AEC Acronym Handbook



Introduction

One of the hardest elements of starting a new job, especially within a new industry, is learning the language. I've encountered a lot within my own career, especially in my days of selling computer hardware and advertising products. I recall eagerly digesting all the content I could get my hands on to speak confidently in meetings, especially with customers. It's one thing for a client to know you are new to the role, quite another to show a newbie card by asking for elaborations on the little things ... like acronyms.

The 1987 movie "Good Morning, Vietnam" pokes excellent fun at this concept. Recall the <u>classic scene</u> where Adrian Cronauer (played by Robin Williams) pokes great fun at the Army's subjective language as he retorts to his leading officer, "Excuse me, sir. Seeing as how the VP is such a VIP, shouldn't we keep the PC on the QT? 'Cause if it leaks to the VC he could end up MIA, and then we'd all be put on KP." That scene is a flagship example of how acronyms within a specific industry sound like to the outsider. Unless you have served or had close affiliations with the military you would be lucky to know two or more of the acronyms within that scene.

Upon entering the AEC space (Architecture, Engineering and Construction) in 2016 I found that acronyms were not only prevalent but were also embedded in our CRM software (Cosential) from its dedication to this niche industry for almost 20 years. As the marketing head, I had to quickly learn them to build rapport with partners, vendors, and clients. Most often I would rely on a wall of sticky notes or various bookmarks. It then dawned on me that the few online resources dedicated to acronyms in AEC were old, static and lacking in content. To obtain a fresh collection I came up with an idea of a contest to incentivize thousands within our industry to contribute the acronyms they knew to be used and relative in our space.

The following 1190 acronyms are the direct result of the contest we collected from January through April, 2017. We didn't write or determine them; that credit goes to those who participated. Where permission is given, each submission is accompanied by the person's name who first contributed each unique entry. Unlike the static versions seen elsewhere this version will be fluid. If you don't see an AEC centric acronym in this collection that should be included, Cosential invites you to submit your AEC centric acronym at www.cosential.com/aec-acronyms. Each quarter we will review new submissions and publish a new volume.

Enjoy the resource, and thanks to all who participated!

Enjoy!

Bobby Hollis VP, Marketing



Acronym	Definition	Provider
A		
A/B	As Built	Jim Zack
A/D	Analog-to-Digital	Della Mullan
A/N	Activity Number	Jim Zack
A/P	As Planned	Jim Zack
A&E	Architecture and Engineering	Della Mullan
A3	A simple way of getting a problem, an analysis, a corrective action or an action plan written down on a single sheet	Denise Boubour
A4LE	Association for Learning Environments	Luke Bell
AA	Administering Agency	Della Mullan
AA	Alternatives Analysis	Katrina Spinner-Wilson
AA	Aluminum Association	Della Mullan
AAA	American Arbitration Association	Jim Zack
AADT	Average Annual Daily Traffic	Katrina Spinner-Wilson
AAI	All Appropriate Inquiry	Devon Ward
AART	Apply Advanced Resuscitation Techniques	Della Mullan
AASHT	State Highway and Transportation Officials	Javier Suarez
ABAAG	Architectural Barriers Act Accessibility Guidelines	Heather Soucy
ABC	Associated Builders and Contractors	Kristen Troxell
ABCD	Association of Bridge Construction and Design	Heather Soucy
ABNC	Awarded But Not Contracted	Julie Soltis
AC	Air Cooler	Della Mullan
AC	Alternating Current	Della Mullan
ACC	American Chemistry Council	Della Mullan
ACCU	Air Cooled Condensing Unit	Cori Rufti
ACEC	American Council of Engineering Companies	Lauren Smth
ACG	AABC Commissioning Group	Christina Rumbaugh
ACGIH	American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists	Della Mullan
ACHE	American College of Healthcare Executives	Cori Rufti
ACHP	Advisory Council on Historic Preservation	Heather Soucy
ACI	Alloy Castings Institute	Della Mullan
ACI	American Concrete Institute	Della Mullan
ACWP	Actual Cost of Work Performed	Jim Zack
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act	Britney Cooper
ADAAG	Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibility Guidelines	Betsy Loeb
ADC	Analog-to-Digital Converter	Della Mullan
ADM	Arrow Diagraming Method	Jim Zack
ADR	Alternative Dispute Resolution	Jim Zack

