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Environmental Document

for

D12 TSG FY2026 PID 122418

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Approved: 10/23/2025

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The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable Federal environmental laws for this project are being, or have been, carried out by ODOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated December 14, 2020, and executed by FHWA and ODOT.

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PID 122418
Project Sponsor ODOT Sponsoring Agency
ODOT District 12
Funding Source Non-Federal
Does this project require a Federal permit or approval? No

Project Description:

Traffic signal repair at various routes & sections

All work within existing r/w.

A Cultural Resources Records Check was performed by district environmental staff Megan Romanchok, Environmental Specialist 2, using the online OSHPO ArcMap Resource Map. No Cultural Resources listed on or determined eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places were identified within and/or immediately adjacent to the proposed project area. The undertaking is a type which has minimal potential to cause effects to historic properties. No further coordination is required in accordance with ORC 149.53 Appendix A. The Record Check can be found in the Project File Under Cultural Resources/Project Information. District approval date 9/19/2025.

This project is located in a floodplain; however, this C1-level traffic signal repair project has such a remote chance of affecting base flood elevation that it is excluded from analysis. A letter of no rise will be sent to the applicable flood plain administrator for project locations within a FEMA floodzone.

No work in wetlands, waterbodies or pollinator sites. No tree or shrub removal will be required for this project.

This project activity is not exempt from OAC Rule 3745-513 due to excavation and mast arm foundation installation. However, the project locations are not within 300' of any landfills. The RMR Screening Form can be found in Project File/RMR/Project Information/ RMR Screening Form.

Funding: Construction: \$350,000.00; 100% State
C1 approval is based on Schematic Plans.

The next phase of the proposed project is listed on the STIP: Yes

Ellis STIP Details

Phase	Current STIP Reference
ENV	
CO	122418: 26-29 STIP

The current cost estimate is in line with existing federal procedures for Ohio STIP Amendments and Administration Modifications: Yes

Cultural Resources Coordination: ORC 149.53 Appendix A

Cultural Resources Coordination Date: 09/19/2025

Since no Tribe was interested in this project based on their customized preferences, no further Tribal consultation was conducted.

Supporting documentation has been uploaded to Project File: Yes



Select the appropriate project type (more than one can be selected):

(22) Projects, as defined in 23 U.S.C. 101 that would take place entirely within the existing operational right-of-way. Existing operational right-of-way refers to right-of-way that has been disturbed for an existing transportation facility or is maintained for a transportation purpose. This area includes the features associated with the physical footprint of the transportation facility (including the roadway, bridges, interchanges, culverts, drainage, fixed guideways, mitigation areas, etc.) and other areas maintained for transportation purposes such as clear zone, traffic control signage, landscaping, any rest areas with direct access to a controlled access highway, areas maintained for safety and security of a transportation facility, parking facilities with direct access to an existing transportation facility, transit power substations, transit venting structures, and transit maintenance facilities. Portions of the right-of-way that have not been disturbed or that are not maintained for transportation purposes are not in the existing operational right-of-way. ***Examples include: Tower lighting within the existing operational right-of-way; Guardrail installation and replacement (including median cable barriers) where roadway ditches and backslopes will not be relocated; Improvements to existing ODOT/County maintenance facilities; Construction of new ODOT/County maintenance facilities within existing operational right-of-way; Environmental mitigation activities within existing operational right-of-way; Work on pedestrian and vehicle transfer structures and associated utilities, buildings, and terminals within existing operational right-of-way; Construction of alternative energy facilities (fuel tank farms, wind turbines, etc.)***

Environmental Commitments:

Yes



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Environmental Commitments

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- 1) Provide a Letter of No Rise to local Floodplain Administrator for locations within a FEMA floodzone.



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Preparers and Approvals

Form Preparer

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Approvals & Electronic Signatures

Approved & Electronically Signed By:	Approval Date:
Thomas Sorge (PROGRAM ADMIN 3)	10/23/2025



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Appendix

Cultural Resources

Records Check.pdf

Ecological

ODNR Scenic River MOA Conditions

Permits

FEMA FIRM.pdf