

Acronyms/Abbreviations

AB	Assembly Bill
ABAG	Association of Bay Area Governments
ABC	Annual Budget Review Compilation
ACCWP	Alameda Countywide Clean Water Program
ACOE	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
AHALFA	Aquatic Habitat Assessment and Limiting Factors Analysis
AHTG	Ad Hoc Task Group
AR	Annual Report
ASCE	American Society of Civil Engineers
BAAQMD	Bay Area Air Quality Management District
BART	San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit
BATG	Budget Ad Hoc Task Group
Basin	Santa Clara Basin
Basin Plan	Water Quality Control Plan for the San Francisco Basin
BACWA	Bay Area Clean Water Agencies
BAHM	Bay Area Hydrology Model
BAMBI	Bay Area Macroinvertebrate Bioassessment Information
BASMAA	Bay Area Stormwater Management Agencies Association
Bay	San Francisco Bay
Bay Area	San Francisco Bay Area
BMI	Benthic Macroinvertebrate
BMM	Lower South Bay Monitoring and Modeling Subgroup
BMP	Best Management Practice
BOMA	Building Owners and Managers Association
BPA	Basin Plan Amendment
BPP	Brake Pad Partnership
BU	beneficial use
C	Celsius
C.3	Permit Provision C.3
C3PO	C.3 Provision Oversight
CA	California
Cal-EPA	California Environmental Protection Agency

Acronyms/Abbreviations

Caltrans	California Department of Transportation
CAMLnet	California Aquatic Macroinvertebrate Laboratory Network
Campaign	Watershed Watch Campaign
CAP	Copper Action Plan
CASQA	California of Stormwater Quality Association
CB	Copper Baseline
CCC	Continuous Concentration Criterion
CD-ROM	Compact Disk-Read Only Memory
CDS	Continuous Deflective Separation
CEP	Clean Estuary Partnership
CESQG	Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generator
CEQA	California Environmental Quality Act
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
cfs	cubic feet per second
CI	Continuous Improvement
CIWMB	California Integrated Waste Management Board
CMIA	Conceptual Model Impairment Assessment
CMS	Copper Management Strategy
COA	Condition of Approval
CoHHW	Santa Clara County Household Hazardous Waste Program
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COLD	cold freshwater habitat
CRMP	Coordinated Resources Management and Planning
CSBP	California Stream Bioassessment Procedures
CTR	California Toxic Rule
Cu	Copper
CWA	Clean Water Act
DDD	Dichlorodiphenyldichloroethane
DDE	Dichlorodiphenyldichloroethylene
DDT	Dichlorodiphenyltrichloroethane
DEH	Santa Clara County Department of Environmental Health
DGT	Diffusion Gradient in Thinfilm
District	Santa Clara Valley Water District

Acronyms/Abbreviations

DO	Dissolved Oxygen
DOE	Department of Energy
DPR	Department of Pesticide Regulation
DWR	Department of Water Resources
E. Coli	Enterococcus Coli
EDAS	Ecological Data Application System
EEC	SF Bay Wildlife Refuge Environmental Education Center
EEDMS	Environmental Enforcement Data Management System
EEPS	Exposure and Effects Pilot Study
e.g.	for example
EMAP	Environmental Monitoring Program
EMB	Executive Management Board
EOA	Eisenberg, Olivieri, and Associates
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Estuary	San Francisco Bay Estuary
F	Fahrenheit
FLT	Fluorescent Light Tube
FY	Fiscal Year
GCRC	Guadalupe-Coyote Resource Conservation District
GEM	Gaseous Elemental Mercury
GIASP	General Industrial Activities Stormwater Permit
GIS	Geographic Information System
GRTS	Generalized Random Tessellation Stratified
HBANC	Home Builders Association of Northern California
Hg	Mercury
HMP	Hydromodification Management Plan
HHW	Household Hazardous Waste
HVAC	Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning
IBI	Index of Biotic Integrity
IC/ID	Illicit Connection and Illegal Dumping
ID	Identification
IND	Industrial/Commercial
i.e.	that is

Acronyms/Abbreviations

IPM	Integrated Pest Management
JPA	Joint Powers Authority
K	Kindergarten
KAB	Keep America Beautiful
kg	Kilogram
L	Liter
Lb	Pound
LA	load allocation
LFA	Limiting Factors Analysis
LID	Low Impact Development
LSSB	Lower South San Francisco Bay
LTMAP	Long Term Monitoring and Assessment Plan
LUS	Land Use Subgroup
MC	Management Committee
MCMP	Metals Control Measures Plan
MCTT	Multi-Chambered Treatment Train
MDDB	Metadata Database
MDL	Most Downstream Location
MEP	Maximum Extent Practicable
Mercury Plan	Mercury Pollution Prevention Plan
mg	milligram
mgd	million gallons per day
MIGR	fish migration
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MOFO	Morrison & Foerster
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MP	Monitoring Priority
MQ	Management Question
MROSD	Mid-Peninsula Regional Open Space District
MRP	Municipal Regional Permit
MYRWMP	Multi-Year Receiving Waters Monitoring Plan
NAP	Nickel Action Plan
NDB	North of Dumbarton Bridge

