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### A

AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ABAG	Association of Bay Area Governments
ADT	Average Daily Traffic
AES	Analytical Environmental Services
AMR	American Medical Response
amsl	Above Mean Sea Level
AL	Action Level
APA	American Psychiatric Association
APGSA	Association of Problem Gambling Service Administrators
APN	Assessor's Parcel Number
ARPA	Archaeological Resources Protection Act
ASHRAE	American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air Conditioning Engineers
ASTM	American Society of Testing Materials

### B

BAE	Bay Area Economics
bgs	Below Ground Surface
BIA	Bureau of Indian Affairs
BMPs	Best Management Practices
BOD	Biological Oxygen Demand
BP	Before Present

### C

C	Degrees in Celsius
CAA	Federal Clean Air Act
CARB	California Air Resources Board
CCC	Clark County Code
CCFD	Clark County Fire District
CCWPO	Clark County Wetland Protection Ordinance
CEQ	Council on Environmental Quality
CEQA	California Environmental Quality Act
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act
CERCLIS	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Index System
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CFU	Colony Forming Units
cfs	Cubic Feet Per Second
cm	Centimeters
CO	Carbon Monoxide
CO <sub>2</sub> e	Carbon Dioxide Equivalent

CH <sub>4</sub>	Methane
CPSC	Consumer Product Safety Commission
CPU	Clark Public Utilities
CRC	Columbia Resources Company
CRESA	Clark Regional Emergency Services Agency
CSCSL	Confirmed and Suspected Contaminated Sites List
CvA	Cove Silty Clay Loam (0 to 3 percent slopes)
CWA	Federal Clean Water Act

**D**

dB	Decibel
dBA	A-Weighted Decibel
DCE	Documented Categorical Exclusion
DEIS	Draft Environmental Impact Statement
DEIR	Draft Environmental Impact Report
DGER	Division of Geology and Earth Resources
DO	Dissolved Oxygen
DOE	Department of Ecology
DOH	Department of Health
DOR	Department of Revenue
DOT	Department of Transportation

**E**

EA	Environmental Assessment
EDR	Environmental Data Resources, Inc.
EDNA	Environmental Designation for Noise Abatement
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
ELS	Ecological Land Services
EMS	Emergency Medical Service
EMT	Emergency Medical Technician
ERA	Economics Research Associates
ESA	Environmental Site Assessment
ESA	Endangered Species Act
ESD	Education Service District

**F**

°F	Degrees in Fahrenheit
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FARR	Federal Air Rules for Reservations
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FEIS	Final Environmental Impact Statement
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FESA	Federal Endangered Species Act
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FICON	Federal Interagency Committee on Noise
FIP	Federal Implementation Plans
FINDS	Facility Index System
FIRM	Flood Insurance Rate Map
FPPA	Farmland Protection Policy Act

FR	Federal Register
FTE	Full-time Equivalent
FWPCA	Federal Water Pollution Control Act
FY	Fiscal Year
<b>G</b>	
GAA	General Allotment Act
GeB	Gee Silt Loam (0 to 8 percent slopes)
GeD	Gee Silt Loam (8 to 20 percent slopes)
GeE	Gee Silt Loam (20 to 30 percent slopes)
GeF	Gee Silt Loam (30 to 60 percent slopes)
GFA	Gaming Floor Area
GHG	Greenhouse Gas
GIS	Geographic Information System
GMA	Growth Management Act
GMP	Growth Management Plan
GOIA	Washington Governor's Office of Indian Affairs
gpd	Gallons Per Day
gpm	Gallons Per Minute
g/vmt	Grams Per Vehicle Miles Traveled
<b>H</b>	
HB	House Bill
HCM	Highway Capacity Manual
HCT	High Capacity Transit
HFCs/PFCs	Hydroflouorocarbons/Perflouorocarbons
HIA	Hillsboro Loam (0 to 3 percent slopes)
HoA	Hillsboro Silt Loam (0 to 3 percent slopes)
HoB	Hillsboro Silt Loam (3 to 8 percent slopes)
HPMP	Historic Properties Mitigation Program
HRA	Heritage Research Associates, Inc.
HUD	U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
HVAC	Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning
Hz	Hertz
<b>I</b>	
ICC(A)	Indian Claims Commission (Act)
IGRA	Indian Gaming Regulatory Act
I	Interstate
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IJR	Interchange Justification Report
IRA	Indian Reorganization Act
IRIS	Integrated Risk Information System
ITE	Institute of Transportation Engineers
<b>K</b>	
K-9	Canine
km	Kilometers
km <sup>2</sup>	Square Kilometers
kv	Kilovolts

