves, Natural Heritage Data Services, 1889 Fountain Square Court, Building F-1, Columbus, Ohio 43224, 614-265-6453 (phone), 614-265-3096 (fax), <http://www.dnr.state.oh.us/dnap>. The remaining questions are designed to be answered primarily by the results of the site visit. Refer to the User's Manual for descriptions of these wetland types. Note: "Critical habitat" is legally defined in the Endangered Species Act and is the geographic area containing physical or biological features essential to the conservation of a listed species or as an area that may require special management considerations or protection. The Rater should contact the Region 3 Headquarters or the Columbus Ecological Services Office for updates as to whether critical habitat has been designated for other federally listed threatened or endangered species. "Documented" means the wetland is listed in the appropriate State of Ohio database.

#	Question	Circle one	
1	Critical Habitat. Is the wetland in a township, section, or subsection of a United States Geological Survey 7.5 minute Quadrangle that has been designated by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service as "critical habitat" for any threatened or endangered plant or animal species? Note: as of January 1, 2001, of the federally listed endangered or threatened species which can be found in Ohio, the Indiana Bat has had critical habitat designated (50 CFR 17.95(a)) and the piping plover has had critical habitat proposed (65 FR 41812 July 6, 2000).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 2	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 2
2	Threatened or Endangered Species. Is the wetland known to contain an individual of, or documented occurrences of federal or state-listed threatened or endangered plant or animal species?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 3	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 3
3	Documented High Quality Wetland. Is the wetland on record in Natural Heritage Database as a high quality wetland?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 4	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 4
4	Significant Breeding or Concentration Area. Does the wetland contain documented regionally significant breeding or nonbreeding waterfowl, neotropical songbird, or shorebird concentration areas?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 5	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 5
5	Category 1 Wetlands. Is the wetland less than 0.5 hectares (1 acre) in size and hydrologically isolated and either 1) comprised of vegetation that is dominated (greater than eighty per cent areal cover) by <i>Phalaris arundinacea</i> , <i>Lythrum salicaria</i> , or <i>Phragmites australis</i> , or 2) an acidic pond created or excavated on mined lands that has little or no vegetation?	YES Wetland is a Category 1 wetland Go to Question 6	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 6
6	Bogs. Is the wetland a peat-accumulating wetland that 1) has no significant inflows or outflows, 2) supports acidophilic mosses, particularly <i>Sphagnum</i> spp., 3) the acidophilic mosses have >30% cover, 4) at least one species from Table 1 is present, and 5) the cover of invasive species (see Table 1) is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 7	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 7
7	Fens. Is the wetland a carbon accumulating (peat, muck) wetland that is saturated during most of the year, primarily by a discharge of free flowing, mineral rich, ground water with a circumneutral pH (5.5-9.0) and with one or more plant species listed in Table 1 and the cover of invasive species listed in Table 1 is <25%?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 8a	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 8a
8a	"Old Growth Forest." Is the wetland a forested wetland and is the forest characterized by, but not limited to, the following characteristics: overstory canopy trees of great age (exceeding at least 50% of a projected maximum attainable age for a species); little or no evidence of human-caused understory disturbance during the past 80 to 100 years; an all-aged structure and multilayered canopies; aggregations of canopy trees interspersed with canopy gaps; and significant numbers of standing dead snags and downed logs?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 8b	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 8b

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8b	Mature forested wetlands. Is the wetland a forested wetland with 50% or more of the cover of upper forest canopy consisting of deciduous trees with large diameters at breast height (dbh), generally diameters greater than 45cm (17.7in) dbh?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status. Go to Question 9a	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 9a
9a	Lake Erie coastal and tributary wetlands. Is the wetland located at an elevation less than 575 feet on the USGS map, adjacent to this elevation, or along a tributary to Lake Erie that is accessible to fish?	YES Go to Question 9b	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 10
9b	Does the wetland's hydrology result from measures designed to prevent erosion and the loss of aquatic plants, i.e. the wetland is partially hydrologically restricted from Lake Erie due to lakeward or landward dikes or other hydrological controls?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 9c
9c	Are Lake Erie water levels the wetland's primary hydrological influence, i.e. the wetland is hydrologically unrestricted (no lakeward or upland border alterations), or the wetland can be characterized as an "estuarine" wetland with lake and river influenced hydrology. These include sandbar deposition wetlands, estuarine wetlands, river mouth wetlands, or those dominated by submersed aquatic vegetation.	YES Go to Question 9d	NO Go to Question 10
9d	Does the wetland have a predominance of native species within its vegetation communities, although non-native or disturbance tolerant native species can also be present?	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland Go to Question 10	NO Go to Question 9e
9e	Does the wetland have a predominance of non-native or disturbance tolerant native plant species within its vegetation communities?	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Go to Question 10	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 10
10	Lake Plain Sand Prairies (Oak Openings) Is the wetland located in Lucas, Fulton, Henry, or Wood Counties and can the wetland be characterized by the following description: the wetland has a sandy substrate with interspersed organic matter, a water table often within several inches of the surface, and often with a dominance of the gramineous vegetation listed in Table 1 (woody species may also be present). The Ohio Department of Natural Resources Division of Natural Areas and Preserves can provide assistance in confirming this type of wetland and its quality.	YES Wetland is a Category 3 wetland. Go to Question 11	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Go to Question 11
11	Relict Wet Prairies. Is the wetland a relict wet prairie community dominated by some or all of the species in Table 1. Extensive prairies were formerly located in the Darby Plains (Madison and Union Counties), Sandusky Plains (Wyandot, Crawford, and Marion Counties), northwest Ohio (e.g. Erie, Huron, Lucas, Wood Counties), and portions of western Ohio Counties (e.g. Darke, Mercer, Miami, Montgomery, Van Wert etc.).	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status Complete Quantitative Rating	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Complete Quantitative Rating

Table 1. Characteristic plant species.

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invasive/exotic spp	fen species	bog species	Oak Opening species	wet prairie species
<i>Lythrum salicaria</i>	<i>Zygadenus elegans</i> var. <i>glaucus</i>	<i>Calla palustris</i> *	<i>Carex cryptolepis</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>
<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	<i>Cacalia plantaginea</i>	<i>Carex atlantica</i> var. <i>capillacea</i>	<i>Carex lasiocarpa</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>
<i>Najas minor</i>	<i>Carex flava</i>	<i>Carex echinata</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex atherodes</i>
<i>Phalaris arundinacea</i>	<i>Carex sterilis</i>	<i>Carex oligosperma</i>	<i>Cladium mariscoides</i>	<i>Carex buxbaumii</i>
<i>Phragmites australis</i>	<i>Carex stricta</i>	<i>Carex trisperma</i>	<i>Calamagrostis stricta</i>	<i>Carex pellita</i>
<i>Potamogeton crispus</i>	<i>Deschampsia caespitosa</i>	<i>Chamaedaphne calyculata</i>	<i>Calamagrostis canadensis</i>	<i>Carex sartwellii</i>
<i>Ranunculus ficaria</i>	<i>Eleocharis rostellata</i>	<i>Decodon verticillatus</i>	<i>Quercus palustris</i>	<i>Gentiana andrewsii</i>
<i>Rhamnus frangula</i>	<i>Eriophorum viridicarinatum</i>	<i>Eriophorum virginicum</i>		<i>Helianthus grosseserratus</i>
<i>Typha angustifolia</i>	<i>Gentianopsis</i> spp.	<i>Larix laricina</i>		<i>Liatris spicata</i>
<i>Typha xglauca</i>	<i>Lobelia kalmii</i>	<i>Nemopanthus mucronatus</i>		<i>Lysimachia quadriflora</i>
	<i>Parnassia glauca</i>	<i>Scheuchzeria palustris</i>		<i>Lythrum alatum</i>
	<i>Potentilla fruticosa</i>	<i>Sphagnum</i> spp.		<i>Pycnanthemum virginianum</i>
	<i>Rhamnus alnifolia</i>	<i>Vaccinium macrocarpon</i>		<i>Silphium terebinthinaceum</i>
	<i>Rhynchospora capillacea</i>	<i>Vaccinium corymbosum</i>		<i>Sorghastrum nutans</i>
	<i>Salix candida</i>	<i>Vaccinium oxycoccos</i>		<i>Spartina pectinata</i>
	<i>Salix myricoides</i>	<i>Woodwardia virginica</i>		<i>Solidago riddellii</i>
	<i>Salix serissima</i>	<i>Xyris difformis</i>		
	<i>Solidago ohioensis</i>			
	<i>Tofieldia glutinosa</i>			
	<i>Triglochin maritimum</i>			
	<i>Triglochin palustre</i>			

End of Narrative Rating. Begin Quantitative Rating on next page.