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NEMA	National Electrical Manufacturers Association
NAIOP	National Association of Industrial and Office Properties
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act
ng	Nanogram
Ni	Nickel
NOI	Notice of Intent
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
OAL	Office of Administrative Law
OC	Organochlorine
O&M	Operation and Maintenance
OP	Organophosphate
OWOW	Our Water Our World
P2	Pollution Prevention
PAHs	Polynuclear Aromatic Hydrocarbons
PBDE	Polybrominated Diphenyl Ether
Pb	Lead
PCBs	Polychlorinated Biphenyls
PCDD	Polychlorinated Dibenzo-p-Dioxins
PCDF	Polychlorinated Dibenzofurans
PCO	Pest Control Operator
pg	Picogram
PG&E	Pacific Gas and Electric
PHAB	Physical Habitat Assessments
PIP	Public Information and Participation
PI/P	Public Information and Participation
PIPP	Public Information and Participation Program
PMPS	Pest Management Performance Standard
POC	Pollutant of Concern
POTW	Publicly Owned Treatment Works
PPPS	Planning Procedures Performance Standard
Program	Santa Clara Valley Urban Runoff Pollution Prevention Program
PS	Performance Standard
PSA	Public Service Announcement

Acronyms/Abbreviations

PVC	Polyvinyl Chloride
Q	Quarter
QAPP	Quality Assurance Project Plan
RAC	Regional Ad Campaign
RARE	preservation of rare and endangered species
RCRA	Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
REC- 1	water contact recreation
REC-2	non-contact water recreation
Regional Board	San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board
RFP	Request for Proposal
RGM	Reactive Gaseous Mercury
RMAS	Regional Monitoring and Assessment Strategy
RMP	Regional Monitoring Program
RPT	Report Preparation Team
RS	Regulatory Subgroup
RTA	Rapid Trash Assessment
RWQCB	San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board
RWQCP	Regional Water Quality Control Plant
SC	Steering Committee
SCC	Santa Clara County
SCBWM1	Santa Clara Basin Watershed Management Initiative
SCVURPPP	Santa Clara Valley Urban Runoff Pollution Prevention Program
SCVWD	Santa Clara Valley Water District
SF	San Francisco
SFEI	San Francisco Estuary Institute
SFEP	San Francisco Estuary Project
SIC	Standard Industrial Classification
SMaRT®	Sunnyvale Materials Recovery and Transfer
SOP	Standard Operating Procedures
South Bay	Lower South San Francisco Bay
SPLWG	Sources, Pathways and Loadings Work Group (RMP)
SPWN	fish spawning
SQGQ	Sediment Quality Guideline Quotient

Acronyms/Abbreviations

SQT	Sediment Quality Triad
SSC	Suspended Sediment Concentration
SSFB	South San Francisco Bay
SSI	Inventory of Santa Clara Basin Stream Studies
SSO	Water Quality Site-Specific Objective
State Board	State Water Resources Control Board
STOPPP	San Mateo Countywide Stormwater Pollution Prevention Program
SWAMP	Surface Waters Ambient Monitoring Program
SWANA	Solid Waste Association of North America
SWMP	Stormwater Management Plan
SWPPP	Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan
SWRCB	State Water Resources Control Board
TAC	Technical Advisory Committee
TAG	Technical Advisory Group
TIE	Toxicity Identification Evaluation
TMDL	Total Maximum Daily Load
TO	Tentative Order
TP	Total Phosphorus
TPH	Total Petroleum Hydrocarbons
TRC	Technical Review Committee
ug	Microgram
UPC	Urban Pesticide Committee
URMP	Urban Runoff Management Plan
URQM	Urban Runoff Quality Management
USA	Unified Stream Assessment
USEPA	U. S. Environmental Protection Agency
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
USGS	U.S. Geological Survey
VTA	Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority
WAC	Watershed Assessment Consultant
WAMS	Watershed Assessment and Monitoring Subgroup
WAR	Watershed Assessment Report
WARM	warm freshwater habitat

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Water Board	San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board
Water District	Santa Clara Valley Water District
WEF	Water Environment Federation
WEO	Watershed Education and Outreach
WE&O	Watershed Education and Outreach
WERF	Water Environment Research Foundation
WG	Work Group
WILD	wildlife habitat
WLA	Waste Load Allocation
WMI	Watershed Management Initiative
WOE	Weight of Evidence
Work Group "1"	SCBWMI Phase I Indicators Work Group
WP	Work Plan
WRPC	Water Resources Protection Collaborative
WVCWP	West Valley Clean Water Program
WW	Watershed Watch
WWTP	Wastewater Treatment Plant
WY	Water Year
YSI	Youth Science Institute
Zn	Zinc