ADWF Average Dry Weather Flow Karman Cates **AE Architectural Engineering** Karman Cates **AEC** Architecture, Engineering and Construction Nam Nguyen **AET** Area Emergency Trip Della Mullan **AFARP** As Far As Reasonably Practical Della Mullan **Approved For Construction AFC** Katrina Reed **AGA** American Gas Association Della Mullan **AGMA** Architectural Glass and Metal Association Heather Soucy AGS **Architectural Glass Solution** Heather Soucy **AGST** Above Ground Storage Tank Matt Connor **AHI** Authority Having Jurisdiction Paola Finol **AHM** Acutely Hazardous Material Della Mullan **AHU** Air Handling Units Christina Rumbaugh **AIA** American Institute of Architects Lyndsay Woods **AIChE** American Institute of Chemical Engineers Della Mullan AIHA American Industrial Hygiene Association Della Mullan AIS American Insurance Services Della Mullan **AISC** American Institute of Steel Construction Cori Rufti American Iron and Steel Institute AISI Della Mullan ALAP As Late As Possible Jim Zack Della Mullan **ALARA** As Low As Reasonably Achievable **ALARP** As Low As Reasonably Practicable Della Mullan **AMS** Aerospace Materials Specifications Della Mullan **ANSI** American National Standards Institute Della Mullan **ANTS** Architects, Engineers, Technicians/Contractors Phil Lombardino **AOA** Jim Zack Activity on Arrow **AON** Activity on Node Jim Zack Architect of Record **AOR** Luke Bell AP **Access Point** Della Mullan **APA** American Planning Association Cori Rufti **API** American Petroleum Institute Caroline Hill American Public Works Association **APWA** Cathy McKay **ARC** Accelerating Rate Calorimeter/Calorimetry Della Mullan **ARCH** Architect / Architecture D Falk **ARIN** American Registry for Internet Numbers Della Mullan ARP Address Resolution Protocol Della Mullan Architect ARTC Paul Kane **ASA** American Subcontractor Association Kristen Troxell Denise Boudoir **ASC** Advanced Simulation Center

Cori Rufti

American Society of Civil Engineers

ASCE

ASHE	American Society of Highway Engineers	Lauren Smth
ASHRAE	American Society of Heating, Refrigeration & A/C Engineers	Lauren Smth
ASI	Architectural Supplemental Information	Cora Brown
ASID	American Society of Interior Design	Lauren Smth
ASLA	American Society of Landscape Architects	Pia Cardinali
ASM	American Society for Metals (ASM International)	Della Mullan
ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers	Lauren Smth
ASNT	American Society for Non-destructive Testing	Della Mullan
ASPE	American Society of Plumbing Engineers	Lauren Smth
ASSE	American Society of Safety Engineers	Della Mullan
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM International)	Della Mullan
AT/FP	Anti-terrorism/Force Protection	Alyssa Killmer
ATM	Acute Toxicity Concentration	Della Mullan
ATM	Automatic Teller Machine	Della Mullan
AVN	Aviation	Kelli Rogers
AWS	American Welding Society	Della Mullan
AWWA	American Waste Water Association	Matt Connor

B

BFW

D		
B/S	Baseline Schedule	Jim Zack
BA	Biological Assessment	Julie Haun
BACT	Best Available Control Technology	Della Mullan
BAFO	Best and Final Offer	Denise Boubour
BAS	Building Automation System	Justin Nagy
BAT	Best Available Technology	Della Mullan
BBS	Behavioural Based Safety	Della Mullan
BCI	Building Construction Index	Rachel Brown
BCIS	Building Code Information System	Heather Soucy
BCOM	Bureau of Capital Outlay Management	Betsy Loeb
BCWP	Budgeted Cost of Work Performed	Jim Zack
BCWS	Budgeted Cost of Work Scheduled	Jim Zack
BD	Business Development	Catherine Spurlock
BD+C	Building Design and Construction	Luke Bell
BECx	Building Enclosure Commissioning	Katherine Ferrer
BEES	Building Energy Efficiency Standards	Heather Soucy
BEMS	Building Energy Management System	Denise Boubour
BEP	Best Engineering Practice	Della Mullan
BEQ	Bachelor Enlisted Quarters	Alyssa Killmer