Site: <u>Wetland 4</u>	Rater(s): <u>JN/KB</u>	Date: <u>10 FEB 2017</u>
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Metric 1. Wetland Area (size).

01	0
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)

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), shrub land, 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)

11.5	25.5
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 only one and assign score.

- ☐ >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"/> tile <input type="checkbox"/> dike <input type="checkbox"/> weir <input type="checkbox"/> stormwater input	<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

10	35.5
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 type="checkbox"/> mowing <input type="checkbox"/> grazing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> clearcutting <input type="checkbox"/> selective cutting <input type="checkbox"/> woody debris removal <input type="checkbox"/> toxic pollutants	<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 type="checkbox"/> nutrient enrichment

35.5

subtotal this page

Site: Wetland 4	Rater(s): JNKB	Date: 10 FEB 2015
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35.5

subtotal first page

0	35.5
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 1 Qualitative Rating (-10)

2	37.5
max 20 pts.	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) Interspersion.

Select only one.

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

6c. Coverage of invasive plants. Refer to 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/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 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 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 vegetation and is of high quality

Narrative Description of Vegetation Quality

low	Low spp diversity and/or predominance of nonnative or disturbance tolerant native species
mod	Native spp are dominant component of the vegetation, 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
high	A predominance of native species, with nonnative spp 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

37.5

End of Quantitative Rating. Complete Categorization Worksheets.

ORAM Summary Worksheet

Wetland 4

		circle answer or insert score	Result
Narrative Rating	Question 1 Critical Habitat	YES NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 2. Threatened or Endangered Species	YES NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 3. High Quality Natural Wetland	YES NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 4. Significant bird habitat	YES NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 5. Category 1 Wetlands	YES NO	If yes, Category 1.
	Question 6. Bogs	YES NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 7. Fens	YES NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8a. Old Growth Forest	YES NO	If yes, Category 3.
	Question 8b. Mature Forested Wetland	YES NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9b. Lake Erie Wetlands - Restricted	YES NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.
	Question 9d. Lake Erie Wetlands – Unrestricted with native plants	YES NO	If yes, Category 3
Question 9e. Lake Erie Wetlands - Unrestricted with invasive plants	YES NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.	
Question 10. Oak Openings	YES NO	If yes, Category 3	
Question 11. Relict Wet Prairies	YES NO	If yes, evaluate for Category 3; may also be 1 or 2.	
Quantitative Rating	Metric 1. Size	0	
	Metric 2. Buffers and surrounding land use	14	
	Metric 3. Hydrology	11.5	
	Metric 4. Habitat	10	
	Metric 5. Special Wetland Communities	0	
	Metric 6. Plant communities, interspersion, microtopography	2	
	TOTAL SCORE	31.5	Category based on score breakpoints Modified 2

Complete Wetland Categorization Worksheet.

Wetland Categorization Worksheet

Wetland 4

Choices	Circle one	Evaluation of Categorization Result of ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8a, 9d, 10	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 3 wetland	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Is quantitative rating score <i>less</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>excluding</i> gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been over-categorized by the ORAM
Did you answer "Yes" to any of the following questions: Narrative Rating Nos. 1, 8b, 9b, 9e, 11	YES Wetland should be evaluated for possible Category 3 status	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Evaluate the wetland using the 1) narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and 2) the quantitative rating score. If the wetland is determined to be a Category 3 wetland using either of these, it should be categorized as a Category 3 wetland. Detailed biological and/or functional assessments may also be used to determine the wetland's category.
Did you answer "Yes" to Narrative Rating No. 5	YES Wetland is categorized as a Category 1 wetland	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Is quantitative rating score <i>greater</i> than the Category 2 scoring threshold (<i>including</i> any gray zone)? If yes, reevaluate the category of the wetland using the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) and biological and/or functional assessments to determine if the wetland has been under-categorized by the ORAM
Does the quantitative score fall within the scoring range of a Category 1, 2, or 3 wetland?	YES Wetland is assigned to the appropriate category based on the scoring range	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO If the score of the wetland is located within the scoring range for a particular category, the wetland should be assigned to that category. In all instances however, the narrative criteria described in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C) can be used to clarify or change a categorization based on a quantitative score.
Does the quantitative score fall with the "gray zone" for Category 1 or 2 or Category 2 or 3 wetlands?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> YES Wetland is assigned to the higher of the two categories or assigned to a category based on detailed assessments and the narrative criteria	NO Rater has the option of assigning the wetland to the higher of the two categories or to assign a category based on the results of a nonrapid wetland assessment method, e.g. functional assessment, biological assessment, etc. and a consideration of the narrative criteria in OAC rule 3745-1-54(C).
Does the wetland otherwise exhibit <i>moderate</i> OR <i>superior</i> hydrologic OR habitat, OR recreational functions AND the wetland was <i>not</i> categorized as a Category 2 wetland (in the case of moderate functions) or a Category 3 wetland (in the case of superior functions) by this method?	YES Wetland was undercategorized by this method. A written justification for recategorization should be provided on Background Information Form	<input checked="" type="radio"/> NO Wetland is assigned to category as determined by the ORAM. A wetland may be undercategorized using this method, but still exhibit one or more superior functions, e.g. a wetland's biotic communities may be degraded by human activities, but the wetland may still exhibit superior hydrologic functions because of its type, landscape position, size, local or regional significance, etc. In this circumstance, the narrative criteria in OAC Rule 3745-1-54(C)(2) and (3) are controlling, and the under-categorization should be corrected. A written justification with supporting reasons or information for this determination should be provided.

Final Category

Choose one	Category 1	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Category 2	Category 3
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End of Ohio Rapid Assessment Method for Wetlands.

LEMASTER-LICK 138 KV TRANSMISSION LINE RELOCATION PROJECT, ATHENS COUNTY,
OHIO

D.3 HHEI AND QHEI DATA FORMS

Stream & Location: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line RM: Date: 11/8/06

Relocation Project Stream1 Scorers Full Name & Affiliation: A. Kwolek Stantec
River Code: STORET #: Lat./Long.: 39.380417 / 82.18421 Office verified location1] SUBSTRATE Check ONLY Two substrate TYPE BOXES;
estimate % or note every type present

Check ONE (Or 2 & average)

BEST TYPES		OTHER TYPES		ORIGIN		QUALITY	
	POOL RIFFLE		POOL RIFFLE				
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR / SLABS [10]		<input type="checkbox"/> HARDPAN [4]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> LIMESTONE [1]		<input type="checkbox"/> HEAVY [-2]	Substrate 11 Maximum 20
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER [9]		<input type="checkbox"/> DETRITUS [3]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> TILLS [1]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [-1]	
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE [8]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [2]		<input type="checkbox"/> WETLANDS [0]		<input type="checkbox"/> NORMAL [0]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL [7]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> SILT [2]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> HARDPAN [0]		<input type="checkbox"/> FREE [1]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAND [6]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [0]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SANDSTONE [0]		<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE [-2]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [5]				<input type="checkbox"/> RIP/RAP [0]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [-1]	
(Score natural substrates; ignore sludge from point-sources)				<input type="checkbox"/> LACUSTURINE [0]		<input type="checkbox"/> NORMAL [0]	
NUMBER OF BEST TYPES: <input type="checkbox"/> 4 or more [2] <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 or less [0]				<input type="checkbox"/> SHALE [-1]		<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [1]	
Comments				<input type="checkbox"/> COAL FINES [-2]			

2] INSTREAM COVER Indicate presence 0 to 3: 0-Absent; 1-Very small amounts or if more common of marginal quality; 2-Moderate amounts, but not of highest quality or in small amounts of highest quality; 3-Highest quality in moderate or greater amounts (e.g., very large boulders in deep or fast water, large diameter log that is stable, well developed rootwad in deep / fast water, or deep, well-defined, functional pools.

