TETLP OPEN PROJECT
STREAM SUMMARY

OPEN Facility: ☒ 30" ☐ 36" MP: STA 2781+00 ☐ Compressor Station

Observers: JG, KC Date: 9/26/13

Town: Colerain County: Belmont

Crossing Name/ID: K13-226-S1 (Wheeling Crk) Recent Rain Event (date/amount): 9/21/13 >1/2"

Flow Characteristics

Bank Full Width (average): 70' Flow Conditions: ☒ Flowing ☐ Subsurface ☐ Moist Channel ☐ Dry

Flow Type		Flow Velocity		Comments:
☒ Perennial	☐ Intermittent	☐ Torrential	☒ Mod/Slow	Heavily silted.
☐ Interstitial	☐ Ephemeral	☐ Fast	☐ Eddies	Riffle 80%

Max Pool Depth: ☐ > 40 cm/15.8 in ☐ < 40 cm/15.8 in Max Pool Depth: N/A

Max Run Depth: 20"

Riffle and Pool Width: ☐ Same ☐ Wider Pool ☒ Wider Riffle No pool

Average 3-6" riffle depth

Run 10%

Small run located along left bank where banks are most eroded

Channel and Bank Characteristics

Channel Substrate %:	Origin	Quality	Bank Height
___ BLDR Slab	☐ Limestone	*Silted Stream Channel*	5 ft
___ Boulder	☐ Tills	☒ High	**Bank Erosion**
___ Bedrock	☐ Wetlands	☐ Moderate	L R
___ Cobble	☐ Hardpan	☐ Normal	☐ ☒ None, Some
88 Gravel	☐ Sandstone	☐ Free	☐ ☐ Moderate
___ Sand	☐ Rip/Rap	*Embeddedness*	☒ ☐ High-Severe
10 Silt Mud	☐ Lacustrine	☐ Extensive	
___ Clay Hardpan	☒ Shale	☐ Moderate	
___ Peat-Muck	☐ Coal Fines	☐ Normal	
___ Artificial		☒ None	
2 Woody/Leaf Debris			
___ Fine Detritus			

Embedded Riffle/Run: No

Stream Cover

Instream Cover (presence 0-3 [ranges 0, 1-33%, 33-66%, 66-100%])		Instream Total Cover	Canopy Cover
0 Undercut Bank	0 Boulders	☐ Extensive 75-100%	☐ 90-100% Closed
1 Overhanging Veg.	0 Backwater	☐ High 25-75%	☐ 70-90%
0 Shallows (slow moving)	0 Aquatic Macrophytes	☐ Mod. 5-25%	☐ 45-70%
0 Rootmats	0 Logs or Woody Debris	☒ Low <5%	☐ 10-45%
0 Rootwads		<1%	☒ 0-10% Open
			or less.

Stream Morphology and Riparian Zone

Sinuosity	Gradient (estimate)	Riparian Zone (Left/Right)	Flood Plain Quality
☐ High	☒ Flat (0.5/100 ft)	☐ ☐ Wide >50 m	☒ Forested
☐ Mod	☐ Mod Flat	☒ ☒ Mod 10-50 m	☒ Shrub or old field
☐ Low	☐ Mod (2/100 ft)	☐ ☐ Narrow 5-10 m	☐ Hay field
☒ None	☐ Mod Severe	☐ ☐ Very Narrow <5	☐ Active Pasture
# of Bends 0	☐ Severe (10/100 ft)		☐ Row crops
			☒ Development Roads (County, Highway) Access Rods

Stream Ecology and Associated Wildlife Comments (i.e. marcos, salamanders, fish):

Numerous Crayfish (one was preying on another)

