

# CASE STUDY

GROUND & AIR COLLABORATION, CLEVELAND OH



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## TRANSMISSION LINE CROSSING: A GROUND & AIR COLLABORATION

AWP facilitates traffic for a massive electrical service project

### PROJECT TYPE

Traffic control services in Cleveland, Ohio

### THE CHALLENGE

In January 2015, work on a \$133 million transmission project led to the need for enhanced electric service in Cleveland, Ohio and the surrounding areas. AWP was contracted to provide traffic control services on the adjacent roadways where overhead work would be completed, including helicopter drop-off and pick-up points for personal and large equipment. This created several logistical challenges in regards to communication, safety, and efficiency

### THE SOLUTION

AWP's Oakwood team set up and executed two rolling slow-downs simultaneously on I-271 and SR-8 to allow the utility crews to pull the lines across the highways. With the help of a dozen Ohio State Highway Patrol, AWP kept traffic flowing, and provided the utility crews the safety and space they needed to get the job done.

- 11 flaggers and supervisors
- Several message board & traffic control signs
- Access to several side streets and other entrances
- More than 100 ADA's

In their effort to set up safe work zones and conduct traffic control, AWP restricted access and maintained traffic flow through and around several large business and retail parking lots. This ensured the public was clear of any potential dangers posed by the work being done overhead.

### PROJECT RESULTS

Project Manager, Art Simms, and Project Lead, Nick Selogy, successfully coordinated this impressive project, and the Oakwood team carried it out with exemplary professionalism and teamwork.

The Oakwood team operated with continued vigilant adherence to the AWP mission—We make roads safer! We are also pleased that residents in the Cleveland community will be enjoying enhanced electric service for years to come.