AMOUNT

Check ONE (Or 2 & average)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNDERCUT BANKS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOLS > 70cm [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> OXBOWS, BACKWATERS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE >75% [11]
<input type="checkbox"/> OVERHANGING VEGETATION [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROOTWADS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> AQUATIC MACROPHYTES [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE 25-75% [7]
<input type="checkbox"/> SHALLOWS (IN SLOW WATER) [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDERS [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOGS OR WOODY DEBRIS [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SPARSE 5-<25% [3]
<input type="checkbox"/> ROOTMATS [1]			<input type="checkbox"/> NEARLY ABSENT <5% [1]

Comments

Cover
Maximum
20

3] CHANNEL MORPHOLOGY Check ONE in each category (Or 2 & average)

SINUOSITY	DEVELOPMENT	CHANNELIZATION	STABILITY
<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH [4]	<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT [7]	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [6]	<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH [3]
<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [3]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD [5]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RECOVERED [4]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [2] 1.5
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOW [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> RECOVERING [3]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOW [1]
<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOR [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> RECENT OR NO RECOVERY [1]	

Comments

Channel
Maximum
204] BANK EROSION AND RIPARIAN ZONE Check ONE in each category for EACH BANK (Or 2 per bank & average)
River right looking downstream

EROSION	RIPARIAN WIDTH	FLOOD PLAIN QUALITY	CONSERVATION TILLAGE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE / LITTLE [3]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WIDE > 50m [4]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FOREST, SWAMP [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> URBAN OR INDUSTRIAL [0]
<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE 10-50m [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> SHRUB OR OLD FIELD [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> MINING / CONSTRUCTION [0]
<input type="checkbox"/> HEAVY / SEVERE [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> NARROW 5-10m [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTIAL, PARK, NEW FIELD [1]	
	<input type="checkbox"/> VERY NARROW < 5m [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> FENCED PASTURE [1]	
	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN PASTURE, ROWCROP [0]	

Comments

Indicate predominant land use(s)
past 100m riparian.Riparian
Maximum
10

5] POOL / GLIDE AND RIFFLE / RUN QUALITY

MAXIMUM DEPTH

Check ONE (ONLY!)

- ☐ > 1m [6]
☐ 0.7-1m [4]
☒ 0.4-0.7m [2]
☐ 0.2-0.4m [1]
☐ < 0.2m [0]

CHANNEL WIDTH

Check ONE (Or 2 & average)

- ☒ POOL WIDTH > RIFFLE WIDTH [2]
☐ POOL WIDTH = RIFFLE WIDTH [1]
☐ POOL WIDTH < RIFFLE WIDTH [0]

CURRENT VELOCITY

Check ALL that apply

- ☐ TORRENTIAL [-1] ☐ SLOW [1]
☐ VERY FAST [1] ☐ INTERSTITIAL [-1]
☐ FAST [1] ☐ INTERMITTENT [-2]
☒ MODERATE [1] ☐ EDDIES [1]

Indicate for reach - pools and riffles.

Recreation Potential

Primary Contact

Secondary Contact

(circle one and comment on back)

Comments

Pool /
Current
Maximum
12

Indicate for functional riffles; Best areas must be large enough to support a population of riffle-obligate species:

Check ONE (Or 2 & average).

☐ NO RIFFLE [metric=0]

RIFFLE DEPTH	RUN DEPTH	RIFFLE / RUN SUBSTRATE	RIFFLE / RUN EMBEDDEDNESS
<input type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS > 10cm [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> MAXIMUM > 50cm [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> STABLE (e.g., Cobble, Boulder) [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [2]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS 5-10cm [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MAXIMUM < 50cm [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> MOD. STABLE (e.g., Large Gravel) [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> LOW [1]
<input type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS < 5cm [metric=0]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNSTABLE (e.g., Fine Gravel, Sand) [0]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [0]
			<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE [-1]

Comments

Riffle /
Run
Maximum
86] GRADIENT (40.8 ft/mi) ☐ VERY LOW - LOW [2-4]
DRAINAGE AREA (5.98 mi²) ☐ MODERATE [6-10]
☒ HIGH - VERY HIGH [10-6]

%POOL: 35

%GLIDE: 10

%RUN: 25

%RIFFLE: 30

Gradient
Maximum
10

stream 1

A) SAMPLED REACH

Check ALL that apply

METHOD STAGE

- ☐ BOAT 1st-sample pass-2nd
☒ WADE ☐ HIGH ☐
☐ L. LINE ☐ UP ☐
☐ OTHER ☒ NORMAL ☒
☐ LOW ☐
☐ DRY ☐

DISTANCE

- ☐ 0.5 Km
☐ 0.2 Km
☐ 0.15 Km
☐ 0.12 Km
☐ OTHER

61
meters

CANOPY

- ☐ > 85%- OPEN
☐ 55%-<85%
☐ 30%-<55%
☒ 10%-<30%
☐ <10%- CLOSED

CLARITY

- 1st --sample pass-- 2nd
☐ < 20 cm ☐
☐ 20-<40 cm ☐
☒ 40-70 cm ☒
☐ > 70 cm/ CTB ☐
☐ SECCHI DEPTH

- 1st _____ cm
 pass
 2nd _____ cm

C) RECREATION

AREA DEPTH

POOL: ☐ >100ft² ☐ >3ft

B) AESTHETICS

- ☐ NUISANCE ALGAE
☐ INVASIVE MACROPHYTES
☐ EXCESS TURBIDITY
☐ DISCOLORATION
☐ FOAM / SCUM
☐ OIL SHEEN
☐ TRASH / LITTER
☐ NUISANCE ODOR
☐ SLUDGE DEPOSITS
☐ CSOs/SSOs/OUTFALLS

N/A

D) MAINTENANCE

- PUBLIC / PRIVATE / BOTH / NA
 ACTIVE / HISTORIC / BOTH / NA
 YOUNG-SUCCESSION-OLD
 SPRAY / SNAG / REMOVED
 MODIFIED / DIPPED OUT / NA
 LEVEED / ONE SIDED
 RELOCATED / CUTOFFS
 MOVING-BEDLOAD-STABLE
 ARMoured / SLUMPS
 ISLANDS / SCoured
 IMPOUNDED / DESICCATED
 FLOOD CONTROL / DRAINAGE

