
Appendix G

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AADT – Annual Average Daily Traffic
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APE – Area of Potential Effect
BMPs – Best Management Practices
CAAA – Clean Air Act Amendments
CCC – Civilian Conservation Corps
CEQ – Council on Environmental Quality
CWA – Clean Water Act
EIS – Environmental Impact Statement
EPA – Environmental Protection Agency
ESA – Environmental Site Assessment
FHWA – Federal Highway Administration
GAP – Gap Analysis Program
GIS – Geographic Information System
HCM – Highway Capacity Manual
IRC – Interregional Corridor
LGU – Local Government Unit
LOS – Level of Service
MDH – Minnesota Department of Health
MEPA – Minnesota Environmental Policy Act
Mn/DOT – Minnesota Department of Transportation
MNDNR – Minnesota Department of Natural Resources
MOA – Memorandum of Agreement
MPCA – Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
MSL – Mean Sea Level
MVM – Million Vehicle Miles
NAAQS – National Ambient Air Quality Standard
NEPA – National Environmental Policy Act
NHPA – National Historic Preservation Act
NPDES – National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NRHP – National Register of Historic Places
RGU – Responsible Governmental Unit
ROD – Record of Decision
SHPO – State Historic Preservation Office
SIP – State Implementation Plan
T & E – Threatened, Endangered, and Special Concern Species
TAC – Technical Advisory Committee
USACE – U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
USFWS – U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
USGS – United States Geological Service
VHT – Vehicle Hours Traveled
VMT – Vehicle Miles Traveled
WCA – Wetland Conservation Act
WMAs – Wildlife Management Areas