Sucker fish ~20

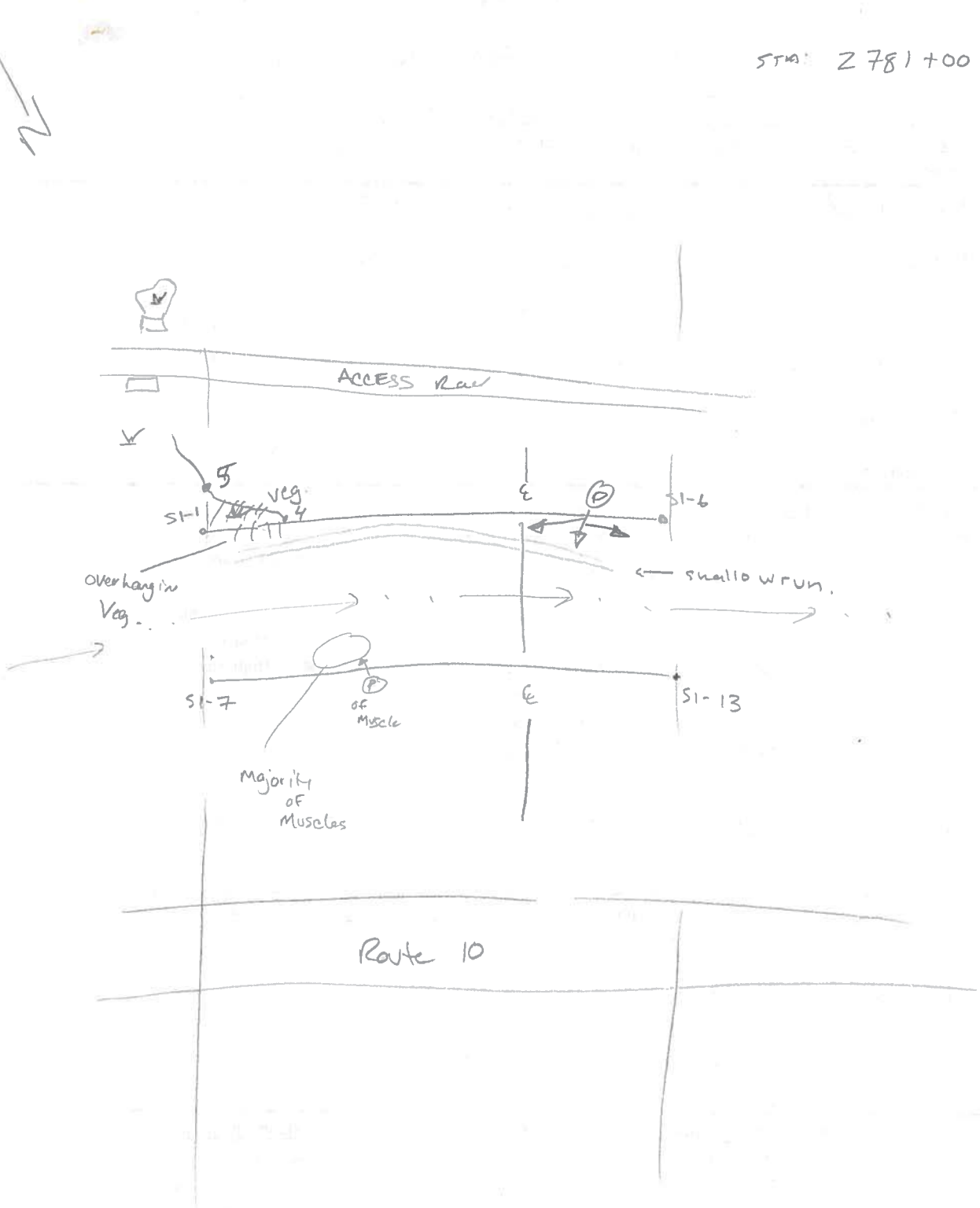
Small darters.

Water striders.

Multiple small Muscle

STREAM SKETCH

STA: Z 781 +00



Checklist:

- **Stream ID# =** A13-226-S1
- North arrow.
- Detailed sketch of stream (Riffle, Run, Pool).
- Natural and man-made features – roads, culverts, outcrops, structures, etc.
- Photo locations.
- Location of important wildlife sign.

Qualitative Habitat Evaluation Index and Use Assessment Field Sheet

QHEI Score: 44

Stream & Location: A13-226-S1, Wheeling Creek **RM:** _ _ _._ **Date:** 9/ 26/ 13

Scorers Full Name & Affiliation: Jon Gravel, Katie Caron - TRC

River Code: _ _ _- _ _ _- _ _ _ **STORET #:** _ _ _ _ _ _ **Lat./ Long.:** (NAD 83 - decimal °) 40.0825 /80.8285 **Office verified location** ☐

1] SUBSTRATE

Check ***ONLY* Two** substrate *TYPE BOXES*; estimate % or note every type present

BEST TYPES		POOL	RIFFLE
☐	☐ BLDR /SLABS [10]		
☐	☐ BOULDER [9]		
☐	☐ COBBLE [8]		
☑	☐ GRAVEL [7]		88
☐	☐ SAND [6]		
☐	☐ BEDROCK [5]		

OTHER TYPES		POOL	RIFFLE
☐	☐ HARDPAN [4]		
☐	☐ DETRITUS [3]		2
☐	☐ MUCK [2]		
☐	☑ SILT [2]		10
☐	☐ ARTIFICIAL [0]		

(Score natural substrates; ignore sludge from point-sources)

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

Check ONE (*Or 2 & average*)

ORIGIN
- ☐ LIMESTONE [1]
- ☐ TILLS [1]
- ☐ WETLANDS [0]
- ☐ HARDPAN [0]
- ☐ SANDSTONE [0]
- ☐ RIP/RAP [0]
- ☐ LACUSTURINE [0]
- ☑ SHALE [-1]
- ☐ COAL FINES [-2]

QUALITY

SILT
- ☑ HEAVY [-2]
- ☐ MODERATE [-1]
- ☐ NORMAL [0]
- ☐ FREE [1]

EMBEDDEDNESS
- ☐ EXTENSIVE [-2]
- ☐ MODERATE [-1]
- ☐ NORMAL [0]
- ☑ NONE [1]

Comments

Substrate 7 *Maximum 20*

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.

0	UNDERCUT BANKS [1]	0	POOLS > 70cm [2]	0	OXBOWS, BACKWATERS [1]
1	OVERHANGING VEGETATION [1]	0	ROOTWADS [1]	0	AQUATIC MACROPHYTES [1]
0	SHALLOWS (IN SLOW WATER) [1]	0	BOULDERS [1]	0	LOGS OR WOODY DEBRIS [1]
0	ROOTMATS [1]				

AMOUNT

Check ONE (*Or 2 & average*)
- ☐ EXTENSIVE >75% [11]
- ☐ MODERATE 25-75% [7]
- ☐ SPARSE 5-<25% [3]
- ☑ NEARLY ABSENT <5% [1]

Comments

Cover *Maximum 20* 2

3] CHANNEL MORPHOLOGY

Check ONE in each category (*Or 2 & average*)

SINUOSITY	DEVELOPMENT	CHANNELIZATION	STABILITY
☐ HIGH [4]	☐ EXCELLENT [7]	☑ NONE [6]	☑ HIGH [3]
☐ MODERATE [3]	☑ GOOD [5]	☐ RECOVERED [4]	☐ MODERATE [2]
☐ LOW [2]	☐ FAIR [3]	☐ RECOVERING [3]	☐ LOW [1]
☑ NONE [1]	☑ POOR [1]	☐ RECENT OR NO RECOVERY [1]	

Comments

pool is poor, glide is good, riffle is good, run is good

Channel *Maximum 20* 13

4] BANK EROSION AND RIPARIAN ZONE

Check **ONE** in each category for ***EACH BANK*** (*Or 2 per bank & average*)

River right looking downstream

EROSION L	EROSION R	
☐	☑	NONE / LITTLE [3]
☐	☐	MODERATE [2]
☑	☐	HEAVY / SEVERE [1]