Della Mullan

Boiler Feed Water

BIM	Building Information Modeling	Erica Jordy
BIOS	Basic Input Output System	Della Mullan
BLEVE	Boiling Liquid Expanding Vapor Explosion	Della Mullan
BMI	Building Modeling Information	Rachel Brown
BMP	Best Management Practice	Patricia Teeter
BMS	Burner Management System	Della Mullan
BNB	Bid/No Bid	Denise Boubour
BOD	Biochemical Oxygen Demand	Karman Cates
BOM	Bill of Materials	Denise Boubour
BOM	Bureau of Mines of the US Department of Interior	Della Mullan
BOP	Best Operating Practice	Della Mullan
BOWEC	Building Operations and Work of Engineering Construction	Cori Rufti
BP	Basic or Best Practice	Della Mullan
BP	Booster Pump	Denise Boubour
BPA	Blanket Purchase Agreement	Denise Boubour
BPCS	Basic Process Control System	Della Mullan
BPVC	Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code	Della Mullan
BS	British Standard	Della Mullan
BSU	Basic Structural Unit	Katrina Reed
BUC	Building Utility Certificate	Heather Soucy
BUD	Business Development	Anonymous
BVSS	Best Value Stipulated Sum	Denise Boubour
BX	Business Exchange	Kristin Studabaker

C

C/SC2	Cost/Schedule Control System Criteria	Jim Zack
C&S	Civil and Structure	Nam Nguyen
C3D	Autodesk Civil 3D	Chuck Smith
CA	Certificate Authority	Della Mullan
CA	Competent Authority	Della Mullan
CA	Construction Administration / Administrator	Luke Bell
CAA	Clean Air Act	Della Mullan
CAAA	Clean Air Act Amendment	Della Mullan
CAB	Collapsed As Built	Jim Zack
CAD	Computer-Aided Design	Heather Soucy
CADD	Computer Aided Drafting and Design	Patricia Teeter
CAER	Community Awareness and Emergency Response	Della Mullan
CAP	Corrective Action Plan	Denise Boubour
CAPP	Certified Administrator of Parking	Britney Cooper

CAS	Chemical Abstracts Service	Della Mullan
CBA	Choosing Advantages	Denise Boubour
CBC	Complete blood count	Della Mullan
CBI	Confidential Business Information	Della Mullan
CBR	Cost-Benefit Ratio	Della Mullan
CBT	Competency Based Training	Della Mullan
CCE	Certified Cost Engineer	Jim Zack
CCF	Common Cause Failure	Della Mullan
CCHS	Contra Costa Health Services	Della Mullan
CCM	Certified Construction Manager	Jim Zack
CCNA	Consultants Competitive Negotiation Act	Sandy Winkler-Ehmer
CCP	Certified Cost Professional	Jim Zack
CCPA	Canadian Chemical Producers Association	Della Mullan
CCPS	Center for Chemical Process Safety	Della Mullan
CCR	California Code of Regulations	Cori Rufti
CCT	Certified Cost Technician	Jim Zack
CCx	Continuous Commissioning	Christina Rumbaugh
CD	Calendar Days	Jim Zack
CD	Construction Documents	Kevin Lear
CDA	Copper Development Association	Della Mullan
CE	Civil Engineer	Denise Boubour
CEFP	Certified Educational Facility Planner	Luke Bell
CEI	Chemical Exposure Index	Della Mullan
CEI	Construction Engineering and Inspections	Betsy Loeb
CEM	Certified Energy Manager	Christina Rumbaugh
CEMS	Continuous Emission Monitoring System	Javier Suarez
CEP	Certified Estimating Professional	Jim Zack
CEP	Central Energy Plant	Christina Rumbaugh
CEP	Chemical Engineering Progress	Della Mullan
CEPP	Chemical Emergency Preparedness Program	Della Mullan
CEPPO	Chemical Emergency Planning and Prevention Office of EPA	Della Mullan
CERCL	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act	Javier Suarez
CERCLA	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act (also called Superfund)	Della Mullan
CERT	Computer Emergency Response Team	Della Mullan
CETP	Certified Employee Training Program	Della Mullan
CEU	Continuing Education Unit	Della Mullan
CFCC	Certified Forensic Claims Consultant	Jim Zack
CFD	Computational Fluid Dynamics	Javier Suarez

