



List of Acronyms

A

AAA	American Automobile Association
AADT	Average Annual Daily Traffic
ACT	Agency Coordination Team
AST	Aboveground Storage Tank

B

BMP	Best Management Practice
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C

CAA	Clean Air Act
CAFO	Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation
CAT	Corridor Analysis Tool
CEQ	Council on Environmental Quality
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulation
CIA	Community Impact Assessment
COG	Council of Governments

D

dB	Decibel Scale
dBA	A-weighted decibel
DDT	Dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane
DE	Diesel Exhaust

E

EDGE	Economic Development and Growth Evaluation
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
EJ	Environmental Justice
ESA	Endangered Species Act of 1973



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F

FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FCC	Federal Communication Commission
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FINDS	Facility Index System
FONSI	Finding of No Significant Impact
FPPA	Farmland Policy Protection Act of 1981
FW	Freshwaters

G

GAP	Gap Analysis Program
GIS	Geographic Information System
GPS	Global Positioning System
GRP	Gross Regional Product

H

HSR	High-speed Rail
HUC	Hydrologic Unit Code

I

ICIS	Integrated Compliance Information System
IRIS	Integrated Risk Information System
ISTEA	Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act

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L

LUST	Leaking Underground Storage Tank
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M

MBTA	Migratory Bird Treaty Act of 1918, as amended
MPO	Metropolitan Planning Organization
MSAT	Mobile Source Air Toxics

N

NAACP	National Association for the Advancement of Colored People
NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards
NAC	Noise Abatement Criteria
NATA	National Air Toxics Assessment
NCAC	North Carolina Administrative Code
NCDENR	North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources
NCDOT	North Carolina Department of Transportation
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, as amended
NHPA	National Historic Preservation Act of 1966, as amended
NLEV	National Low Emission Vehicle
NOAA Fisheries	National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration, Office of Marine Fisheries
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
NWI	National Wetland Inventory

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P

pH	Hydrogen Ion Concentration
PM	Particulate Matter
PPM	Parts Per Million
PPP	Public Private Partnership

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R

RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
REMI	Regional Economic Models Incorporated
RFG	Reformulated Gasoline
RIDE	Road Improvement and Development Effort
ROD	Record of Decision
ROW	Right of Way

S

S1	Species critically imperiled statewide because of extreme rarity or because of some factor(s) making it especially vulnerable to extirpation
S2	Species imperiled statewide because of rarity of factor(s) making it vulnerable
SAFETEA-LU	Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act
SCDAH	South Carolina Department of Archives and History
SCDHEC	South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control
SCDNR	South Carolina Department of Natural Resources
SCDOC	South Carolina Department of Commerce
SCDOT	South Carolina Department of Transportation
SCDPS	South Carolina Department of Public Safety
SC-EFIS	South Carolina Environmental Facility Index System
SCEMD	South Carolina Emergency Management Division
SCPRT	South Carolina Parks, Recreation, and Tourism
SDWIS	Safe Drinking Water Information System
SELL	Southern Evacuation Lifeline
SHPO	State Historic Preservation Office
SIB	State Infrastructure Bank
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure
STORET	Storage and Retrieval System (USEPA Database)
STIP	South Carolina Transportation Infrastructure Programs

T

TEA-21	Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century
TIFIA	Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act



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TMDL Total Maximum Daily Load
TNM Traffic Noise Model

U

USACE United States Army Corps of Engineers
USCG United States Coast Guard
USDA United States Department of Agriculture
USDOT United States Department of Transportation
USEPA United States Environmental Protection Agency
USFWS United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS United States Geological Survey
USHHS United States Health and Human Services
UST Underground Storage Tank

V

V/C Volume to Capacity Ratio
VHT Vehicle Hours Traveled
VMT Vehicle Miles Traveled

W

WWQA Watershed Water Quality Assessment

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Z