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| %        | Percent   |
| ACS      | American Community Survey   |
| ADA      | Americans with Disabilities Act   |
| AFG      | Assistance to Firefighters Grants   |
| BCA      | Benefit Cost Analysis   |
| BCEGS    | Building Code Effectiveness Grading Schedule  |
| BFE      | Base Flood Elevation  |
| BOCES    | Board of Cooperative Educational Services   |
| BRIC     | Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities Program                           |
| BUI      | Buildup Index   |
| CAV      | Community Assistance Visit  |
| CBS      | Chemical Bulk Storage   |
| CDBG     | Community Development Block Grant   |
| CDBG-DR  | Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery                                 |
| CDC      | Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  |
| CEMP     | Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan   |
| CERCLIS  | Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System |
| CFR      | Code of Federal Regulations   |
| CIP      | Capital Improvement Plan  |
| CRRA     | Community Risk and Resiliency Act   |
| CRREL    | Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory                                    |
| CRS      | Community Rating System   |
| CSC      | Climate Smart Communities (NYSDEC)  |
| CTC      | Community Transportation Coalition  |
| CWSRF    | Clean Water State Revolving Fund  |
| DCEA     | Division of Code Enforcement and Administration                                     |
| DFIRM    | Digital Flood Insurance Rate Map  |
| DMA 2000 | Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000   |
| DOT      | Department of Transportation  |
| DPW      | Department of Public Works  |
| DR       | Major Disaster Declaration (FEMA)   |
| DSR      | Damage Survey Report  |
| EAP      | Education and Awareness Program   |
| EAP      | Emergency Action Plan   |
| EC PHEP  | Erie County Office of Public Health Emergency Preparedness                          |



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| EC DHSES | Erie County Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Services    |
| EC DEP   | Erie County Department of Environment and Planning                    |
| EC DOH   | Erie County Department of Health                                      |
| EF       | Enhanced Fujita Scale   |
| EFC      | New York State Environmental Facilities Corporation                   |
| EHP      | Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation                      |
| EM       | Emergency Declaration (FEMA)  |
| EM       | Emergency Management  |
| EMS      | Emergency Medical Services  |
| EOC      | Emergency Operation Center  |
| EOP      | Emergency Operation Plan  |
| EPA      | Environmental Protection Agency                                       |
| EPF LWRP | Environmental Protection Fund Local Waterfront Revitalization Program |
| ES       | Emergency Services  |
| ESRI     | Environmental Systems Research Institute                              |
| EWP      | Emergency Watershed Protection Program                                |
| FD       | Fire Department   |
| FEMA     | Federal Emergency Management Agency                                   |
| FHWA     | Federal Highway Administration  |
| FIRM     | Flood Insurance Rate Map  |
| FIA      | Flood Insurance Administration  |
| FIS      | Flood Insurance Study   |
| FM       | Fuel Moisture   |
| FMA      | Flood Mitigation Assistance   |
| FPA      | Floodplain Administrator  |
| FPI      | Fire Potential Index  |
| FSA      | Farm Service Agency   |
| FTA      | Federal Transit Administration  |
| GHG      | Greenhouse Gas  |
| GIS      | Geographic Information System   |
| GML      | General Municipal Law   |
| HAZMAT   | Hazardous Materials   |
| HAZUS    | Hazards U.S.  |
| HAZUS-MH | Hazards U.S. Multi-Hazard   |
| HMP      | Hazard Mitigation Plan  |
| HSGP     | Homeland Security Grant Program                                       |



