

# Acronyms and Abbreviations

AADT	Annual average daily traffic stated in vpd
ADT	average daily traffic
APE	Area of Potential Effect
AWDT	average weekly traffic
BMPs	best management practices
“BP” railing	bridge (pedestrian) railing
Btu	British thermal unit
CBD	central business district
CERCLIS	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Information System
CEVP	Cost estimating validation process
cfs	cubic feet per second
CICIS	Chemicals in Commerce Information System
CO	carbon monoxide
CO <sub>2</sub>	carbon dioxide
CPPs	countywide planning policies
CSCS	Confirmed and Suspected Contaminated Sites
dB	decibels
dBA	A-weighted (decibel) scale
DEIS	Draft Environmental Impact Statement
DOT	U.S. Department of Transportation
Ecology	Washington State Department of Ecology
EDNA	environmental designation for noise abatement
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
ERNS	EPA Response Notification System
ESA	Endangered Species Act
FEIS	Final Environmental Impact Statement
FFIS	Federal Facility Information System
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FINDS	Facility Index System
FTA	Federal Transit Administration

GMA	Growth Management Act
gpd	gallons per day
gpm	gallons per minute
HB	House Bill
HCM	<i>Highway Capacity Manual</i> , 2000 Edition, Transportation Research Board
HCT	high capacity transit
HMH	Homer M Hadley
HOV	high-occupancy vehicle
HOV 2+	HOV containing two or more occupants
HOV 3+	HOV containing three or more occupants
HUC	Historic Usage of Concern
I-405	Interstate 405
I-5	Interstate 5
I-90	Interstate 90
ITS	Intelligent Transportation Systems
Ldn	day-night sound level
Leq	equivalent sound level
LOS	level of service
LUST	leaking underground storage tank
LVM	Lacey V Murrow
mgd	million gallons per day
MA	Memorandum Agreement
MP	Milepost
mph	miles per hour
MTCA	Model Toxics Control Act
MVM	Million vehicle–miles of travel, measure for accident rates
NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NHPA	National Historic Preservation Act
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NO <sub>x</sub>	nitrogen oxide
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
NPL	National Priorities List

NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
OAHP	Office of Archaeology and Historic Preservation
OTED	Office of Trade and Economic Development
PADS	PCB Handler Activity Data System
pc/mi/ln	Passenger car equivalents per mile per lane, a measure of traffic density
PCC	Portland cement concrete
pcph	passenger car equivalents per hour
PCS	Permit Compliance System
PM <sub>10</sub>	fine particulate matter (less than 10 micrometers in diameter)
PM <sub>2.5</sub>	ultra-fine particulate matter (less than 2.5 microns in diameter)
ppm	parts per million
ppv	persons per vehicle
PSCAA	Puget Sound Clean Air Agency
PSE	Puget Sound Energy
PSRC	Puget Sound Regional Council
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
RCRIS	Resource Conservation and Recovery Information System
RCW	Revised Code of Washington
SEPA	State Environmental Policy Act
SMA	Shoreline Management Act
SO <sub>2</sub>	sulfur dioxide
SOV	single-occupant vehicle
SWDM	Surface Water Design Manual
SWPPP	Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan
TDM	Transportation Demand Management
TESC	Temporary Erosion and Sediment Control
TRIS	Toxic Chemical Release Inventory System
TSD	treatment, storage, and disposal
TSM	Transportation System Management
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
UST	underground storage tank
V/C ratio	volume to capacity, a measure of traffic flow

VMT	vehicle miles traveled
VOCs	volatile organic compounds
vpd	vehicles per day, a measure of traffic volume
vph	vehicles per hour, a measure of traffic volume
WAAQS	Washington Ambient Air Quality Standards
WAC	Washington Administrative Code
WDFW	Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife
WDNR	Washington Department of Natural Resources
WSDOT	Washington State Department of Transportation
WSP	Washington State Patrol