CFM Cubic Feet per Minute Michelle Cazares **CFR** Code of Federal Regulations Della Mullan **CFS** Cubic Feet per Second Heather Soucy **CGA** Compressed Gas Association Della Mullan **CGI** Combustible Gas Indicator Della Mullan cGMP **Current Good Manufacturing Practice** Denise Boubour **CHAZOP** Control (or Computer) HAZOP Della Mullan **CHCM** Certified Hazard Control Manager Della Mullan **CHEMTREC** Chemical Transportation Emergency Center Della Mullan Chemical Thermodynamic and Energy Release Program CHETAH Della Mullan **CHP** Combined Heat and Power. A/K/A cogeneration, a project description Angela Innes **CHWS** Chilled Water Supply Denise Boubour CI Cast Iron Heather Soucy CI Chlorine Institute Della Mullan CIA Della Mullan Chemical Industries Association CIAED Course In Automated External Defibrillation Della Mullan CIDX Chemical Industry Data Exchange Della Mullan CIL Commercial Integrity Level Della Mullan **CIM** Civil Information Model Scott Quinn **CIMAH** Control of Industrial Major Accident Hazards Della Mullan **CIP** Capital Improvement Plan Patricia Teeter Capital Improvement Program CIP Kristin Studabaker Clean in Place **CIP** Della Mullan **CIPP** Cured in Place Pipe Anonymous **Construction Joint** CI Denise Boubour **CLOMR** Conditional Letter of Map Revision Denise Boubour **CM Condition Monitoring** Della Mullan **CM** Construction Manager Denise Boubour CM/GC Construction Manager / General Contractor Jen Allen **CMA** Chemical Manufacturers Association (Now ACC) Della Mullan **CMAA** Construction Manufacturers Association of America Lauren Clements **CMAO** Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Christina Sollie Construction Management at Risk **CMAR** Christine Perret Certified Mechanical Contractor **CMC** Christina Rumbaugh **CMMS** Computerized Maintenance Management System Della Mullan Construction Manager-at-Risk **CMR** Lyndsay Woods **Construction Materials Testing CMT** Betsy Loeb **CMU** Concrete Masonry Units Matt Connor Central Nervous System Della Mullan CNS

Cora Brown

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Change Order

COA Certificate of Analysis Della Mullan Construction Owners Association of Amercia **COAA** Kristen Troxell COC Certificate of Compliance Della Mullan COC Certificate of Conformity Della Mullan COC Chemicals of Concern Toni Niedringhaus **COMAH** Control of Major Accident Hazards Della Mullan **COP** Code of Practice Della Mullan **COR** Change Order Request Denise Boubour Cost of Work **COW** Catie McMenamin **CP** Condenser Pump Denise Boubour **CPARS** Contractor Performance Assessment Reporting System Mary Noonan **CPEP** Corrugated Poly Ethylene Pipe (HDPE) Devon Ward Chemical Process Industry/Industries **CPI** Della Mullan **CPI** Consumer Price Index Rachel Brown **CPI** Cost Performance Index Denise Boubour **CPM** Critical Path Method Heather Soucy **CPMP** Commissioning Process Management Professional Christina Rumbaugh **CPQRA** Chemical Process Quantitative Risk Analysis/Assessment Della Mullan **CPR** Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation Della Mullan **CPSC Consumer Products Safety Commission** Della Mullan **CPSM** Certified Professional Services Marketer Joyce Fienman **CPT** Competent Person Training Lauren Clements Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design **CPTED** Betsy Loeb **CPU** Central Processing Unit Della Mullan Change Request CR Cora Brown CR Corrosion Rate, or Control Room Della Mullan **CRAC** Computer room air conditioner Denise Boubour **CRAH** Computer Room Air Handler Gary Murphy **CRC** Contamination Reduction Corridor Della Mullan **CRM** Customer Relationship Management **Donnie Chambers CRO** Control Room Operator Della Mullan **CRP** Consolidated Receiving Point Lainie Cleghorn **CRT** Cathode Ray Tube Della Mullan CRZ Contamination Reduction Zone Della Mullan Carbon Steel CS Della Mullan **CSA** Canadian Standards Association Della Mullan **CSB** Chemical Safety Board Della Mullan **CSC** Car-sealed closed Della Mullan **CSC** Certificate of Substantial Completion Denise Boubour

