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List of Abbreviations

AB Assembly Bill

AEM Airborne Electromagnetic

AF acre-feet

AFY acre-feet per year AWD Aliso Water District

AWMP Agricultural Water Management Plans

BCM Basin Characterization Model

BLM United States Bureau of Land Management

BMP Best Management Practices
CAO Cleanup and Abatement Order

CASGEM California Statewide Groundwater Elevation Monitoring

CASP California Aqueduct Subsidence Program

CC Coordination Committee

CCID Central California Irrigation District
CCR California Code of Regulations
CDEC California Data Exchange Center

CDFW controlled by California Department of Fish and Wildlife

CDM Central Delta Mendota

CDMG California Department of Mines & Geology
CDPR California Department of Parks and Recreation

CE Categorical Exemption

CEQA California Environmental Quality Act
CFDW California Department of Fish and Wildlife

cfs cubic feet per second

CGPS Continuous Global Positioning System

CGQMP Comprehensive Groundwater Quality Management Plan
CIMIS California Irrigation Management Information System

CNRA California Natural Resources Agency

COC constituents of concern
CPS Crop Production Services
CSD Community Services District

CVFPB Central Valley Flood Protection Board CVHM2 Central Valley Hydrologic Model 2

CVP Central Valley Project

CVRWQCB Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

CWC California Water Code

CWSRF Clean Water State Revolving Fund

DAC Disadvantaged Community
DCP Drought Contingency Plan
DDW Division of Drinking Water
DMC Delta-Mendota Canal
DMS Data Management System
DPWD Del Puerto Water District



DTSC California Department of Toxic Substances

DTW Depth to water

DWR California Department of Water Resources

DWSAP Drinking Water Source Assessment and Protection

EDAs economically distressed areas
EDF Environmental Defense Fund
EIR Environmental Impact Report
EIS Environmental Impact Statement

EO Executive Order

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

ESA European Space Agency
ET evapotranspiration

FCMA Fresno County Management Areas

FMP Farm Process Package

FSS Facilitation Support Services

ft feet

ft bgs feet below ground surface ft msl feet above mean sea level

ft/d feet per day ft/yr feet per year

GAMA Groundwater Ambient Monitoring and Assessment

GAR Groundwater Quality Assessment Report
GDE Groundwater Dependent Ecosystem

GEA Grassland Ecological Area

GIS Geographic Information System
GMP Groundwater Management Plan
GNSS Global Navigation Satellite System

GPS Global Positioning System

GRCD Grassland Resource Conservation District
GSA Groundwater Sustainability Agency

GSP Groundwater Sustainability Plan

GWC Groundwater Conditions
GWD Grassland Water District
GWE groundwater elevation

HBSL Health Based Screening Level
HCM Hydrogeological Conceptual Model
ILRP Irrigated Lands Regulatory Program

IM Interim Milestone

InSAR Interferometric Synthetic Aperture Radar IRWMP Integrated Regional Water Management Plan

IS Initial Study

ISW Interconnected Surface Water

ITRC Irrigation Training and Research Center

IWFM Integrated Water Flow Model



JPA Joint Powers Authority
JPL Jet Propulsion Laboratory
LBCDD Los Banos Creek Detention Dam
LIDAR Light detection and ranging

LSCE Luhdorff & Scalmanini Consulting Engineers

LUST Leaking Underground Storage Tanks

M&I municipal and industrial
MAA Management Area A
MAB Management Area B
MAF million acre feet

MAR Managed Aquifer Recharge
MCL Maximum Contaminant Level
meq/L milliequivalents per liter
mg/L milligrams per liter

MHI median household income
MND Mitigated Negative Declaration
MNW2 Multi-Node Well Package
MO Measurable Objective
MOA Memorandum of Agreement

MOU Memorandum of Agreement

Mou Memorandum of Understanding

MPG Mendota Pool Group
MT Minimum Threshold
MWA Mendota Wildlife Area

NAD83 North American Datum of 1983

NASA National Aeronautics and Space Administration

NAVD North American Vertical Datum
NAWQA National Water-Quality Assessment

NCCAG Natural Communities Commonly Associated with Groundwater

ND Negative Declaration
NDM Northern Delta-Mendota

NDVI Normalized Derived Vegetation Index
NEPA National Environmental Policy Act
NGO Non-Governmental Organization
NHD National Hydrography Dataset

NOAA National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NPDES National Pollution Discharge Elimination System

NRCS Natural Resources Conservation Service

NVRRWP North Valley Regional Recycled Water Program

NWIS National Water Information System

NWQMC National Water Quality Monitoring Council

NWR National Wildlife Refuge

OSWCR Online System of Well Completion Reports

P&O Prioritization & Optimization
PID Patterson Irrigation District



PIP Pump-in Program

PLSS Public Land Survey System

PMAs Projects and Management Actions

POC Points of Contact
POD Points of Diversion

PWRPA Power and Water Resources Pooling Authority

PWS Public Water System

RCAC Rural Community Assistance Corporation
RMN Representative Monitoring Network
RMS Representative Monitoring Site
RMW Representative Monitoring Well

RP reference point

RPE reference point elevation

RTWQMN Real Time Water Quality Monitoring Network SAGBI Soil Agricultural Groundwater Banking Index

SB Senate Bill

SDAC severely disadvantaged community
SDWIS Safe Drinking Water Information System

SFR Streamflow Routing Package

SGMA Sustainable Groundwater Management Act
SGWP Sustainable Groundwater Management Planning

SHE Self-Help Enterprises SJR San Joaquin River

SJREC San Joaquin River Exchange Contractors

SJRECWA San Joaquin River Exchange Contractors Water Authority
SJRIP San Joaquin River Water Quality Improvement Project

SJRRP San Joaquin River Restoration Program

SJVAPCD San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District SLDMWA San Luis & Delta Mendota Water Authority

SLWD San Luis Water District

SMARA Surface Mining and Reclamation Act
SMC Sustainable Management Criteria
SNMP Salt and Nitrate Management Plan
SSURGO Soil Survey Geographic Database

SWP State Water Project

SWPPP SWRCB Stormwater Pollution Prevention Plan

SWRCB State Water Resources Control Board TAOC Tidewater Associated Oil Company

TCP trichloropropane
TDS Total Dissolved Solids
TMDL Total Maximum Daily Load
TNC The Nature Conservancy
TRID Tranquillity Irrigation District

UAVSAR Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Synthetic Aperture Radar



ug/L micrograms per liter

UNAVCO University Navstar Consortium

UR Undesirable Result

USACE United States Army Corps of Engineers
USBR United States Bureau of Reclamation
USCS Unified Soil Classification System

USDA United States Department of Agriculture

USEPA United States Environmental Protective Agency

USFWS United States Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS United States Geological Survey

UST underground storage tank

UWMP Urban Water Management Plan

WDL Water Data Library

WDR waste discharge requirement

WIIN Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation

WLI Water Leadership Institute

WQP Water Quality Portal

WRFP Water Recycling Funding Program WSID West Stanislaus Irrigation District

WWD Westlands Water District

WY Water Year