kW	Kilowatt
<b>L</b>	
lbs	Pounds
LCFRB	Lower Columbia Fish Recovery Board
LE	Land Evaluation
LESA	Land Evaluation and Site Assessment
L <sub>dn</sub>	Day-Night Average Sound Level
L <sub>eq</sub>	Average Sound Level
LID	Local Improvement District
LOS	Level of Service
<b>M</b>	
MADR	Modified Access Decision Report
MBR	Membrane Bioreactor Plant
MMCF	Million Cubic Feet
MCL	Maximum Contaminant Level
MCLG	Maximum Contaminant Level Goal
MFS	Minimal Functional Standards
mgd	Million Gallons Per Day
mg/L	Milligrams Per Liter
m/L	Milliliters
MLD	Most Likely Descendent
mm	Millimeter
MMIS	Modified Mercalli Intensity Scale
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPN	Most Probably Number
MPBP	Master Planned Business Park
mph	Miles Per Hour
MSAT	Mobile Source Air Toxic
MW	Megawatt
<b>N</b>	
N	Nitrogen
NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards
NAC	Noise Abatement Criteria
NAGPRA	Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act
NB	Northbound
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NESHAP	National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants
NFA	No Further Action
NFPA	National Fire Protection Administration
NFRAP	No Further Remediation Planned
NFRC	National Fenestration Rating Council
NGISC	National Gambling Impact Study Commission
NHPA	National Historic Preservation Act
NIGC	National Indian Gaming Commission
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NO	Nitrogen Oxide
N <sub>2</sub> O	Nitrous Oxide

NOA	Notice of Availability
NOI	Notice of Intent
NORC	National Opinion Research Center
NO <sub>x</sub>	Oxides of Nitrogen
NO <sub>2</sub>	Nitrogen Dioxide
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NPS	National Park Service
NPSGSC	National Public Sector Gaming Study Commission
NRC	National Research Council
NRCS	Natural Resource Conservation Service
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
NSPS	New Source Performance Standards
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Units
NW	Northwest
<b>O</b>	
O <sub>3</sub>	Ozone
OAC	Office of Air Quality
OAHP	Washington State Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation
OAQ	Office of Air Quality
OdB	Odne Silt Loam (0 to 5 percent slope)
OFM	Office of Financial Management
OPA	Oil Pollution Control Act
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
<b>P</b>	
P	Phosphorus
PAA	Pleistocene Alluvial Aquifer
Pb	Lead
PL 280	Public Law 83-280
PM	Particulate Matter
PM <sub>10</sub>	Particulate Matter Less Than 10 Micrometers in Diameter (inhalable particulate matter)
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Particulate Matter Less Than 2.5 Micrometers in Diameter
POTW	Publicly Owned Treatment Facility
ppb	Parts Per Billion
ppm	Parts Per Million
PSD	Prevention of Significant Deterioration
PVC	Polyvinyl Chloride
<b>R</b>	
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RCRIS	Resource Conservation and Recovery Information System
RCW	Revised Code of Washington
REC	Recognized Environmental Condition
RMS	Root Mean Square
ROD	Record of Decision
ROG	Reactive Organic Gasses
RTC	Regional Transportation Council
RV	Recreational Vehicle

**S**

S	Sulfur
SA	Site Assessment
SAO	Washington State Auditor's Office
SB	Southbound
SB	Senate Bill
SCAQMD	South Coast Air Quality Management District
SCS	Soil Conservation Service
SEPA	State Environmental Policy Act
SF <sub>6</sub>	Sulfur Hexafluoride
SGA	Sand and Gravel Aquifer
SHPO	State Historic Preservation Officer
SHZ	St. Helens Fault Zone
SIP	State Implementation Plan
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
SO <sub>x</sub>	Sulfur Oxide Gases
SO <sub>2</sub>	Sulfur Dioxide
SP	Shovel Probe
SPUI	Single Point Urban Interchange
SQER	Small Quantity Emission Rate
SQG	Small Quantity Generator
SR	State Route
SWCAA	Southwest Clean Air Agency
SWMP	Stormwater Management Program
SW/MWMP	Solid Waste/Moderate Waste Management Plan Update
SWPPP	Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan
SWRTC	Southwest Washington Regional Transportation Council
SWWCVB	Southwest Washington Convention and Visitor's Bureau

**T**

TAC	Toxic Air Contaminant
TAP	Toxic Air Pollutant
TAS	Treatment as State
TIS	Traffic Impact Study
TKN	Total Kjeldahl Nitrogen
TMDL	Total Maximum Daily Loads
TNM	Traffic Noise Model
tpy	Tons Per Year
TRB	Transportation Research Board
TSP	Total Suspended Particulates
TSS	Total Suspended Solids

**U**

UACP	Urban Area Comprehensive Plan
UBC	Uniform Building Code
UCMP	University of California Museum of Paleontology
UDC	Uniform Development Code
µg/m <sup>3</sup>	Micrograms Per Cubic Meter
UGA	Urban Growth Area

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UGB	Urban Growth Boundary
U.S.	United States
USACE	United States Army Corps of Engineers
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USEPA	US Environmental Protection Agency
USFWS	United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	United States Geological Survey
UST	Underground Storage Tank
UTA	Upper Troutdale Aquifer
UV	Ultraviolet
<b>V</b>	
VCP	Voluntary Clean-up Program
VOC	Volatile Organic Compounds
VLT	Video Lottery Terminal
<b>W</b>	
WAC	Washington Administrative Code
WAICR	Washington Independent Clean Report
WB	Westbound
WCAT	Washington Climate Action Team
WDFW	Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
WDGER	Washington Division of Geology and Earth Resources
WEDS	Washington Emissions Data System
WISAARD	Washington Information System for Architectural and Archaeological Records Data
WNHDB	Washington National Heritage Database
WNHP	Washington Natural Heritage Program
WOFM	Washington Office of Financial Management
WRIA	Water Resource Inventory Area
WSDE	Washington State Department of Ecology
WSDNR	Washington State Department of Natural Resources
WSDOT	Washington State Department of Transportation
WWTP	Wastewater Treatment Plant