Circle some & COMMENT

E) ISSUES

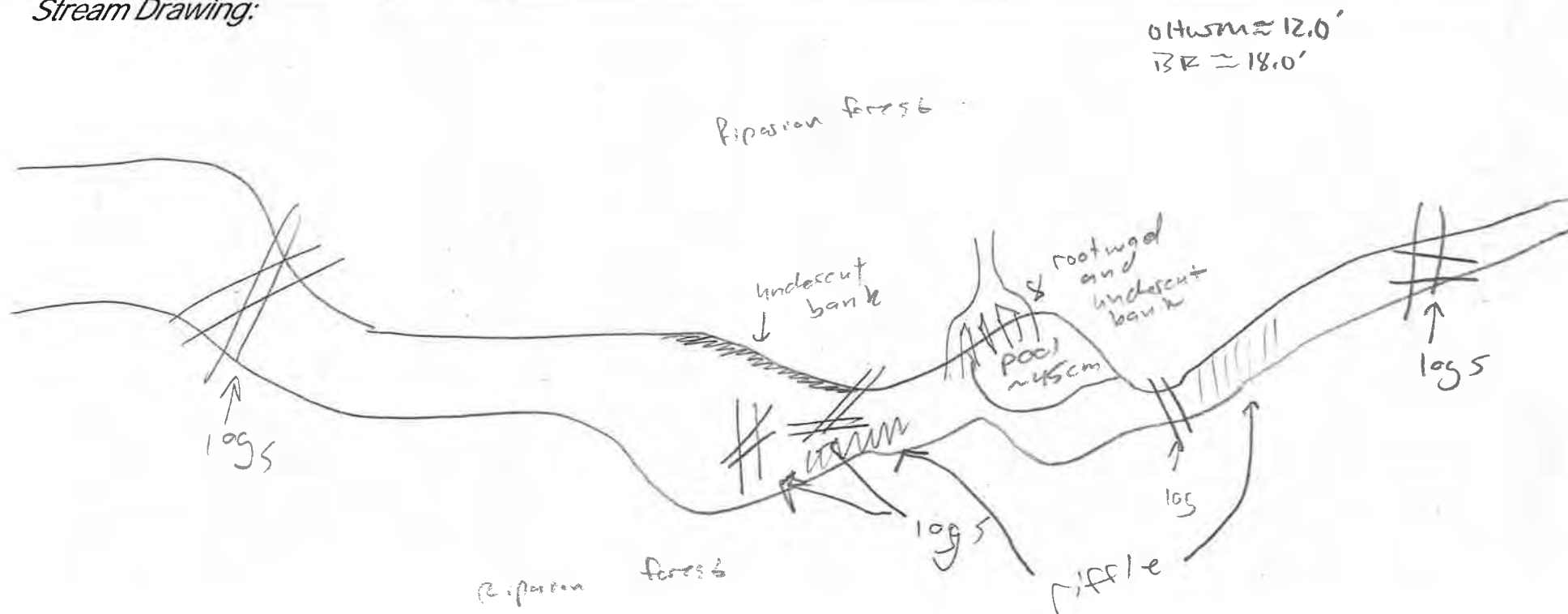
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 HARDENED / URBAN / DIRT&GRIME
 CONTAMINATED / LANDFILL
 BMPs-CONSTRUCTION-SEDIMENT
 LOGGING / IRRIGATION / COOLING
 BANK / EROSION / SURFACE
 FALSE BANK / MANURE / LAGOON
 WASH H₂O / TILE / H₂O TABLE
 ACID / MINE / QUARRY / FLOW
 NATURAL / WETLAND / STAGNANT
 PARK / GOLF / LAWN / HOME
 ATMOSPHERE / DATA PAUCITY

F) MEASUREMENTS

- \bar{x} width
 \bar{x} depth
 max. depth
 \bar{x} bankfull width
 bankfull \bar{x} depth
 W/D ratio
 bankfull max. depth
 floodprone x^2 width
 entrench. ratio

Legacy Tree:

Stream Drawing:





Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

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

141

SITE NAME/LOCATION Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project
Athens Co, OH SITE NUMBER Stream 2 RIVER BASIN Ohio DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) <0.1
LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) 200 LAT. 39.37734 LONG. -82.1834 RIVER CODE _____ RIVER MILE _____
DATE 11/8/16 SCORER ASK COMMENTS _____

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.				HHEI Metric Points
TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT	
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]	_____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pts]	<u>50</u>	Substrate Max = 40 <u>9</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]	_____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	<u>40</u>	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	<u>10</u>	A + B
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	_____	
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	_____	Pool Depth Max = 30 <u>C</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]	_____	
Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock _____ (A) <u>6</u>		(B) <u>3</u>		Bankfull Width Max=30 <u>5</u>
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):				COMMENTS _____
<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): <u>0</u>				
3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):				COMMENTS _____
<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) <u>0.6</u>				

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 Ephemeral

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

<input type="checkbox"/> Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)	<input type="checkbox"/> Flat to Moderate	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate to Severe	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Severe (10 ft/100 ft)
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Stream 2

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: Hanley Run 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: Nelsonville NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order _____
 County: Athens Township / City: The Plains

MISCELLANEOUS

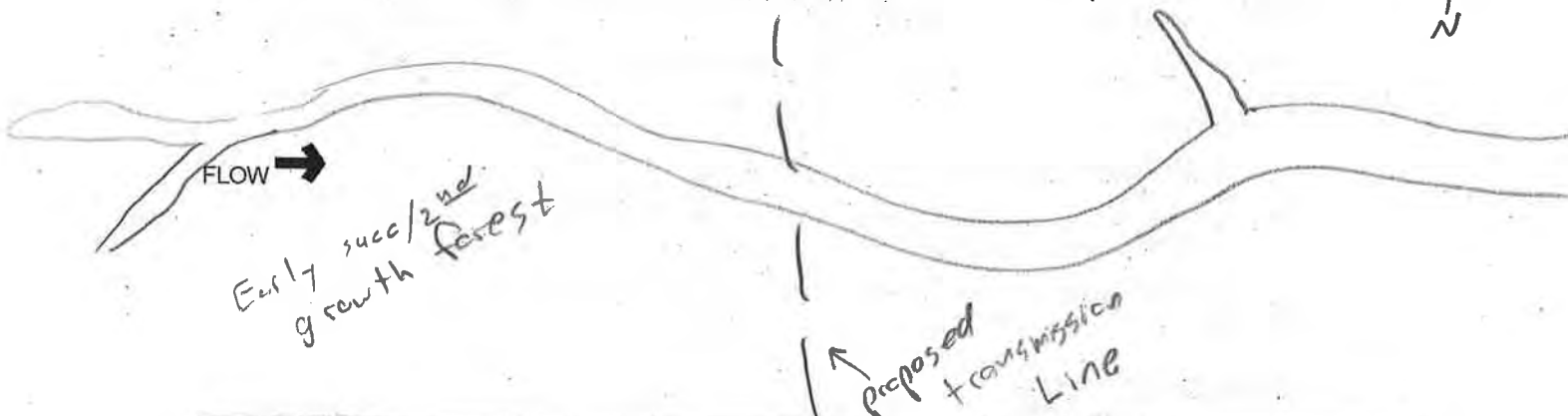
Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 11/3/2016 Quantity: 0.1"
 Photograph Information: _____
 Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 5
 Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: _____
 Field Measures: 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): 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) N Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) _____
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____ Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) Y Voucher? (Y/N) _____
 Comments Regarding Biology: green frog, oligochaete, 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



Athens Co. OH

(Hanley Run) - Downstream Assessment

OhioEPA

Qualitative Habitat Evaluation Index
and Use Assessment Field Sheet

QHEI Score:

81

Stream & Location: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line RM: Date: 2 / 10 / 06 2017Relocation Project Stream 3 Scorers Full Name & Affiliation: Jody Nicholson / StantecRiver Code: STORET #: Lat./Long.: 39.384308°N 182.172488°W Office verified location ☐1] SUBSTRATE Check ONLY Two substrate TYPE BOXES;
estimate % or note every type present

BEST TYPES		OTHER TYPES		ORIGIN		QUALITY	
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR / SLABS [10]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POOL RIFFLE	<input type="checkbox"/> HARDPAN [4]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOL RIFFLE	<input type="checkbox"/> LIMESTONE [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> SILT	<input type="checkbox"/> HEAVY [-2]	Substrate <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 50%; width: 40px; height: 40px; text-align: center; line-height: 40px;">20</div> Maximum 20
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BOULDER [9]	<u>30</u> <u>70</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> DETRITUS [3]	<u> </u> <u> </u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TILLS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> SANDSTONE [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [-1]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> COBBLE [8]	<u>70</u> <u>30</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [2]	<u> </u> <u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> WETLANDS [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> RIP/RAP [0]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NORMAL [0]	
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL [7]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u> </u> <u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> SILT [2]	<u> </u> <u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> HARDPAN [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> LACUSTURINE [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> FREE [1]	
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND [6]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u> </u> <u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [0]	<u> </u> <u> </u>	<input type="checkbox"/> SANDSTONE [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> SHALE [-1]	<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE [-2]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [5]	<u> </u> <u> </u>			<input type="checkbox"/> RIP/RAP [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> COAL FINES [-2]	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [-1]	

NUMBER OF BEST TYPES: ☒ 4 or more [2] ☐ 3 or less [0]

Comments:

2] INSTREAM COVER Indicate presence 0 to 3: 0-Absent; 1-Very small amounts or if more common of marginal quality; 2-Moderate amounts, but not of highest quality or in small amounts of highest quality; 3-Highest quality in moderate or greater amounts (e.g., very large boulders in deep or fast water, large diameter log that is stable, well developed rootwad in deep / fast water, or deep, well-defined, functional pools.