Della Mullan

CSE

Confined Space Entry

CSEA	Construction Safety Excellence Award	Lauren Clements
CSHIB	Chemical Safety & Hazard Investigation Board	Della Mullan
CSHO	Compliance Safety & Health Officer	Della Mullan
CSJ	Control Section Job	Lucia Murguia
CSLB	Contractors State License Board	Lauren Clements
CSP	Certified Safety Professional	Della Mullan
CSP	Competitive Sealed Proposal	Kelly Maxwell
CST	Certified Schedule Technician	Jim Zack
CSV A	CyberSecurity Vulnerability Analysis	Della Mullan
CTB	Cement Treated Base (pavement)	Devon Ward
CTMV	Cargo Tank Motor Vehicle	Della Mullan
CUB	Central Utility Building	Denise Boubour
CUE	Carbon Usage Effectiveness	Gary Murphy
CUP	Central Utility Plant	D Falk
CUP	Conditional Use Permit	Christina Rumbaugh
CV	Cost Variance	Denise Boubour
CW	City Water	Matt Connor
CW	Cooling Water	Della Mullan
CWO	Chain Wheel Operation	Della Mullan
CWP	Condenser Water Pump	Denise Boubour
CWS	Condenser Water Supply	Denise Boubour
CX	Commissioning	Katherine Ferrer
CxA	Commissioning Authority	Kelsey Koper

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D/D-B	Develop/Design-Build	Elaine Wilson
D&C	Design and Construct (D&C) procurement type form	Elina Leonova
DA	Design Assist	Denise Boubour
DAC	Digital-to-Analog Converter	Della Mullan
DB	Design-Build	Alyssa Killmer
DBB	Design-Bid-Build	Christina Sollie
DBE	Design Build Entity	Kelsey Koper
DBFO	Design Build Finance Operate contracting method	Denise Boubour
DBIA	Design Build Institute of America	Alyssa Killmer
DBOM	Design, Build, Operate & Maintain	Denise Boubour
DC	Direct Current	Della Mullan
DCiE	Data Center infrastructure Efficiency	Gary Murphy
DCS	Distributed Control System	Della Mullan
DCW	Domestic Cold Water	Denise Boubour

DD	Design Development	Denise Boubour
DDC	Direct Digital Control	Della Mullan
DDC	Direct Digital Control operates HVAC controller	Denise Boubour
DEP	Department of Environmental Protection	Della Mullan
DEP	Directorate of Enforcement Programs	Della Mullan
DGHS	Dangerous Goods and Hazardous Substances	Della Mullan
DGIs	Design Guide Illustrations	Denise Boubour
DGW	Double Glazed Window	Katrina Reed
DHHS	Department of Health & Human Services	Della Mullan
DHR	Design Hazard Review	Della Mullan
DHSV	Down Hole Safety Valve	Della Mullan
DHW	Domestic Hot Water	Denise Boubour
DI	Ductile iron	Travis Franklin
DIA	Diameter	Travis Franklin
DIERS	Design Institute for Emergency Relief Systems	Della Mullan
DIFR	Disabling Injury Frequency Rate	Della Mullan
DIM	Dimension	Heather Soucy
DIN	Deutsches Institut fur Normung e.V. (Standards Institution of Germany)	Della Mullan
DIP	Ductile Iron Pipe	Jen Allen
DIPPR	Design Institute for Physical Property Data	Della Mullan
DLC	Data Link Control	Della Mullan
DNAPL	Dense Non-Aqueous Phase Liquid	Javier Suarez
DNS	Domain Name System	Della Mullan
DOC	Disruption of Service	Della Mullan
DOD	Department of Defense	Della Mullan
DOL	Department of Labor	Della Mullan
DOS	Denial of Service	Della Mullan
DOS	Disk Operating System	Della Mullan
DOSH	Division of Occupational Safety and Health	Lauren Clements
DOT	Department of Transportation	Patricia Teeter
DP	Design Practice	Della Mullan
DPM	Deputy Project Manager	Kelli Rogers
DQC	Design Quality Control	D Falk
DQMP	Design Quality Management Plan	Mary Noonan
DRB	Dispute Resolution Board	Jim Zack
DRBF	Dispute Resolution Board Foundation	Jim Zack
DRPM	Decision and Risk Management Professional	Jim Zack
DSC	Differing Site Condition	Jim Zack
DSC	Differential Scanning Calorimeter/Calorimetry	Della Mullan
DTA	Differential Thermal Analysis	Della Mullan

