

List of Acronyms

A

AADT	Annual average daily traffic
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ACS	American Community Survey
APE	Area of Potential Effect

B

BNSF	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway
BTU	British thermal unit

C

CAFO	Concentrated Animal Feeding Operation
CDOT	Colorado Department of Transportation
CDOW	Colorado Division of Wildlife
CDPHE	Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment
CDRMS	Colorado Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety
CE	Categorical Exclusion
CEDIS	Colorado Economic and Demographic Information System
CEQ	Council on Environmental Quality
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CGS	Colorado Geological Survey
CH ₄	Methane
CO	Carbon monoxide
CO ₂	Carbon dioxide
COGCC	Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
CPI	Colorado Preservation, Inc.
CPW	Colorado Parks and Wildlife
CR	County Road
CRS	Colorado Revised Statutes
CWCB	Colorado Water Conservation Board



D

dBA	Decibel, A-weighted
DEIS	Draft Environmental Impact Statement
DNR	Colorado Department of Natural Resources
DOE	United States Department of Energy
DOLA	Colorado Department of Local Affairs

E

EA	Environmental Assessment
EIA	Energy Information Administration
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency

F

FEIS	Final Environmental Impact Statement
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FONSI	Finding of No Significant Impact
FPPA	Farmland Protection Policy Act

G

GHG	Greenhouse gas
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H

HUD	United States Department of Housing and Urban Development
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I

I-10	Interstate 10
I-25	Interstate 25
I-90	Interstate 90
IGA	Intergovernmental Agreement

K

KDOT	Kansas Department of Transportation
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**L**

LEDPA	Least Environmentally Damaging Practicable Alternative
LEP	Limited English Proficiency
Leq(h)	Hourly equivalent noise level
LOS	Level of service
LOSS	Level of service of safety

M

MAP-21	Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century Act of 2012
MMT	Million metric tons
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MOVES	Motor Vehicle Emissions Simulator
MPH	Miles per hour
MPO	Metropolitan Planning Organization
MS4	Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System
MSAT	Mobile source air toxics

N

N ₂ O	Nitrous oxide
NAC	Noise Abatement Criteria
NDIS	National Diversity Information Source
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NFRAP	No further remedial action planned
NHPA	National Historic Preservation Act
NHS	National Highway System
NHTSA	National Highway Traffic Safety Administration
NO ₂	Nitrogen dioxide
NOI	Notice of Intent
NPS	National Park Service
NRCS	Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places

O

O ₃	Ozone
OEDIT	Colorado Office of Economic Development and International Trade

**P**

PA	Programmatic Agreement
PACOG	Pueblo Area Council of Governments
PFYC	Paleontological Fossil Yield Classification
PM	Particulate matter
PTSF	Percent Time-Spent-Following

R

ROD	Record of Decision
RV	Recreational Vehicle

S

SAFETEA-LU	Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users
SDS	Southern Delivery System
SECWCD	Southeastern Colorado Water Conservancy District
SH	State Highway
SHPO	State Historic Preservation Office
SIU	Section of Independent Utility
SO ₂	Sulfur dioxide
STAA	Surface Transportation Assistance Act of 1982
STIP	Statewide Transportation Improvement Plan
SWReGAP	Southwest Regional Gap Analysis Project

T

TERC	Transportation Environmental Resource Council
TIMTC	Trucking Industry Mobility and Technology Coalition
TNC	The Nature Conservancy
TSM	Transportation system management

U

Uniform Act	Uniform Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970
U.S.	United States
U.S. 287	United States Highway 287
U.S. 50	United States Highway 50
USACE	United States Army Corps of Engineers



USBR United States Bureau of Reclamation
USC United States Code
USDOT United States Department of Transportation
USFWS United States Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS United States Geological Survey

V

VMT Vehicle miles of travel
VPD Vehicles per day

W

WRCC Western Regional Climate Center



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