RIPARIAN WIDTH L	RIPARIAN WIDTH R	
☐	☐	WIDE > 50m [4]
☑	☑	MODERATE 10-50m [3]
☐	☐	NARROW 5-10m [2]
☐	☐	VERY NARROW < 5m [1]
☐	☐	NONE [0]

FLOOD PLAIN QUALITY L	FLOOD PLAIN QUALITY R	
☐	☑	FOREST, SWAMP [3]
☑	☐	SHRUB OR OLD FIELD [2]
☐	☐	RESIDENTIAL, PARK, NEW FIELD [1]
☐	☐	FENCED PASTURE [1]
☐	☐	OPEN PASTURE, ROWCROP [0]

L	R	
☐	☐	CONSERVATION TILLAGE [1]
☐	☑	URBAN OR INDUSTRIAL [0]
☐	☐	MINING / CONSTRUCTION [0]

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

Comments

Riparian *Maximum 10* 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]
- ☐ VERY FAST [1]
- ☐ FAST [1]
- ☑ MODERATE [1]
- ☑ SLOW [1]
- ☐ INTERSTITIAL [-1]
- ☐ INTERMITTENT [-2]
- ☐ EDDIES [1]

Indicate for reach - pools and riffles.

Recreation Potential
Primary Contact
Secondary Contact
(circle one and comment on back)

Comments

No pools, assigned scores of zero to indicate no pools.

Pool / Current *Maximum 12* 2

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
- ☐ BEST AREAS > 10cm [2]
- ☑ BEST AREAS 5-10cm [1]
- ☐ BEST AREAS < 5cm [metric=0]

RUN DEPTH
- ☑ MAXIMUM > 50cm [2]
- ☐ MAXIMUM < 50cm [1]

RIFFLE / RUN SUBSTRATE
- ☐ STABLE (e.g., Cobble, Boulder) [2]
- ☑ MOD. STABLE (e.g., Large Gravel) [1]
- ☐ UNSTABLE (e.g., Fine Gravel, Sand) [0]

RIFFLE / RUN EMBEDDEDNESS
- ☑ NONE [2]
- ☐ LOW [1]
- ☐ MODERATE [0]
- ☐ EXTENSIVE [-1]

Comments

Riffle / Run *Maximum 8* 6

6] GRADIENT

(17 ft/mi)

DRAINAGE AREA (91.6 mi²)

- ☐ VERY LOW - LOW [2-4]
- ☑ MODERATE [6-10]
- ☐ HIGH - VERY HIGH [10-6]

%POOL: 0 **%GLIDE:** 10 **%RUN:** 10 **%RIFFLE:** 80

Gradient *Maximum 10* 4

Gradient Metric score was off the chart, defaulted to a score of 4

A] SAMPLED REACH

Check ALL that apply

Comment RE: Reach consistency/ Is reach typical of steam?, *Recreation/* Observed - Inferred, *Other/* Sampling observations, Concerns, Access directions, etc.
numerous crayfish observed, about 20 sucker fish, small darters, water striders and multiple small muscles observed.

METHOD

- ☐ BOAT
- ☑ WADE
- ☐ L. LINE
- ☐ OTHER

STAGE

1st -sample pass- 2nd

- ☐ HIGH ☐
- ☐ UP ☐
- ☑ NORMAL ☐
- ☐ LOW ☐
- ☐ DRY ☐

DISTANCE

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

40 m
meters

CLARITY

1st --sample pass-- 2nd

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

1st 50.8 cm cm
2nd _____ cm

CANOPY

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

B] AESTHETICS

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

C] RECREATION

AREA DEPTH
POOL: ☐ >100ft² ☐ >3ft

D] MAINTENANCE

Circle some & *COMMENT*

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

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 H_20 / TILE / H_20 TABLE
ACID / MINE / QUARRY / FLOW
NATURAL / WETLAND / STAGNANT
PARK / GOLF / LAWN / HOME
ATMOSPHERE / DATA PAUCITY

F] MEASUREMENTS

x̄ width	21.36 m
x̄ depth	
max. depth	5.08 m
x̄ bankfull width	
bankfull x̄ depth	
W/D ratio	
bankfull max. depth	
floodprone x^2 width	
entrench. ratio	

