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Acronym or Abbreviation	Meaning
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ACM	asbestos-containing materials
APA	aquifer protection area
APE	area of potential effects
AQMP	air quality maintenance plans
BA	biological assessment
BMPs	best management practices
BNSF	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway
BRT	bus rapid transit
CDA	Cultural Development Authority (of King County)
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CO	carbon monoxide
CO_2	carbon dioxide
CSS	context sensitive solutions
CWA	Clean Water Act
DAHP	Washington State Department of Archaeology and Historic Preservation
dB	decibels
dBA	decibels in the A-weighted scale to show relative loudness of sound
EA	environmental assessment
Ecology	Washington State Department of Ecology
EIS	environmental impact statement
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FONSI	Finding of No Significant Impact
FTA	Federal Transit Administration
GMA	Growth Management Act

Acronym or Abbreviation	Meaning
GP	general-purpose
HABS	Historic American Building Survey
HAER	Historic American Engineering Records
HOT	high-occupancy toll (lanes)
HOV	high-occupancy vehicle
HPA	Hydraulic Project Approval
ITS	intelligent transportation system
LBP	lead-based paint
MP	milepost
MTCA	Model Toxics Control Act
NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NESHAP	National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NO_x	oxides of nitrogen
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
OHWM	ordinary high water mark
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration
PM_{10}	particulate matter
PSCAA	Puget Sound Clean Air Agency
ROD	Record of Decision
SEPA	State Environmental Policy Act
SPCC	spill prevention control and countermeasure (plan)
SR	State Route
TESC	temporary erosion and sediment control (plan)
TDM	transportation demand management

Acronym or Abbreviation	Meaning
TMP	traffic management plan
USDOT	U.S. Department of Transportation
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
UST	underground storage tank
VMT	vehicle miles traveled
WAC	Washington Administrative Code
WDFW	Washington State Department of Fish and Wildlife
WDNR	Washington State Department of Natural Resources
WRHP	Washington Register of Historic Places
WRIA	Water Resource Inventory Area
WSDOT	Washington State Department of Transportation