DTSC	Department of Toxic Substances Control	Toni Niedringhaus
DVBE	Disable Veterans Business Enterprise	Denise Boubour
DWG	Drawing	Kristie Alexander
DX	Direct Expansion	Denise Boubour
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E/E/PES	Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic System	Della Mullan
E&I	Electrical and Instrumentation	Della Mullan
E&O	Errors and Ommissions	Denise Boubour
EA	Engineering Authority	Della Mullan
EA	Environmental Assessment	Pam Robinson
EAC	Estimate At Completion	Jim Zack
EAL	Emergency Action Level	Della Mullan
EAP	Emergency Action Plan	Patricia Teeter
EAP	Employee Assistance Program	Della Mullan
EBD	Escrow Bid Documents	Jim Zack
EBV	Emergency Block Valve	Della Mullan
ECC	Emergency Command Center	Della Mullan
ECC	Estimated Construction Cost	Lauren Clements
ECI	Early Contractor Involvement (ECI) procurement type form	Elina Leonova
ECx	Existing Building Commissioning	Mike Lackey
ED	Emergency Department	Christina Rumbaugh
EDD	Employment Development Department	Lauren Clements
EDGE	Economic Dividends for Gender Equality	Kristin Studabaker
EDOs	Economic Development Officials	Heather Soucy
EEGL	Emergency Exposure Guidance Level	Della Mullan
EERI	Earthquake Engineering Research Institute	Lauren Smth
EF	Early Finish	Jim Zack
EFCE	European Federation of Chemical Engineering	Della Mullan
EFIS	Exterior Finish Insulation System	Stephanie Robinson
EFV	Excess Flow Valve	Della Mullan
EGNG	Engineer	Paul Kane
EHS	Environmental, Health & Safety	Ginny Davis
EHS	Extremely Hazardous Substance	Della Mullan
EHSARA	Extremely Hazardous Substance Accident Risk Analysis	Della Mullan
EHSR	Elected Health and Safety Representative	Della Mullan
EI	Engineering Intern	Kristin Studabaker
EIL	Environmental Integrity Level	Della Mullan
EID	Engine and and I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I I	Daniaa Bauhaur