Legacy Tree:

Stream Drawing:

OPEN 30” Mainline Waterbody Photographs
Belmont County, Ohio

Colerain Township MP 54.58
A13-226-S1

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	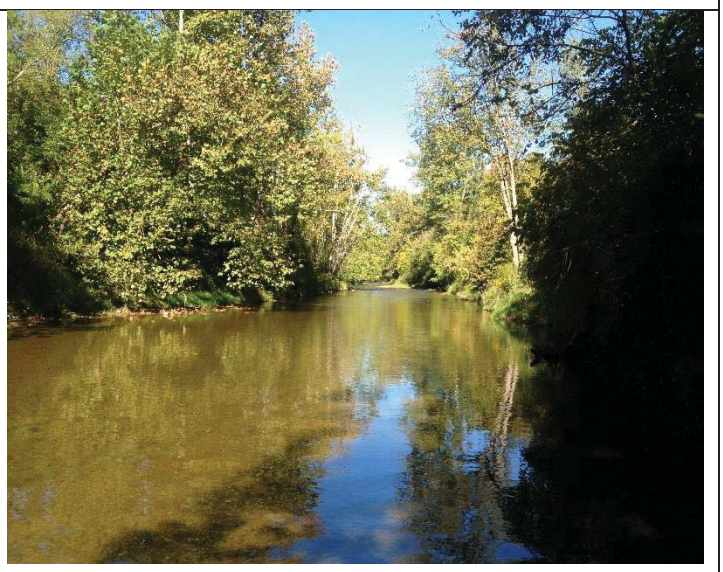
