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Abbreviations and Acronyms

ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

| | |
|------------|--|
| AAQS | ambient air quality standards |
| AB | Assembly Bill |
| ACM | asbestos-containing materials |
| ADT | average daily traffic |
| amsl | above mean sea level |
| AQMP | air quality management plan |
| AST | aboveground storage tank |
| BAU | business as usual |
| bgs | below ground surface |
| BMP | best management practices |
| CAA | Clean Air Act |
| CAFE | corporate average fuel economy |
| CalARP | California Accidental Release Prevention Program |
| CalEMA | California Emergency Management Agency |
| Cal/EPA | California Environmental Protection Agency |
| CAL FIRE | California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection |
| CALGreen | California Green Building Standards Code |
| Cal/OSHA | California Occupational Safety and Health Administration |
| CalRecycle | California Department of Resources, Recycling, and Recovery |
| Caltrans | California Department of Transportation |
| CARB | California Air Resources Board |
| CBC | California Building Code |
| CCAA | California Clean Air Act |
| CCR | California Code of Regulations |
| CDE | California Department of Education |
| CDFW | California Department of Fish and Wildlife |
| CEQA | California Environmental Quality Act |
| CERCLA | Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act |
| cfs | cubic feet per second |
| CGS | California Geologic Survey |
| CMP | congestion management program |

Abbreviations and Acronyms

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| CNDDB | California Natural Diversity Database |
| CNEL | community noise equivalent level |
| CO | carbon monoxide |
| CO ₂ e | carbon dioxide equivalent |
| Corps | US Army Corps of Engineers |
| CSO | combined sewer overflows |
| CUPA | Certified Unified Program Agency |
| CWA | Clean Water Act |
| dB | decibel |
| dBA | A-weighted decibel |
| DPM | diesel particulate matter |
| DTSC | Department of Toxic Substances Control |
| EIR | environmental impact report |
| EPA | United States Environmental Protection Agency |
| EPCRA | Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act |
| FEMA | Federal Emergency Management Agency |
| FHWA | Federal Highway Administration |
| FTA | Federal Transit Administration |
| GHG | greenhouse gases |
| GWP | global warming potential |
| HCM | Highway Capacity Manual |
| HQTA | high quality transit area |
| HVAC | heating, ventilating, and air conditioning system |
| IPCC | Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change |
| L _{dn} | day-night noise level |
| L _{eq} | equivalent continuous noise level |
| LBP | lead-based paint |
| LCFS | low-carbon fuel standard |
| LOS | level of service |
| LST | localized significance thresholds |
| M _w | moment magnitude |
| MCL | maximum contaminant level |
| MEP | maximum extent practicable |

Abbreviations and Acronyms

| | |
|-----------------|---|
| mgd | million gallons per day |
| MMT | million metric tons |
| MPO | metropolitan planning organization |
| MT | metric ton |
| MWD | Metropolitan Water District of Southern California |
| NAHC | Native American Heritage Commission |
| NO _x | nitrogen oxides |
| NPDES | National Pollution Discharge Elimination System |
| O ₃ | ozone |
| OES | California Office of Emergency Services |
| PM | particulate matter |
| POTW | publicly owned treatment works |
| ppm | parts per million |
| PPV | peak particle velocity |
| RCRA | Resource Conservation and Recovery Act |
| REC | recognized environmental condition |
| RMP | risk management plan |
| RMS | root mean square |
| RPS | renewable portfolio standard |
| RWQCB | Regional Water Quality Control Board |
| SB | Senate Bill |
| SCAG | Southern California Association of Governments |
| SCAQMD | South Coast Air Quality Management District |
| SIP | state implementation plan |
| SLM | sound level meter |
| SoCAB | South Coast Air Basin |
| SO _x | sulfur oxides |
| SQMP | stormwater quality management plan |
| SRA | source receptor area [or state responsibility area] |
| SUSMP | standard urban stormwater mitigation plan |
| SWP | State Water Project |
| SWPPP | Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan |
| SWRCB | State Water Resources Control Board |

Abbreviations and Acronyms

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| TAC | toxic air contaminants |
| TNM | transportation noise model |
| tpd | tons per day |
| TRI | toxic release inventory |
| TTCP | traditional tribal cultural places |
| USFWS | United States Fish and Wildlife Service |
| USGS | United States Geological Survey |
| UST | underground storage tank |
| UWMP | urban water management plan |
| V/C | volume-to-capacity ratio |
| VdB | velocity decibels |
| VHFHSZ | very high fire hazard severity zone |
| VMT | vehicle miles traveled |
| VOC | volatile organic compound |
| WQMP | water quality management plan |
| WSA | water supply assessment |