Denise Boubour

Environmental Impact Report

EIR

EIS	Environmental Impact Statement	Cathy McCay
EIT	Engineer-in-Training	Katrina Spinner-Wilson
EIV	Emergency Isolation Valve	Della Mullan
ELCB	Earth Leakage Circuit Breaker	Della Mullan
EMC	Electromagnetic Compatibility	Della Mullan
EMCS	Energy Management and Control System	Justin Nagy
EMI	Electromagnetic Interference	Della Mullan
EMP	Emergency Management Plan	Della Mullan
EMP	Energy Management Professional	Christina Rumbaugh
EMR	Experience Modification Rate	Stephanie Harbison
EMT	Emergency Medical Technician	Della Mullan
ENR	Engineering News-Record	Deanna Rodriguez
ENVSP	Envision Sustainability Professional	Kelsey Koper
EOC	Emergency Operations Center	Della Mullan
EOC	Equal Opportunity Employer	Della Mullan
EOP	Emergency Operating Procedure	Della Mullan
EOR	Engineer of Record	Matt Connor
EOT	Extension of Time	Jim Zack
EP	Employee Participation	Della Mullan
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency	Ginny Davis
EPA	U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	Della Mullan
EPC	Engineering, Procurement and Construction	Della Mullan
EPCRA	Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act	Della Mullan
EPCT	Engineering Procurement and Construction	Cori Rufti
EPRI	Electric Power Research Institute	Javier Suarez
EPSC	European Process Safety Center	Della Mullan
EQ	Equalization	Kelsey Koper
ER	Emergency Response	Della Mullan
ERP	Emergency Response Program	Della Mullan
ERP	Enterprise Resource Planning	Della Mullan
ERPG	Emergency Response Planning Guideline	Della Mullan
ERS	Earth Retention System	Heather Hammerle
ERT	Emergency Response Team	Della Mullan
ES	Early Start	Jim Zack
ES	Emergency Shutdown	Della Mullan
ESA	Environmental Site Assessments	Cathy McKay
ESDC	Engineering Services During Construction	Julie Haun
ESFR	Early Suppression Fast Response fire sprinkler system	Denise Boubour
ESLI	End-of-Service-Life Indicator	Della Mullan

Emergency Shutdown Procedure

ESP

ESPOY	Energy Star Partner of the Year	Luke Bell
ESS	Emergency Shutdown System	Della Mullan
EST	Elevated Storage Tank	Michelle Cazares
ESV	Emergency Shutdown Valve	Della Mullan
ETA	Event Tree Analysis	Della Mullan
ETC	Estimate To Complete	Jim Zack
EU	European Union	Della Mullan
EUC	Equipment Under Control	Della Mullan
EUI	Energy Use Index	Mike Lackey
\mathbf{EV}	Earned Value	Jim Zack
EVC	Equilibrium Vapor Concentration	Della Mullan
EVP	Earned Value Professional	Jim Zack
EX	Existing	Travis Franklin
EXC	Excavate	Heather Soucy
EXT	Exterior	Heather Soucy
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F		
F-N	Frequency-Number	Della Mullan
F&B	Food and beverage	Yasa Petrunak
F&EI	Fire and Explosion Index	Della Mullan
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration	Heather Soucy
FACP	Fire Alarm Control Panel	Heather Soucy
FAI	First Aid Incident	Della Mullan
FAIA	Fellow of the American Institute of Architects	Caroline Hill
FAP	File and Print (Server)	Della Mullan
FAR	Fatal Accident Rate	Della Mullan
FAR	Federal Acquisition Regulation	Denise Boubour
FAT	Factory Acceptance Test	Della Mullan
FBO	Federal Business Opportunities	Mary Noonan
FC	Fails Closed	Della Mullan
FC	Flow Controller	Della Mullan
FCC(U)	Fluid Catalytic Cracking (Unit)	Della Mullan
FCD	Field Change Document	Katrina Reed
FCE	Final Control Element	Della Mullan
FDA	Food and Drug Administration	Della Mullan