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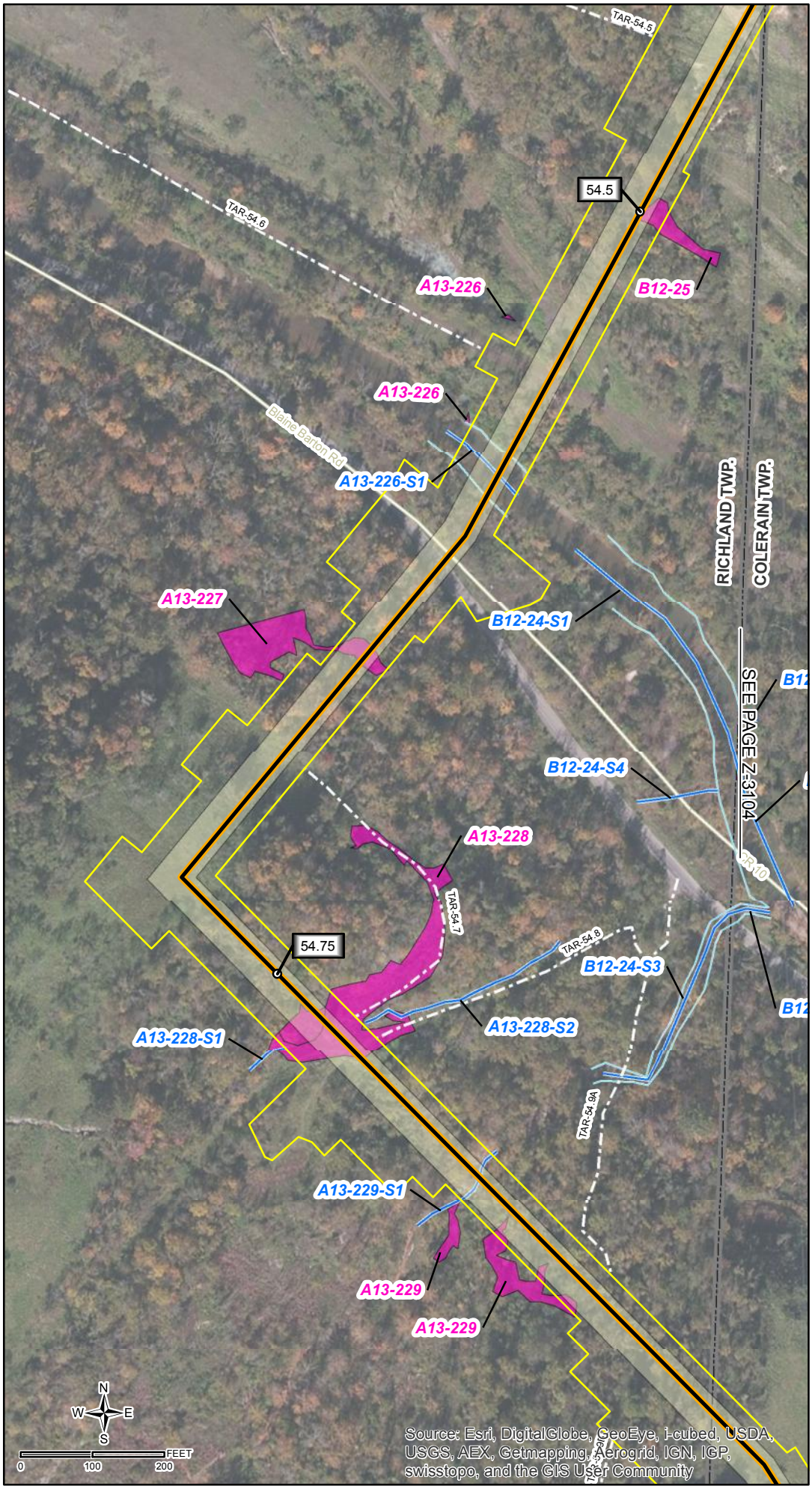
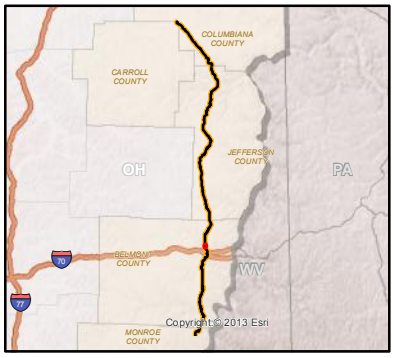
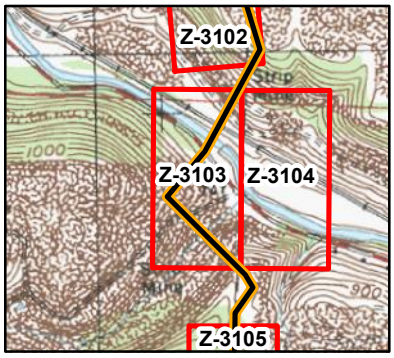
Photo 1: Perennial stream, looking upstream to the west
Photo 2: Perennial stream, looking downstream to the east