AMOUNT	
<input type="checkbox"/> UNDERCUT BANKS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOLS > 70cm [2]
<u>2</u> OVERHANGING VEGETATION [1]	<u>2</u> ROOTWADS [1]
<u>2</u> SHALLOWS (IN SLOW WATER) [1]	<u>2</u> BOULDERS [1]
<u>1</u> ROOTMATS [1]	<u>1</u> LOGS OR WOODY DEBRIS [1]

Comments:

3] CHANNEL MORPHOLOGY Check ONE in each category (Or 2 & average)

SINUOSITY	DEVELOPMENT	CHANNELIZATION	STABILITY
<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH [4]	<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT [7]	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [6]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HIGH [3]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [3]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GOOD [5]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RECOVERED [4]	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [2]
<input type="checkbox"/> LOW [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> RECOVERING [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> LOW [1]
<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOR [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> RECENT OR NO RECOVERY [1]	

Comments: 3 5 4 3

4] BANK EROSION AND RIPARIAN ZONE Check ONE in each category for EACH BANK (Or 2 per bank & average)

EROSION		RIPARIAN WIDTH		FLOOD PLAIN QUALITY	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NONE / LITTLE [3]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WIDE > 50m [4]	<input type="checkbox"/> FOREST, SWAMP [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION TILLAGE [1]		
<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [2]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE 10-50m [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> SHRUB OR OLD FIELD [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> URBAN OR INDUSTRIAL [0]		
<input type="checkbox"/> HEAVY / SEVERE [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NARROW 5-10m [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTIAL, PARK, NEW FIELD [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> MINING / CONSTRUCTION [0]		
	<input type="checkbox"/> VERY NARROW < 5m [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> FENCED PASTURE [1]			
	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN PASTURE, ROWCROP [0]			

Comments: 3 2.5 1.5

5] POOL / GLIDE AND RIFFLE / RUN QUALITY

MAXIMUM DEPTH	CHANNEL WIDTH	CURRENT VELOCITY
Check ONE (ONLY!)	Check ONE (Or 2 & average)	Check ALL that apply
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1m [6]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POOL WIDTH > RIFFLE WIDTH [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> TORRENTIAL [-1]
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.7-1m [4]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOL WIDTH = RIFFLE WIDTH [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SLOW [1]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 0.4-0.7m [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOL WIDTH < RIFFLE WIDTH [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> VERY FAST [1]
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.2-0.4m [1]		<input type="checkbox"/> FAST [1]
<input type="checkbox"/> < 0.2m [0]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [1]

Comments: 2 2 2

Recreation Potential
Primary Contact
Secondary Contact
(circle one and comment on back)Pool /
Current
Maximum
12

Indicate for functional riffles; Best areas must be large enough to support a population of riffle-obligate species:

RIFFLE DEPTH	RUN DEPTH	RIFFLE / RUN SUBSTRATE	RIFFLE / RUN EMBEDDEDNESS
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS > 10cm [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> MAXIMUM > 50cm [2]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> STABLE (e.g., Cobble, Boulder) [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [2]
<input type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS 5-10cm [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MAXIMUM < 50cm [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> MOD. STABLE (e.g., Large Gravel) [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> LOW [1]
<input type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS < 5cm [metric=0]		<input type="checkbox"/> UNSTABLE (e.g., Fine Gravel, Sand) [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [0]
			<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE [-1]

Comments: 2 1 2

Riffle /
Run
Maximum
86] GRADIENT (28.7 ft/mi)
DRAINAGE AREA (7.1 mi²)
☐ VERY LOW - LOW [2-4]
☐ MODERATE [6-10]
☒ HIGH - VERY HIGH [10-6]
%POOL: 20%GLIDE: 30%RUN: 36%RIFFLE: 20Gradient
Maximum
10

A) SAMPLED REACH

Check ALL that apply

METHOD

- ☐ BOAT
☒ WADE
☐ L. LINE
☐ OTHER

DISTANCE

- ☐ 0.5 Km
☐ 0.2 Km
☐ 0.15 Km
☐ 0.12 Km
☒ OTHER

61
meters

STAGE

1st -sample pass- 2nd

- ☐ HIGH
☐ UP
☒ NORMAL
☐ LOW
☐ DRY

CLARITY

1st -sample pass- 2nd

- ☒ < 20 cm
☐ 20-40 cm
☐ 40-70 cm
☐ > 70 cm/ CTB
☐ SECCHI DEPTH

CANOPY

1st _____ cm

2nd _____ cm

- ☒ > 85%- OPEN
☐ 55%-<85%
☐ 30%-<55%
☐ 10%-<30%
☐ <10%- CLOSED

C) RECREATION

AREA DEPTH

POOL: ☐ >100ft² ☐ >3ft**B) AESTHETICS**

- ☐ NUISANCE ALGAE
☐ INVASIVE MACROPHYTES
☐ EXCESS TURBIDITY
☐ DISCOLORATION
☐ FOAM / SCUM
☐ OIL SHEEN
☐ TRASH / LITTER
☐ NUISANCE ODOR
☐ SLUDGE DEPOSITS
☐ CSOs/SSOs/OUTFALLS

D) MAINTENANCE

- PUBLIC / PRIVATE / BOTH / NA
 ACTIVE / HISTORIC / BOTH / NA
 YOUNG-SUCCESSION-OLD
 SPRAY / SNAG / REMOVED
 MODIFIED / DIPPED OUT / NA
 LEVEED / ONE SIDED
 RELOCATED / CUTOFFS
 MOVING-BEDLOAD-STABLE
 ARMoured / SLUMPS
 ISLANDS / SCoured
 IMPOUNDED / DESICCATED
 FLOOD CONTROL / DRAINAGE

Circle some & COMMENT

E) ISSUES

- WWTP / CSO / NPDES / INDUSTRY
 HARDENED / URBAN / DIRT&GRIME
 CONTAMINATED / LANDFILL
 BMPs-CONSTRUCTION-SEDIMENT
 LOGGING / IRRIGATION / COOLING
 BANK / EROSION / SURFACE
 FALSE BANK / MANURE / LAGOON
 WASH H₂O / TILE / H₂O TABLE
 ACID / MINE / QUARRY / FLOW
 NATURAL / WETLAND / STAGNANT
 PARK / GOLF / LAWN / HOME
 ATMOSPHERE / DATA PAUCITY

F) MEASUREMENTS

- x̄ width
 x̄ depth
 max. depth
 x̄ bankfull width
 bankfull x̄ depth
 W/D ratio
 bankfull max. depth
 floodprone x² width
 entrench. ratio

Legacy Tree:

Stream Drawing:

OHW 12' H = 9"

TOB 17' H = 18"

N

ROW

Some overhanging Rubus, etc

RUN

RUN

ROW

2nd growth forest

Ames Co. OH

(Hanley Run) - Upstream Assessment

Upstream



Qualitative Habitat Evaluation Index and Use Assessment Field Sheet

QHEI Score: **55.5**

Stream & Location: Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line RM. Date: 2/10/2017

Relocation Project Stream 3 Scorers Full Name & Affiliation: Jody Nicholson / Stantec

River Code: STORET #: Lat./Long.: 39.319355°N 82.174437°W Office verified location ☐

1] **SUBSTRATE** Check ONLY TWO substrate TYPE BOXES; estimate % or note every type present

Check ONE (Or 2 & average)

BEST TYPES		OTHER TYPES		ORIGIN		QUALITY	
POOL	RIFFLE	POOL	RIFFLE				
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR / SLABS [10]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> HARDPAN [4]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> LIMESTONE [1]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> HEAVY [-2]	Substrate 14 Maximum 20
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER [9]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> DETRITUS [3]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TILLS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [-1]	
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE [8]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [2]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> WETLANDS [0]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NORMAL [0]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL [7]	<u>65</u> <u>35</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> SILT [2]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> HARDPAN [0]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> FREE [1]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SAND [6]	<u>65</u> <u>65</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [0]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> SANDSTONE [0]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE [-2]	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [5]	<input type="checkbox"/>			<input type="checkbox"/> RIP/RAP [0]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [-1]	
NUMBER OF BEST TYPES: <input type="checkbox"/> 4 or more [2] <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 or less [0]				(Score natural substrates; ignore sludge from point-sources)			
Comments: <u> </u>							

2] **INSTREAM COVER** Indicate presence 0 to 3: 0-Absent; 1-Very small amounts or if more common of marginal quality; 2-Moderate amounts, but not of highest quality or in small amounts of highest quality; 3-Highest quality in moderate or greater amounts (e.g., very large boulders in deep or fast water, large diameter log that is stable, well developed rootwad in deep / fast water, or deep, well-defined, functional pools.