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| HUD     | U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development           |
| HVAC    | Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning                 |
| IA      | Individual Assistance                                      |
| ID      | Identification   |
| ISO     | Insurance Services Office                                  |
| IT      | Information Technology                                     |
| KBDI    | Keetch-Byram Drought Index                                 |
| LEWPA   | Lake Erie Watershed Protection Alliance                    |
| LGRMIF  | Local Government Records Management Improvement Fund       |
| LLC     | Limited Liability Company                                  |
| LPR     | Local Plans and Regulations                                |
| LWRP    | Local Waterfront Revitalization Program                    |
| MOSF    | Major Oil Storage Facilities                               |
| MRP     | Mean Return Period   |
| NAC-AAA | National Avalanche Center – American Avalanche Association |
| NCEI    | National Centers for Environmental Information             |
| NEHRP   | National Earthquake Hazard Reductions Program              |
| NEP     | National Estuary Program                                   |
| NFDRS   | National Fire Danger Rating System                         |
| NFIP    | National Flood Insurance Program                           |
| NFPA    | National Fire Protection Association                       |
| NGVD    | National Geodetic Vertical Datum                           |
| NHC     | National Hurricane Center                                  |
| NID     | National Inventory of Dams                                 |
| NOAA    | National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration            |
| NPDP    | National Performance of Dams Program                       |
| NPL     | National Priorities List                                   |
| NRCC    | Northeast Regional Climate Center                          |
| NR      | Natural Resource Protection                                |
| NSIDC   | National Snow and Ice Data Center                          |
| NSP     | Natural Systems Protection                                 |
| NSSL    | National Severe Storms Library                             |
| NWP     | Nationwide Permit  |
| NWS     | National Weather Service                                   |
| NY      | New York   |
| NYC OEM | New York City Office of Emergency Management               |



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| NYCRR     | New York Codes, Rule, and Regulations                               |
| NYOIT     | New York Office of Information Technology Services                  |
| NYS       | New York State  |
| NYS DEC   | New York State Department of Environmental Conservation             |
| NYS DHSES | New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services |
| NYS HMP   | New York State Hazard Mitigation Plan                               |
| NYS GIS   | New York State Geographic Information System                        |
| NYS OEM   | New York State Office of Emergency Management                       |
| NYS OFP&C | New York State Office of Fire Prevention and Control                |
| NYS OPRHP | New York State Parks, Recreation & Historic Preservation            |
| NYSERDA   | New York State Energy Research and Development Authority            |
| NYSGS     | New York State Geologic Survey                                      |
| PA        | Public Assistance   |
| PBS       | Petroleum Bulk Storage  |
| PD        | Police Department   |
| PDM       | Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program                                     |
| PGA       | Peak Ground Acceleration  |
| EC PHEP   | Erie County Office of Public Health Emergency Preparedness          |
| PI        | Public Information  |
| POC       | Point of Contact  |
| Pop.      | Population  |
| PP        | Property Protection   |
| PR        | Preventative Measures   |
| RCV       | Replacement Cost Value  |
| RL        | Repetitive Loss   |
| RLF       | Revolving Loan Fund   |
| RSI       | Regional Snowfall Index   |
| RTE       | Route   |
| RTP       | Recreational Trails   |
| SBA       | Small Business Administration                                       |
| SGIA      | Smart Growth Implementation Assistance program                      |
| SFHA      | Special Flood Hazard Area   |
| SIP       | Structure and Infrastructure Project                                |
| SP        | Structural Flood Control Projects                                   |
| SPC       | Storm Prediction Center   |
| SPDES     | State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System                        |



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| SSBG         | Social Services Block Grant Program  |
| SVI          | Social Vulnerability Index   |
| Sq. Mi.      | Square mile  |
| SRL          | Severe Repetitive Loss   |
| STAPLEE      | Social, Technical, Administrative, Political, Legal, Economic, Environmental |
| SUNY Buffalo | State University of New York at Buffalo                                      |
| SWCD         | Soil and Water Conservation District   |
| SWMP         | Stormwater Management Plan/Program   |
| SWOO         | Strengths, Weaknesses, Obstacles and Opportunities                           |
| SWPPP        | Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan   |
| TBD          | To Be Determined   |
| THIRA        | Threat & Hazard Identification & Risk Assessment                             |
| TIGER        | Topologically Integrated Geographic Encoding & Reference                     |
| TMDL         | Total Maximum Daily Load   |
| TS           | Tropical Storm   |
| UASI         | Urban Areas Security Initiative  |
| US           | United States  |
| USACE        | U.S. Army Corps of Engineers   |
| USBR         | U.S. Bureau of Reclamation   |
| USD          | U.S. Dollar  |
| USDA         | U.S. Department of Agriculture   |
| USDOT        | U.S. Department of Transportation  |
| USEDA        | U.S. Economic Development Administration                                     |
| USEPA        | U.S. Environmental Protection Agency   |
| USFS         | U.S. Forest Service  |
| USFWS        | U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service   |
| USGS         | U.S. Geologic Survey   |
| WFAS         | Wildland Fire Assessment System  |
| WQIP         | Water Quality Improvement Project  |
| WUI          | Wildland Urban Interface   |