

# Acronyms and Abbreviations

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| <b>A</b>        |  |
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| ACHP            | Advisory Council on Historic Preservation  |
| ACS             | American Community Survey  |
| AERMOD          | EPA's air quality dispersion model used in PM <sub>10</sub> hotspot analysis         |
| AMI30           | 30 Percent Area Median Income  |
| APCD            | Air Pollution Control Division of CDPHE  |
| APE             | Area of Potential Effect   |
| APEN            | Air Pollution Emissions Notice   |
| AST             | Above-ground storage tank  |
| ASTM            | American Society for Testing and Materials   |
| <b>B</b>        |  |
| BMP             | Best management practice   |
| BNSF            | Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway   |
| BTU             | British thermal unit   |
| <b>C</b>        |  |
| CAA             | Clean Air Act  |
| CAFE            | Corporate average fuel economy   |
| CAL3QHC         | EPA's air quality dispersion model used in CO hotspot analysis                       |
| CAMP            | Denver Continuous Air Monitoring Program   |
| CDOT            | Colorado Department of Transportation  |
| CDPHE           | Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment                                 |
| CDPS            | Colorado Discharge Permit System   |
| CERCLA          | Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980        |
| CERCLIS         | Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Information System |
| CEQ             | Council on Environmental Quality   |
| CFR             | Code of Federal Regulations  |
| cfs             | Cubic feet per second  |
| CO              | Carbon monoxide  |
| CO <sub>2</sub> | Carbon dioxide   |
| CORRACTS        | RCRA Corrective Action List  |
| CPW             | Colorado Parks and Wildlife  |
| CRHDC           | Community Resources and Housing Development Corporation                              |
| CRS             | Colorado Revised Statutes  |
| Cu Yd           | Cubic yards  |

| <b>D</b>        |  |
|-----------------|--|
| dB              | Decibel  |
| dBA             | Decibel (A-weighted scale)                               |
| DEH             | Department of Environmental Health                       |
| Denver          | City and County of Denver                                |
| DIA             | Denver International Airport                             |
| DOLA            | Colorado Department of Local Affairs                     |
| DRCOG           | Denver Regional Council of Governments                   |
| DSS             | Decent, safe, and sanitary                               |
| DTC             | Denver Technological Center                              |
| DynusT          | Dynamic Urban Systems for Transportation modeling system |
| <b>E</b>        |  |
| EIS             | Environmental impact statement                           |
| EPA             | U.S. Environmental Protection Agency                     |
| ERS             | Economic Research Service                                |
| <b>F</b>        |  |
| FACWet          | Functional Assessment of Colorado Wetlands               |
| FDCP            | Fugitive Dust Control Program                            |
| FEMA            | Federal Emergency Management Agency                      |
| FHWA            | Federal Highway Administration                           |
| FIRM            | Flood insurance rate map                                 |
| FR              | Federal Register   |
| FTA             | Federal Transit Administration                           |
| <b>H</b>        |  |
| HAP             | Hazardous air pollutants                                 |
| HOT             | High-occupancy toll                                      |
| HOV             | High-occupancy vehicle                                   |
| HUD             | U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development         |
| HVAC            | Heating, ventilation, and air conditioning               |
| <b>I</b>        |  |
| I-25            | Interstate 25  |
| I-225           | Interstate 225   |
| I-270           | Interstate 270   |
| I-70            | Interstate 70  |
| <b>L</b>        |  |
| L <sub>eq</sub> | Equivalent sound level                                   |
| LEP             | Limited English proficiency                              |
| LOS             | Level of service   |
| LUST            | Leaking underground storage tank                         |
| LWCF            | Land and Water Conservation Fund                         |

| <b>M</b>          |   |
|-------------------|---|
| MAP-21            | Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21 <sup>st</sup> Century Act of 2012 |
| MMT               | Million metric tons   |
| MOVES             | Motor Vehicle Emissions Simulator modeling software                   |
| MPH               | Miles per hour  |
| MS4               | Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System                                 |
| MSA               | Metropolitan Statistical Area   |
| MSAT              | Mobile source air toxics  |
| MVRTP             | Metro Vision Regional Transportation Plan                             |
| <b>N</b>          |   |
| NAAQS             | National Ambient Air Quality Standards                                |
| NAC               | Noise Abatement Criteria  |
| n.d.              | No date   |
| NDIS              | Natural Diversity Information Source                                  |
| NEPA              | National Environmental Policy Act                                     |
| NO <sub>2</sub>   | Nitrogen dioxide  |
| NPL               | National Priority List  |
| NRHP              | National Register of Historic Places                                  |
| <b>O</b>          |   |
| O <sub>3</sub>    | Ozone   |
| <b>P</b>          |   |
| PACT              | Preferred Alternative Collaborative Team                              |
| PB                | Lead  |
| PBA               | Programmatic biological assessment                                    |
| PM <sub>10</sub>  | Particulate matter less than 10 micron size                           |
| PM <sub>2.5</sub> | Particulate matter less than 2.5 micron size                          |
| PPM               | Parts per million   |
| <b>Q</b>          |   |
| QR                | Quick response  |
| <b>R</b>          |   |
| RCRA              | Resource Conservation and Recovery Act                                |
| REIMHS            | Regional Economic Impact Model for Highway Systems                    |
| RiNo              | River North   |
| ROD               | Record of decision  |
| RTD               | Regional Transportation District                                      |
| RTP               | Regional Transportation Plan  |
| RVIP              | River Vision Implementation Plan                                      |

| <b>S</b>        |  |
|-----------------|--|
| SHPO            | State Historic Preservation Office   |
| SO <sub>2</sub> | Sulfur dioxide   |
| STIP            | Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan  |
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| SWL             | Solid waste landfills  |
| <b>T</b>        |  |
| TIP             | Transportation Improvement Plan  |
| TNM             | Traffic Noise Model  |
| TSS             | Total suspended solids   |
| <b>U</b>        |  |
| Uniform Act     | Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 |
| UPRR            | Union Pacific Railroad   |
| USACE           | U.S. Army Corps of Engineers   |
| USC             | United States Code   |
| USDA            | U.S. Department of Agriculture   |
| USDOT           | U.S. Department of Transportation  |
| USFWS           | U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service   |
| UST             | Underground storage tank   |
| <b>V</b>        |  |
| VCUP            | Voluntary Cleanup Program  |
| VHT             | Vehicle hours of travel  |
| VMT             | Vehicle miles of travel  |
| VPD             | Vehicles per day   |