AMOUNT

Check ONE (Or 2 & average)

<u>2</u> UNDERCUT BANKS [1]	<u>0</u> POOLS > 70cm [2]	<u>0</u> OXBOWS, BACKWATERS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE >75% [11]
<u>1</u> OVERHANGING VEGETATION [1]	<u>0</u> ROOTWADS [1]	<u>1</u> AQUATIC MACROPHYTES [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE 25-75% [7]
<u>1</u> SHALLOWS (IN SLOW WATER) [1]	<u>0</u> BOULDERS [1]	<u>1</u> LOGS OR WOODY DEBRIS [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> SPARSE 5-<25% [3]
<u>1</u> ROOTMATS [1]			<input type="checkbox"/> NEARLY ABSENT <5% [1]

Comments:

Channel Maximum 20 **14** 28

3] **CHANNEL MORPHOLOGY** Check ONE in each category (Or 2 & average)

SINUOSITY	DEVELOPMENT	CHANNELIZATION	STABILITY
<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH [4]	<input type="checkbox"/> EXCELLENT [7]	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [6]	<input type="checkbox"/> HIGH [3]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> GOOD [5]	<input type="checkbox"/> RECOVERED [4]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [2]
<input type="checkbox"/> LOW [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> FAIR [3]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RECOVERING [3]	<input type="checkbox"/> LOW [1]
<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POOR [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> RECENT OR NO RECOVERY [1]	

Comments:

Channel Maximum 20 **9** 37

4] **BANK EROSION AND RIPARIAN ZONE** Check ONE in each category for EACH BANK (Or 2 per bank & average)

EROSION		RIPARIAN WIDTH		FLOOD PLAIN QUALITY		CONSERVATION TILLAGE	
<input type="checkbox"/> NONE / LITTLE [3]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> WIDE > 50m [4]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> FOREST, SWAMP [3]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> CONSERVATION TILLAGE [1]	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [2]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> MODERATE 10-50m [3]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> SHRUB OR OLD FIELD [2]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> URBAN OR INDUSTRIAL [0]	
<input type="checkbox"/> HEAVY / SEVERE [1]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NARROW 5-10m [2]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> RESIDENTIAL, PARK, NEW FIELD [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MINING / CONSTRUCTION [0]	
		<input type="checkbox"/> VERY NARROW < 5m [1]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> FENCED PASTURE [1]			
		<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [0]	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN PASTURE, ROWCROP [0]			

Comments:

Riparian Maximum 10 **3.5**

5] **POOL / GLIDE AND RIFFLE / RUN QUALITY**

MAXIMUM DEPTH	CHANNEL WIDTH	CURRENT VELOCITY	Recreation Potential
Check ONE (ONLY!)	Check ONE (Or 2 & average)	Check ALL that apply	Primary Contact
<input type="checkbox"/> > 1m [6]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOL WIDTH > RIFFLE WIDTH [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> TORRENTIAL [-1]	Secondary Contact
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 0.7-<1m [4]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> POOL WIDTH = RIFFLE WIDTH [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> VERY FAST [1]	(circle one and comment on back)
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.4-<0.7m [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> POOL WIDTH > RIFFLE WIDTH [0]	<input type="checkbox"/> FAST [1]	
<input type="checkbox"/> 0.2-<0.4m [1]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [1]	
<input type="checkbox"/> < 0.2m [0]		<input type="checkbox"/> INTERMITTENT [-2]	
		<input type="checkbox"/> EDDIES [1]	

Comments:

Pool / Current Maximum 12 **6**

Indicate for functional riffles; Best areas must be large enough to support a population of riffle-obligate species:

Check ONE (Or 2 & average).

☐ NO RIFFLE [metric=0]

RIFFLE DEPTH	RUN DEPTH	RIFFLE / RUN SUBSTRATE	RIFFLE / RUN EMBEDDEDNESS
<input type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS > 10cm [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> MAXIMUM > 50cm [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> STABLE (e.g., Cobble, Boulder) [2]	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE [2]
<input type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS 5-10cm [1]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MAXIMUM < 50cm [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> MOD. STABLE (e.g., Large Gravel) [1]	<input type="checkbox"/> LOW [1]
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BEST AREAS < 5cm [metric=0]		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNSTABLE (e.g., Fine Gravel, Sand) [0]	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MODERATE [0]
			<input type="checkbox"/> EXTENSIVE [-1]

Comments:

Riffle / Run Maximum 8 **1**

6] **GRADIENT** 2.4 ft/mi) ☐ VERY LOW - LOW [2-4] ☒ MODERATE [6-10] ☐ HIGH - VERY HIGH [10-6]

%POOL: 15% %GLIDE: 10% %RUN: 65% %RIFFLE: 10%

Gradient Maximum 10 **8**

A) SAMPLED REACH

Check ALL that apply

METHOD

- ☐ BOAT
☒ WADE
☐ L. LINE
☐ OTHER

DISTANCE

- ☐ 0.5 Km
☐ 0.2 Km
☐ 0.15 Km
☐ 0.12 Km
☒ OTHER

61
meters

CANOPY

- ☒ > 85% - OPEN
☐ 55% - 85%
☐ 30% - 55%
☐ 10% - 30%
☐ < 10% - CLOSED

STAGE

1st - sample pass - 2nd

- ☒ HIGH
☒ UP
☐ NORMAL
☐ LOW
☐ DRY

CLARITY

1st - sample pass - 2nd

- ☒ < 20 cm
☐ 20 - 40 cm
☐ 40 - 70 cm
☐ > 70 cm / CTB
☐ SECCHI DEPTH

1st _____ cm
2nd _____ cm

C) RECREATION

AREA DEPTH

POOL: ☐ > 100ft² ☐ > 3ft

B) AESTHETICS

- ☐ NUISANCE ALGAE
☐ INVASIVE MACROPHYTES
☐ EXCESS TURBIDITY
☐ DISCOLORATION
☐ FOAM / SCUM
☐ OIL SHEEN
☐ TRASH / LITTER
☐ NUISANCE ODOR
☐ SLUDGE DEPOSITS
☐ CSOs/SSOs/OUTFALLS

D) MAINTENANCE

- ☐ PUBLIC / PRIVATE / BOTH / NA
☐ ACTIVE / HISTORIC / BOTH / NA
☐ YOUNG-SUCCESSION-OLD
☐ SPRAY / SNAG / REMOVED
☐ MODIFIED / DIPPED OUT / NA
☐ LEVEED / ONE SIDED
☐ RELOCATED / CUTOFFS
☐ MOVING-BEDLOAD-STABLE
☐ ARMoured / SLUMPS
☐ ISLANDS / SCoured
☐ IMPOUNDED / DESICCATED
☐ FLOOD CONTROL / DRAINAGE

