

**Appendix D**  
*List of Acronyms*



# APPENDIX D: LIST OF ACRONYMS

TABLE D-1 LIST OF ACRONYMS

Acronym/Abbreviation	Definition
AADT	Annual Average Daily Trips
AAQS	Ambient Air Quality Standards
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
AB	Assembly Bill
ACMs	Asbestos-containing materials
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act
ADL	Aerially deposited lead
ADT	Average Daily Trips/Traffic
AFY	Acre-feet per year
ALS	Advanced Life Support
ALSFPD	Aptos/La Selva Fire Protection District
AMR	American Medical Response
AP	Alquist-Priolo
APCDs	Air Pollution Control Districts
AQMP	Air Quality Management Plan
ATCM	Airborne Toxic Control Measure
BAAQMD	Bay Area Air Quality Management District
BMP	Best Management Practice
CAA	Clean Air Act
CalEEMod	California Emissions Estimator Model
CalEPA	California Environmental Protection Agency
CAL FIRE	California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
Cal/OSHA	California Occupational Health and Safety Administration
CalRecycle	California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery
Caltrans	California Department of Transportation
CAP	Climate Action Plan
CARB	California Air Resources Board
CAS	Climate Action Strategy
CAT	Climate Action Team
CBC	California Building Code
CCC	California Coastal Commission
CCCC	California Climate Change Center
CCR	California Code of Regulations
CCTP	Climate Change Technology Program
CDFG <sup>1</sup>	California Department of Fish and Game
CDMG	California Division of Mines and Geology
CEC	California Energy Commission
CEQA	California Environmental Quality Act
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980
CESA	California Endangered Species Act
CFCs	Chlorofluorocarbons
CFGC	California Fish and Game Code
CFP	Corralitos Filter Plant
CFPD	Central Fire Protection District
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CGS	California Geologic Survey
CH <sub>4</sub>	Methane
CHP	California Highway Patrol
CLG	Certified Local Government
CLTS	Santa Cruz Long-toed Salamander
CNDDDB	California Natural Diversity Data Base

CNPS	California Native Plant Society
CO	Carbon Monoxide
CO <sub>2</sub>	Carbon dioxide
CO <sub>2</sub> E	Carbon dioxide equivalent
CNEL	Community Noise Equivalent Level
CPUC	California Public Utilities Commission
CRLF	California Red-legged Frog
CRPR	California Rare Plant Rank
CTS	California Tiger Salamander
CUE	Critical Use Exemption
CUPA	Certified Unified Program Agency
CWA	Clean Water Act
CWHR	California Wildlife Habitat Relationships
dB	Decibel
dBA	A-weighted Decibel
DCSD	Davenport County Sanitation District
DOC	California Department of Conservation
DOT	Department of Transportation
DPR	Department of Pesticide Regulations
DPS	Distinct Population Segment
DTSC	Department of Toxic Substances Control
DWR	Department of Water Resources
EAP	Energy Action Plan
EHS	Environmental Health Services
EIR	Environmental Impact Report
EMS	Emergency Medical Services
EO	Executive Order
ESA	Environmental Site Assessment
ESU	Evolutionarily Significant Unit
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FESA	Federal Endangered Species Act
FIFRA	Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
FIRMS	Flood Insurance Rate Maps
FMMP	Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program
FTA	Federal Transit Administration
GCF	Green Climate Fund
GHGs	Greenhouse Gases
GWPs	Global warming potentials
HAER	Historic American Engineering Record
HCFCs	Hydrochlorofluorocarbons
HFCs	Hydrofluorocarbons
HHRA	Human Health Risk Assessment
HMMPs	Hazardous Materials Management Plans
HMTA	Hazardous Materials Transportation Act of 1975
HPO	Historic Preservation Ordinance
HSWA	Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments Act
IPCC	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IPH	Iowa Pacific Holdings
ITE	Institute of Transportation Engineers
ITS	Intelligent Transportation Systems
Leq	Equivalent Noise Level
LCFS	Low Carbon Fuel Standard
LCP	Local Coastal Program
LOS	Level of Service
LRAs	Local Responsibility Areas
LRFD	Load and Resistance Factor Design
MACT	Maximum Achievable Control Technology
MBSST	Monterey Bay Sanctuary Scenic Trail
MBTA	Migratory Birds Treaty Act

MBUAPCD	Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District
mgd	Million gallon per day
MLD	Most Likely Descendant
MMI	Modified Mercalli Intensity
MMT	Million metric tons
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPO	Metropolitan Planning Organization
MS4	Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems
MT CO <sub>2</sub> E	Metric tons of carbon dioxide equivalent
MUTCD	Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices
NAHC	Native American Heritage Commission
NCHRP	National Cooperative Highway Research Program
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NESHAP	National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants
NCCAB	North Central Coast Air Basin
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NOP	Notice of Preparation
NO	Nitric oxide
NO <sub>x</sub>	Oxides of nitrogen
NO <sub>2</sub>	Nitrogen dioxide
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NPPA	Native Plant Protection Act
NPS	Non-point Source
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
NWI	National Wetlands Inventory
O&M Plan	Operations and Maintenance Plan
OPR	Office of Planning and Research
PAHs	Poly-nuclear aromatic hydrocarbons
PFCs	Perfluorocarbons
Pga	peak ground acceleration
PGR	Primary Groundwater Recharge
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	Particulate matter 2.5 microns or less in size
PM <sub>10</sub>	Particulate matter 10 microns or less in size
Ppm	Parts per million
PSMCSD	Pajaro/Sunny Mesa Community Services District
PVWMA	Pajaro Valley Water Management Agency
QPS	Quarantine and Preshipment
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
ROG	Reactive Organic Gases
RPS	Renewable Portfolio Standard
RTC	Santa Cruz County Regional Transportation Commission
RTP	Regional Transportation Plan
RWQCB	Regional Water Quality Control Board
Sa	Spectral acceleration
SANDAG	San Diego Association of Governments
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
SB	Senate Bill
SCAQMD	South Coast Air Quality Management District
SCHSA	Santa Cruz County Health Services Agency
SCMBR	Santa Cruz and Monterey Bay Railway
SCS	Sustainable Communities Strategy
SF <sub>6</sub>	Sulfur hexafluoride
SFHAs	Special Flood Hazard Areas
SHPO	State Office of Historic Preservation
SJVAPCD	San Joaquin Air Pollution Control District
SLM	Shared Lane Markings

SLOAPCD	San Luis Obispo Air Pollution Control District
SO <sub>2</sub>	Sulfur dioxide
SPRCo	Southern Pacific Railroad Company
SqCWD	Soquel Creek Water District
SRAs	State Responsibility Areas
SSC	Species of Special Concern
SWMP	Stormwater Management Program
SWPPP	Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan
SWRCB	State Water Resources Control Board
TAMC	Transportation Agency for Monterey County
TCMs	Transportation Control Measures
TCRP	Transit Cooperative Research Program
TSCA	Toxic Substances Control Act
TSP	Total Suspended Particulate
UNFCCC	United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change
USACE	United States Army Corps of Engineers
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture
USEPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
USFWS	United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	United States Geological Survey
UTM	Universal Transverse Mercator
VMT	Vehicle Miles Traveled
WDRs	Waste Discharge Requirements
WEAP	Worker Environmental Awareness Program

<sup>1</sup>As of January 1, 2013 the California Department of Fish and Game has changed their name to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife