

Acronyms and Abbreviations

AADT	Annual Average Daily Traffic
AB	Assembly Bill
AE	Aesthetics
AF	acre-feet
AQ	Air Quality
AQMD	Air Quality Management District
BAAQMD	Bay Area Air Quality Management District
basin plan	water quality control plan
Basin Plan	Water Quality Control Plan for the Sacramento and San Joaquin River Basins
BLM	United States Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management
BMP	best management practice
BO	biological opinion
BR	Vegetation, Wildlife, and Sensitive Biological Resources
CAA	Clean Air Act
CAAQS	California ambient air quality standards
CAISO	California Independent System Operator
CalEPA	California Environmental Protection Agency
CAL FIRE	California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection
Cal-IPC	California Invasive Plant Council
Caltrans	California Department of Transportation
CARB	California Air Resources Board
CC	Climate Change
CDFA	California Department of Food and Agriculture
CDFG	California Department of Fish and Game
CDFW	California Department of Fish and Wildlife
CEC	California Energy Commission
CEQA	California Environmental Quality Act
CESA	California Endangered Species Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
cfs	cubic feet per second
CH ₄	methane
CHP	California Highway Patrol
CO	carbon monoxide
CO ₂	carbon dioxide
CO ₂ e	carbon dioxide equivalent
COLD	Cold Freshwater Habitat
CNEL	community noise equivalent level
Corps	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
County	Plumas County
CR	Cultural Resources
CRHR	California Register of Historical Resources
CRLF	California red-legged frog
CRMP	Cultural Resources Management Plan

CWA	Clean Water Act
dB	decibel
dBA	A-weighted decibel scale
Deputy Director	Deputy Director of Water Rights
DO	dissolved oxygen
DPS	distinct population segment
Draft EIR	Draft Environmental Impact Report
DWR	Department of Water Resources
EIR	environmental impact report
EIS	environmental impact statement
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
ESA	Endangered Species Act
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
FONSI	Finding of No Significant Impact
FP	Flood Plain
FPA	Federal Power Act
FS	Fisheries
FT	Feet
FWCA	Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act
GGG	Geology, Geomorphology, and Soils
GHG	greenhouse gas
GWh/YR	gigawatt hours per year
HM	Hazards and Hazardous Materials
HPMP	Historic Properties Management Plan
IS	Initial Study
KOP	key observation point
kV	kilovolt
kVA	kilovolt-ampere
kWh	kilowatt hours
LOS	level of service
LRMP	Land and Resource Management Plan
LU	Land Use and Mineral Resources
MA	management area
MCL	maximum contaminant level
mg/l	milligram per liter
ml	milliliters
mm	millimeter
MUN	Municipal and Domestic Supply
MW	megawatts
MWAT	maximum weekly average water temperature
NAAQS	national ambient air quality standards

NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
NFS	National Forest System
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NO	Noise
N ₂ O	nitrous oxide
NOP	Notice of Preparation
NRHP	National Register of Historic Places
NSR	North State Resources, Inc.
NTU	Nephelometric Turbidity Unit
O&M	operations and maintenance
OEHHA	California Office of Environmental Health Hazard Assessment
OES	Office of Emergency Services
PA	Programmatic Agreement
PCB	Polychlorinated biphenyl
PG&E	Pacific Gas and Electric Company
PM	particulate matter
PM&E	protection, mitigation, and enhancement
POW	Power
ppb	parts per billion
ppm	parts per million
PS	Public Service and Utilities
R-10	Rural
RE	Recreation
REC-1	Recreation 1 ¹
REC-1	Recreation: Contact, Canoeing and Rafting ²
REC-2	Recreation: Noncontact
REC-3	Recreation 3
Regional Water Board	Regional Water Quality Control Board
RES	renewable energy standard
RPS	renewable portfolio standard
RRMP	recreation resource management plan
ScA	Scenic Area
ScR	Scenic Road
SMP	Shoreline Management Plan
SP	Special Plan
SPWN	Warm Spawning Habitat
SR	State Route
State Water Board	State Water Resources Control Board
TAC	toxic air contaminant
TCP	traditional cultural property
TLP	Traditional Licensing Process

¹ A Plumas County zoning designation (Plumas County 1973).

² A beneficial use designated in the *Water Quality Control Plan for the Sacramento and San Joaquin River Basins – Basin Plan* (Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board 2011).

TMZ	Timberland Management Zone
TPZ	Timber Production Zone
TT	Transportation and Traffic
ug/l	micrograms per liter
ug/kg	micrograms per kilogram
UNFFR Project	Upper North Fork Feather River Hydroelectric Project
USFS	United States Department of Agriculture, Forest Service
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
WARM	Warm Freshwater Habitat
WILD	Wildlife Habitat
WR	Water Resources
WQ	Water Quality
USEPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
VAU	visual assessment unit
VELB	Valley Elderberry Longhorn Beetle
2004 Settlement Agreement	Project 2105 Relicensing Settlement Agreement
2105 Collaborative	Project 2105 Licensing Group