Circle some & COMMENT

E) ISSUES

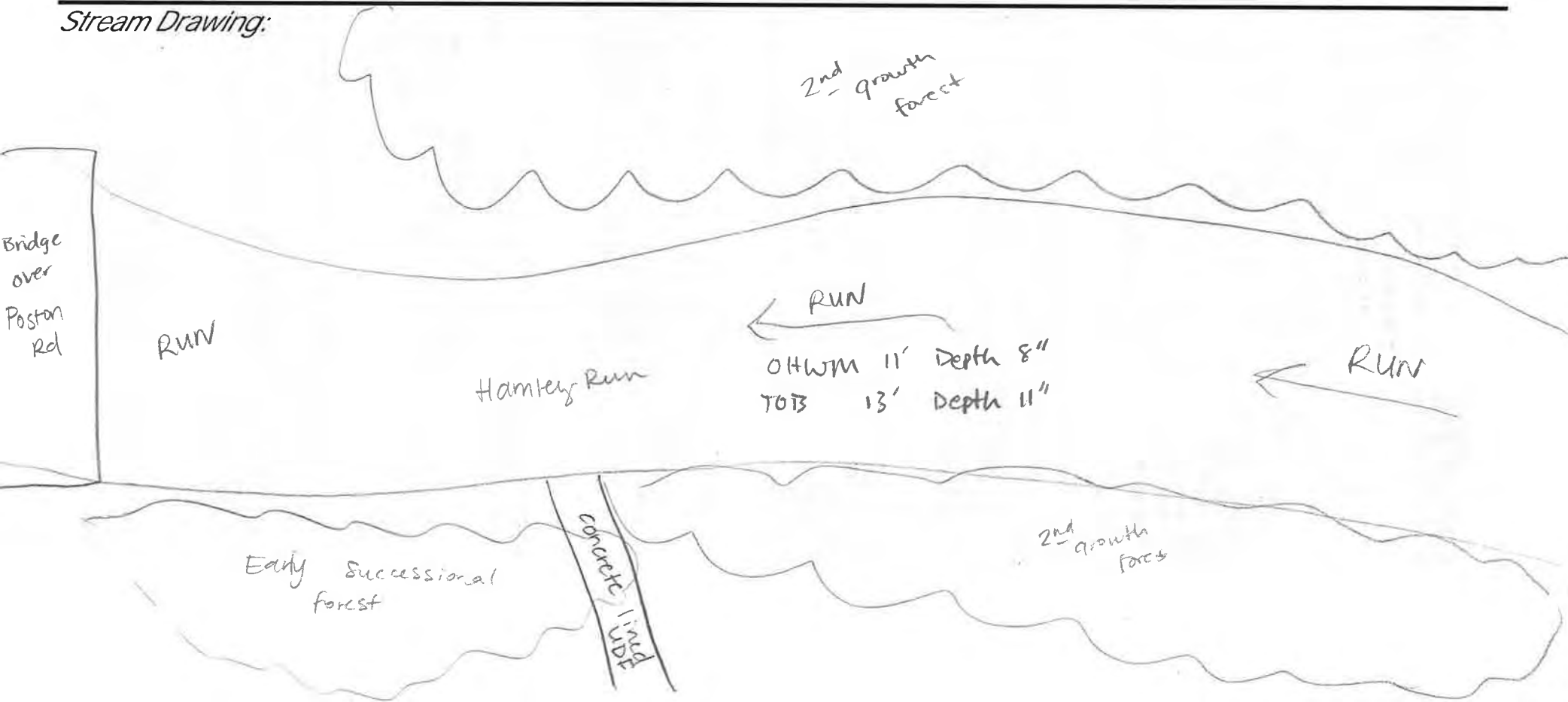
- ☐ WWTP / CSO / NPDES / INDUSTRY
☐ HARDENED / URBAN / DIRT&GRIME
☐ CONTAMINATED / LANDFILL
☐ BMPs-CONSTRUCTION-SEDIMENT
☐ LOGGING / IRRIGATION / COOLING
☐ BANK / EROSION / SURFACE
☐ FALSE BANK / MANURE / LAGOON
☐ WASH H₂O / TILE / H₂O TABLE
☐ ACID / MINE / QUARRY / FLOW
☐ NATURAL / WETLAND / STAGNANT
☐ PARK / GOLF / LAWN / HOME
☐ ATMOSPHERE / DATA PAUCITY

F) MEASUREMENTS

- ☐ \bar{x} width
☐ \bar{x} depth
☐ max. depth
☐ \bar{x} bankfull width
☐ bankfull \bar{x} depth
☐ W/D ratio
☐ bankfull max. depth
☐ floodprone x^2 width
☐ entrench. ratio

Legacy Tree:

Stream Drawing:



JNK 20170210-501



Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

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

42

SITE NAME/LOCATION Lemaster-Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project
Attens Co OH SITE NUMBER Stream 4 RIVER BASIN Hocking DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) 40.1 mi²
 LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) 100 LAT. 39.381709°N LONG. 82.17607°W RIVER CODE RIVER MILE
 DATE 10/6/2017 SCORER SN/KB COMMENTS

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.				HHEI Metric Points
TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT	
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]		Substrate Max = 40 <div>22</div> A + B
<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]		<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]		
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	40	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	2.5	
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	40	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]		
Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock <u>80</u>		(A) <div>15</div>	(B) <div>7</div>	
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):				Pool Depth Max = 30 <div>15</div>
<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 <u> </u> MAXIMUM POOL DEPTH (centimeters): <div>9.5</div>				Bankfull Width Max=30 <div>5</div>
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 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 <u>OHwn 3', H 3" TOB 4.5', 6"</u> AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters) <div>1.8</div>				

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	L	R
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Per Bank)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Most Predominant per Bank)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Wide >10m	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mature Forest, Wetland
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input 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"/> Narrow <5m	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Residential, Park, New Field
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Fenced Pasture
COMMENTS <u> </u>		<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):
☒ Stream Flowing ☐ Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
☐ Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial) ☐ Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)
 COMMENTS Stream Flowing, recent RAIN, likely Intermittent

SINUOSITY (Number of bends per 61 m (200 ft) of channel) (Check ONLY one box):
☐ None ☐ 1.0 ☐ 2.0 ☒ >3
☐ 0.5 ☐ 1.5 ☐ 2.5

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)

Stream 4

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: Hamley Run Distance from Evaluated Stream 20.1 mi
☐ 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: Nelsonville NRCS Soil Map Page: 1 NRCS Soil Map Stream Order 1
 County: Athens Township / City: Athens

MISCELLANEOUS

Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 2/9/2017 Quantity: ~1" snow

Photograph Information: _____

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): _____ Canopy (% open): 65%

Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: 1

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

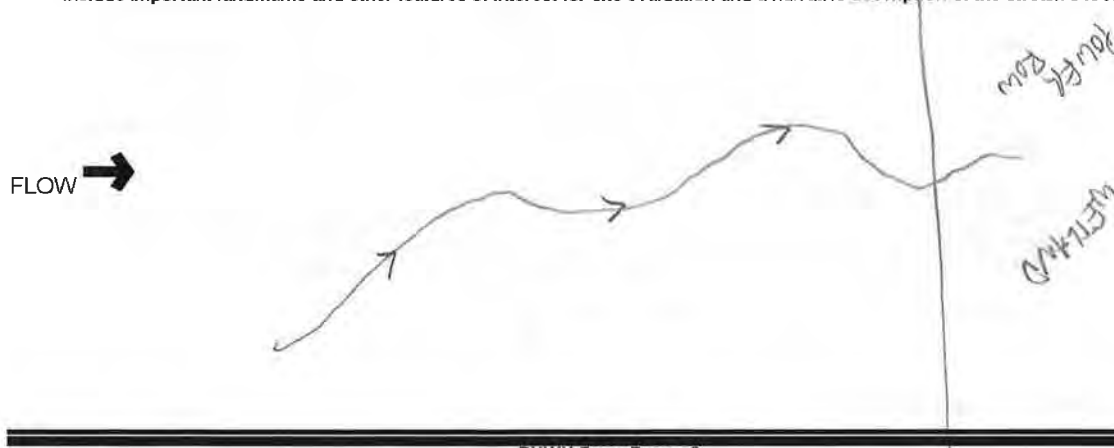
Performed? (Y/N): Y (If Yes, Record all observations. Voucher collections optional. NOTE: all voucher samples must be labeled with the site ID number. Include appropriate field data sheets from the Primary Headwater Habitat Assessment Manual)

