AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER CO INC Form 8-K November 13, 2012

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

# FORM 8-K

## **CURRENT REPORT**

#### PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(D) OF THE

## **SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported) November 12, 2012

# AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY, INC.

 $(Exact\ Name\ of\ Registrant\ as\ Specified\ in\ Its\ Charter)$ 

1-3525 (Commission New York (State or Other Jurisdiction 13-4922640 (IRS Employer

File Number) of Incorporation) Identification No.)

1 Riverside Plaza, Columbus, OH (Address of Principal Executive Offices)

43215 (Zip Code)

#### 614-716-1000

(Registrant s Telephone Number, Including Area Code)

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

- " Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)
- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- " Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

#### Item 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

Members of management of American Electric Power Company, Inc. (the Company) will attend and participate in meetings of the 47th Annual Edison Electric Institute Conference (the EEI Conference). A copy of presentation materials that will be used at the EEI Conference is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein.

The information in this Form 8-K, including the exhibit listed below, is being furnished, not filed, pursuant to Regulation FD.

#### Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

(d) Exhibits

Exhibit No. Description

99.1 EEI Conference Presentation Materials

#### Forward Looking Statements

Some of the statements contained in this Current Report on Form 8-K are forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and are subject to the safe harbor created thereby and by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. These statements include declarations regarding the intents, beliefs, estimates and current expectations of the Company. Forward-looking statements involve estimates, assumptions, known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause the Company s actual results, levels of activity, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Therefore, forward-looking statements are not guarantees or assurances of future performance, and actual results could differ materially from those indicated by the forward-looking statements.

#### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

AMERICAN ELECTRIC POWER COMPANY, INC.

By: /s/ Thomas G. Berkemeyer Name: Thomas G. Berkemeyer Title: Assistant Secretary

November 12, 2012