LEGEND

- MILE POST
- PROPOSED PIPELINE
- PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
- DELINEATED STREAM
- DELINEATED WATERBODY EDGE
- EXISTING ROAD CENTERLINE
- DELINEATED WATERBODY
- DELINEATED WETLAND
- PROPOSED PERMANENT EASEMENT
- PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION WORKSPACE
- MUNICIPALITY BOUNDARY

Data Sources: ESRI, Spectra, TRC, Hatch Mott MacDonald

Projection: NAD83, StatePlane
Ohio NorthFIPS 3401
US Survey Feet

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Spectra Natural Gas Pipeline
2015 OPEN Project
Proposed 30in. Line NO. 73

Natural Resource Maps

Map Z-3103

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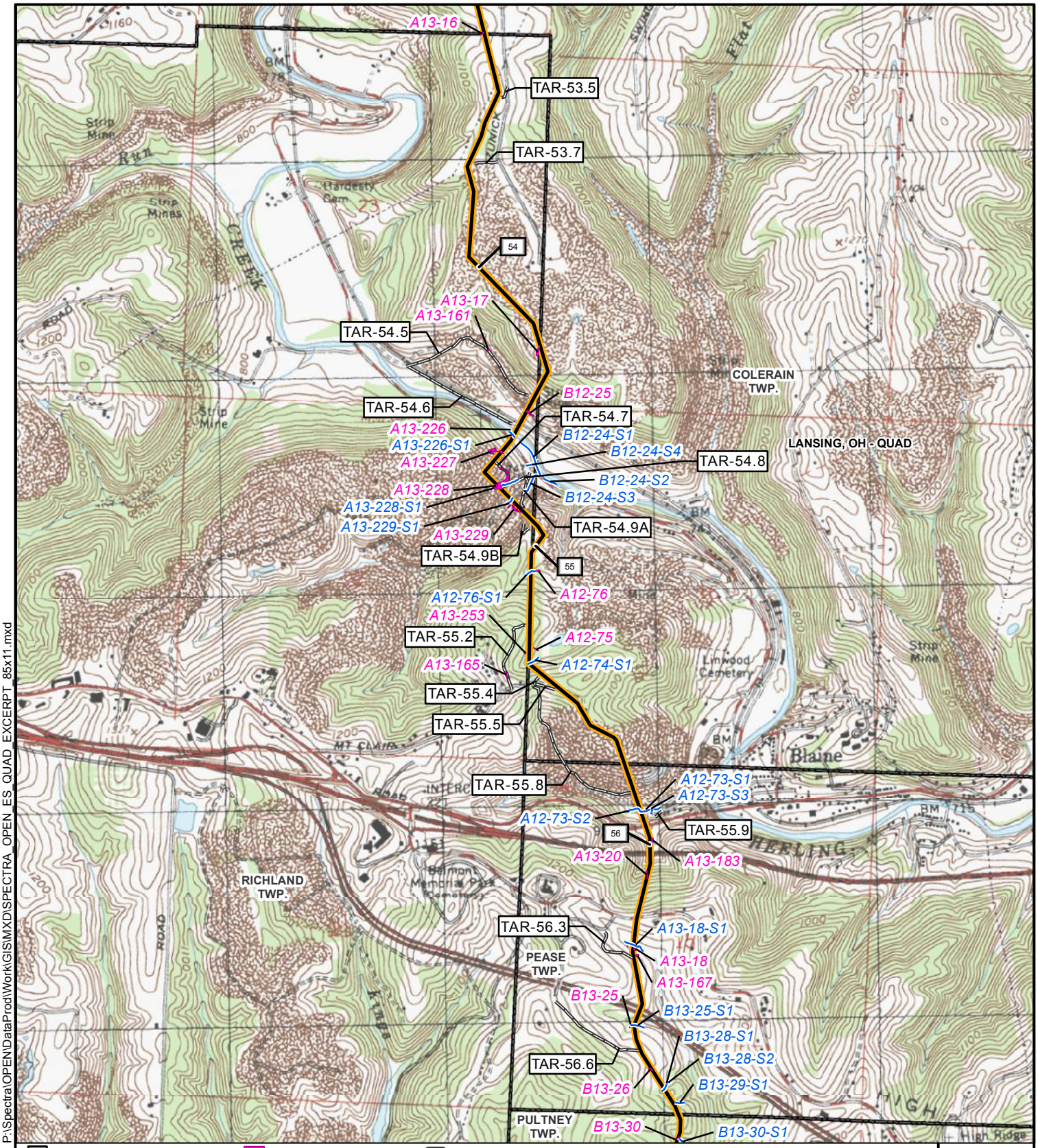

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PROPOSED PIPELINE	DELINEATED WATERBODY	PROPOSED REGULATOR STATION	MUNICIPALITY BOUNDARY
PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD	PROPOSED STAGING AREA	PROPOSED TAP VALVE	COUNTY BOUNDARY
EXISTING TEXAS EASTERN PIPELINE	PROPOSED MAINLINE VALVE		USGS QUADRANGLE BOUNDARY
DELINEATED STREAM CENTERLINE			

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TITLE: **OPEN PROJECT**
DELINEATED STREAMS & WETLANDS - USGS QUAD MAP

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