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# ACRONYMS AND OTHER ABBREVIATIONS

µg	microgram(s)
µg/m <sup>3</sup>	micrograms per cubic meter
µmhos	micromhos
ADT	average daily traffic, average daily trips
ADWF	average dry-weather flow
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
APCD	air pollution control district
AQMD	air quality management district
ARB	California Air Resources Board
BLM	U.S. Bureau of Land Management
BMP	best management practice
BOCA	Building Officials and Code Administrators
BRT	bus rapid transit
CAA	federal Clean Air Act
CAAA	federal Clean Air Act Amendments
CAAQS	California ambient air quality standards
Cal/EPA	California Environmental Protection Agency
CALFED program	CALFED Bay-Delta Program
CAL FIRE	California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
Caltrans	California Department of Transportation
CBDA	CALFED Bay-Delta Authority
CCAA	California Clean Air Act

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CCC	California Coastal Commission
CDMG	California Division of Mines and Geology (now California Geological Survey)
CEQ	U.S. Council on Environmental Quality
CEQA	California Environmental Quality Act
CESA	California Endangered Species Act
CFD	community facilities district
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CIP	Capital Improvement Program
CNDDDB	California Natural Diversity Database
CNEL	community noise equivalent level
CNPS	California Native Plant Society
CO	carbon monoxide
CO <sub>2</sub>	carbon dioxide
CPUC	California Public Utilities Commission
CRHR	California Register of Historical Resources
CRLF	California red-legged frog
CSD	community services district
CVFPP	Central Valley Flood Protection Plan
CWA	Clean Water Act
dB	decibel(s)
dBA	A-weighted decibel(s)
dbh	diameter at breast height
Delta	Sacramento–San Joaquin Delta
DFA	California Department of Food and Agriculture
DFG	California Department of Fish and Game
DGS	California Department of General Services
DHS	California Department of Health Services
DOC	California Department of Conservation
DOE	U.S. Department of Energy
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation
DTSC	California Department of Toxic Substances Control
du	dwelling unit(s)
du/ac	dwelling units per acre
DWR	California Department of Water Resources

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EIR	environmental impact report
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
ESA	federal Endangered Species Act
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FAR	floor area ratio
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FHA	Federal Housing Administration
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FIRM	Flood Insurance Rate Map
GIS	geographic information system
HAP	hazardous air pollutant
HCP	habitat conservation plan
HUD	U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
LAFCO	Local Agency Formation Commission
L <sub>dn</sub>	day-night average noise level
LEED®	Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design
L <sub>eq</sub>	energy-equivalent noise level
L <sub>max</sub>	maximum noise level (the maximum instantaneous noise level during a specific period)
L <sub>min</sub>	minimum noise level (the minimum instantaneous noise level during a specific period)
LOS	level of service
MBTA	Migratory Bird Treaty Act
MCL	maximum contaminant level
MEI	maximally exposed individual
msl	mean sea level
NA	not available, not applicable
NAAQS	national ambient air quality standards
NAHC	Native American Heritage Commission
NASR	Negative Archaeological Survey Report
NCCP	natural communities conservation plan
NEHRPA	National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program Act

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NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NESHAP	National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants
NHPA	National Historic Preservation Act
NO	nitric oxide
NOA	naturally occurring asbestos
NO <sub>x</sub>	oxides of nitrogen
NO <sub>2</sub>	nitrogen dioxide
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
OHP	State Office of Historic Preservation (California)
OPR	Governor's Office of Planning and Research (California)
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	fine particulate matter less than or equal to 2.5 microns in diameter
PM <sub>10</sub>	respirable particulate matter less than or equal to 10 microns in diameter
PRC	California Public Resources Code
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
ROC	reactive organic compound
ROG	reactive organic gases
ROW	right-of-way
RWQCB	regional water quality control board
SCWA	Solano County Water Agency
SEL	single-event (impulsive) noise level
SMARA	California Surface Mining and Reclamation Act
SO <sub>x</sub>	oxides of sulfur
SO <sub>2</sub>	sulfur dioxide
SWP	State Water Project
SWPPP	storm water pollution prevention plan
SWRCB	State Water Resources Control Board (California)

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TAC	toxic air contaminant
TAZ	traffic analysis zone
TDM	transportation demand management
TDR	transfer of development rights
TRO	trip reduction ordinance
TSM	transportation system management
UBC	Uniform Building Code
USACE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
USC	United States Code
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USFS	U.S. Forest Service
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
UWMP	urban water management plan
V/C	volume-to-capacity
VMT	vehicle miles traveled
W	watt(s)
WDR	waste discharge requirement
WWTP	wastewater treatment plant

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