Fish Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) 1 Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) 1
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) 1 Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) 1

Comments Regarding Biology: none 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



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Primary Headwater Habitat Evaluation Form

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

62

SITE NAME/LOCATION Lemaster-Lick 138 KV Transmission Line Relocation Project
Attens, Co OH SITE NUMBER Stream 5 RIVER BASIN Hocking DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) <0.1
 LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) 200 LAT. 39.385194°N LONG. 82.172544°W RIVER CODE 1 RIVER MILE 1
 DATE 10/1 SCORER 3NKP COMMENTS

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.				HHEI Metric Points
TYPE	PERCENT	TYPE	PERCENT	
<input type="checkbox"/> BLDR SLABS [16 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> SILT [3 pt]	15	Substrate Max = 40 22 A + B
<input type="checkbox"/> BOULDER (>256 mm) [16 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> LEAF PACK/WOODY DEBRIS [3 pts]	7	
<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]		<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]	7	
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]		<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN [0 pt]	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	30	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]	3	
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	35	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]		
Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock <u>65</u>		(A) <u>15</u>	(B) <u>7</u>	
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):				Pool Depth Max = 30 25
<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				11
3. BANK FULL WIDTH (Measured as the average of 3-4 measurements) (Check ONLY one box):				Bankfull Width Max=30 15
<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 <u>3' 2", 4" To B 4' 6" 2' 9"</u>				
AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters) <u>1.4</u>				

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

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"/> >3

STREAM GRADIENT ESTIMATE

<input type="checkbox"/> Flat (0.5 ft/100 ft)	<input type="checkbox"/> Flat to Moderate	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate (2 ft/100 ft)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moderate to Severe	<input type="checkbox"/> Severe (10 ft/100 ft)
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Stream 5

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: Hamley Run Distance from Evaluated Stream 20.1 mi
☐ 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

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 County: Athens Township / City: Athens

MISCELLANEOUS

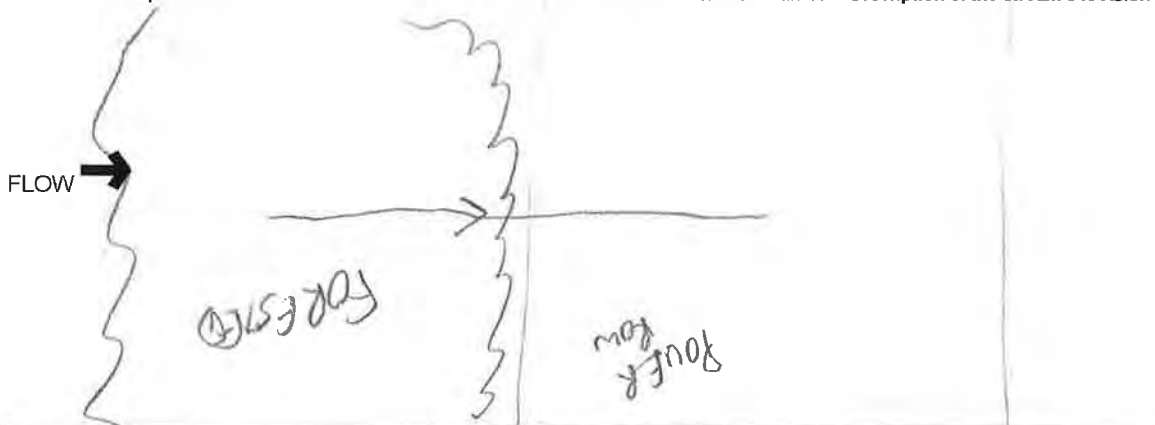
Base Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 2/9/2017 Quantity: ~1" snow
 Photograph Information: _____
 Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 95
 Were samples collected for water chemistry? (Y/N): N (Note lab sample no. or id. and attach results) Lab Number: /
 Field Measures: 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): 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) N Voucher? (Y/N) / Salamanders Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) /
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N) N Voucher? (Y/N) / Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N) 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

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

51

SITE NAME/LOCATION Lemaster - Lick 138 kV Transmission Line Relocation Project
Athens Co, OH SITE NUMBER Stream 6 RIVER BASIN Hocking DRAINAGE AREA (mi²) < 0.1 mi²
 LENGTH OF STREAM REACH (ft) 100 LAT. 39.381347°N LONG. -81.171178°W RIVER CODE / RIVER MILE /
 DATE 10 FEB 2017 SCORER JN/KB COMMENTS _____

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.				HHEI Metric Points
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<input type="checkbox"/> BEDROCK [16 pt]		<input type="checkbox"/> FINE DETRITUS [3 pts]		
<input type="checkbox"/> COBBLE (65-256 mm) [12 pts]	5	<input type="checkbox"/> CLAY or HARDPAN. [0 pt]		
<input type="checkbox"/> GRAVEL (2-64 mm) [9 pts]	65	<input type="checkbox"/> MUCK [0 pts]		
<input type="checkbox"/> SAND (<2 mm) [6 pts]	15	<input type="checkbox"/> ARTIFICIAL [3 pts]		
Total of Percentages of Bldr Slabs, Boulder, Cobble, Bedrock <u>5</u>		(A) <u>15</u>	(B) <u>6</u>	
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):				Pool Depth Max = 30 25
<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): <u>13</u>				Bankfull Width Max=30 5
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 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 <u>Down 2', 6" BKF 3', 1'</u> AVERAGE BANKFULL WIDTH (meters) <u>.9</u>				

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)
☒ Wide >10m
☐ Moderate 5-10m
☒ Narrow <5m
☐ None

COMMENTS _____

FLOODPLAIN QUALITY

- 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 ☐ Moist Channel, isolated pools, no flow (Intermittent)
☐ Subsurface flow with isolated pools (Interstitial) ☐ Dry channel, no water (Ephemeral)
 COMMENTS INT STREAM, BUT FLOWING W/ RECENT RAINS

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)

Stream 6

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: Hamley Run Distance from Evaluated Stream 40.1 m'
☐ 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: Nelsonville NRCS Soil Map Page: _____ NRCS Soil Map Stream Order 1
 County: ATHENS Township / City: Athens

MISCELLANEOUSBase Flow Conditions? (Y/N): Y Date of last precipitation: 2/9/2017 Quantity: ~1" snow

Photograph Information: _____

Elevated Turbidity? (Y/N): N Canopy (% open): 95%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 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)

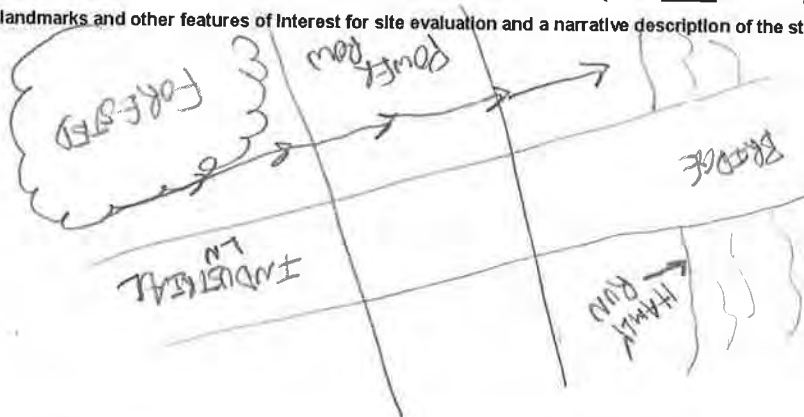
Fish Observed? (Y/N): N Voucher? (Y/N): 1 Salamanders Observed? (Y/N): N Voucher? (Y/N): 1
 Frogs or Tadpoles Observed? (Y/N): N Voucher? (Y/N): 1 Aquatic Macroinvertebrates Observed? (Y/N): N Voucher? (Y/N): 1

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 →



**LETTER OF NOTIFICATION FOR LEMASTER-LICK 138 KV TRANSMISSION LINE RELOCATION
PROJECT**

Appendix D Structure Design and Phasing Diagrams
April 3, 2017

Appendix D. Structure Design and Phasing Diagrams

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