

APPENDIX B

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AADT	Average Annual Daily Traffic	NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards
ADT	Average Daily Traffic	NAC	Noise Abatement Criteria
APO	Area Planning Organization	NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
BMPs	Best Management Practices	NHS	National Highway System
BNSF	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railroad	NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
CO	Carbon Monoxide	NRCS	Natural Resource Conservation Service
CEQ	Council on Environmental Quality	NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
COE	Corps of Engineers (U.S. Army)	NWL	Normal water level
CR	County Road	O/D	Origins/Destinations
CSAH	County State Aid Highway	ppm	Parts per million
dB	Decibels	RCAC	River Corridor Advisory Committee
DEIS	Draft Environmental Impact Statement	R/W	Right of way
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement	SD/DSDD	Scoping Document/Draft Scoping Document
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	SEE	Social, Economic and Environmental
ESA	Environmental Site Assessment	SHERCO	Sherburne County power generation plant
FEIS	Final Environmental Impact Statement	SIP	State Implementation Plan
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration	SNA	Scientific and Natural Area
FPPA	Farmland Protection and Policy Act	STRAHNET	Strategic Highway Network
GIA	Grant-in-Aid	TAC	Technical Advisory Committee
IRC	Interregional Corridor	TH	Trunk Highway
LAWCON	Land and Water Conservation Act	TIP	Transportation Improvement Program
LOS	Level of Service	USFWS	United States Fish and Wildlife Service
LUST	Leaking underground storage tank	UST	Underground storage tank
MBTA	Migratory Bird Treaty Act	V/C	volume/capacity ratios
Mn/DOT	Minnesota Department of Transportation	VHT	Vehicle hours traveled
Mn/DOT/ CRU	Minnesota Department of Transportation – Cultural Resources Unit	VIA	Visual Impact Assessment
MnDNR	Minnesota Department of Natural Resources	VMT	Vehicle miles traveled
MMUTCD	Minnesota Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices	VOCs	Volatile organic compounds
MPCA	Minnesota Pollution Control Agency	WMA	Wildlife Management Area

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