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Javier Suarez

Frequency of Dangerous Failures

Fractional Dead Time

Finite Element Analysis

Final Element

FDF

FDT

FEA

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FEB	Final Estimate and Bid	Denise Boubour
FEED	Front End Engineering Design	Della Mullan
FEED	Front End Engineering Development	Della Mullan
FEF	Forced Expiratory Flow	Della Mullan
FEIS	Final Environmental Impact Report	Denise Boubour
FEL	Front End Loading	Della Mullan
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency	Della Mullan
FF	Finish To Finish	Jim Zack
FF	Free Float	Jim Zack
FFE	Furniture, Finishes & Equipment	Keeley Clements
FFP	Firm Fixed-Price Contract	Denise Boubour
FFS	Fitness For Service	Della Mullan
FG	Fuel Gas	Della Mullan
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration	Cathy McKay
FI	Fails Indeterminate	Della Mullan
FI	Flow Indicator	Della Mullan
FID	Flamed Ionization Detector	Della Mullan
FIFR	Fatal Injury Frequency Rate	Della Mullan
FIRM	Field Inspection Reference Manual	Della Mullan
FL	Fails Locked	Della Mullan
FL	Flare Line	Della Mullan
FM	Factory Mutual	Della Mullan
FMEA	Failure Modes and Effects Analysis	Della Mullan
FMECA	Failure Modes, Effects, and Criticality Analysis	Della Mullan
FMEDA	Failure Modes, Effects and Diagnostic Analysis	Della Mullan
FO	Fails Open	Della Mullan
FO	Field Order	Kristie Alexander
FOIA	Freedom Of Information Act	Della Mullan
FOOH	Field Office Overhead	Jim Zack
FP	Fire Protection	Lindsey Smith
FP&C	Facilities Planning & Construction	Lauren Clements
FPE	Fire Protection Engineer	Caroline Hill
FR	Federal Register	Della Mullan
FRC	Fire Retardant Clothing	Della Mullan
FRC	Functional Residual Capacity	Della Mullan
FRI	Facility Risk Index	Della Mullan
FS	Finish To Start	Jim Zack
FSA	Formal Safety Assessment	Della Mullan
FSA	Functional Safety Assessment	Della Mullan

FSC	Forest Stewardship Council: dedicated to the practice of sustainable forestry	Catie McMenamin
FSSL	Fail Safe Solid State Logic	Della Mullan
FTA	Fault Tree Analysis	Della Mullan
FTE	Full Time Employee	Della Mullan
FTP	File Transfer Protocol	Della Mullan
FUDS	Formerly Used Defense Site	Devon Ward
FW	Fire Water	Della Mullan

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Ga	Gauge	Kristie Alexander
GACT	Generally Available Control Technology	Jana Hindman
GBE	Green Building Engineer	Christina Rumbaugh
GBR	Geotechnical Baseline Report	Jim Zack
GC	Gas Chromatography	Della Mullan
GC	General Contractor	Paul Alford
GDSR	Geotechnical Design Summary Report	Jim Zack
GEC	General Engineering Contract	Kristin Studabaker
GEMS	Global Enterprise Management System	Della Mullan
GEP	Good Engineering Practice	Della Mullan
GES	General Engineering Services	Kristin Studabaker
GF	General Foreman	Denise Boubour
GFCI	Ground Fault Circuit Interrupt	Heather Soucy
GFE	Good Faith Effort	Denise Boubour
GFI	Ground Fault Interrupt	Heather Soucy
GHG	Greenhouse Gas	Jana Hindman
GIS	Geographic Information Systems	Kelsey Koper
GLP	Good Laboratory Practice	Della Mullan
GMAX	Guaranteed Maximum Price	Lyndsay Woods
GMP	Good Manufacturing Practice	Della Mullan
GMP	Guaranteed Maximum Price	Lyndsay Woods
GPA	Gas Processors Association	Della Mullan
GPM	Gallons Per Minute	Kelsey Koper
GPS	Global Positioning System	Della Mullan
GSA	General Services Administration	Kelsey Koper
GSF	Gross Square Feet	Denise Boubour
GSI	Green Stormwater Infrastructure	Yasa Petrunak
GST	Ground Storage Tank	Michelle Cazares
GWAC	Government Wide Acquisition Contract	Denise Boubour

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HAC	

Ŧ Hydraulics and Hydrology Hot Aisle Containment HAZ Heat Affected Zone **HAZCOM** Hazard Communication **HAZID** Hazard Identification **HAZMAT** Hazardous Material **HAZOP** Hazard and Operability

HAZWOPER Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response

Hc Hollow Core

HDPE High-Density Polyethylene **HDS High-Definition Surveying**

HEA Human Error Analysis HEP Human Error Probability

HF **Human Factors**

HFA Hazard Factor Assessment

HFER Human Factors Engineering Review

HFP Human Failure Probability HHC Highly Hazardous Chemical

HI Hydraulic Institute

HID Hazardous Installations Directorate (UK)

HIPS High Integrity Protective System

HIRA Hazard Identification Risk Assessment

HMA Hot Mix Asphalt

Hoist Manufacturers' Institute **HMI** Human-Machine Interface **HMI** Home Office Overhead HOOH

HO Headquarters

HRA Human Reliability Analysis **HRM** Highway Runoff Manual

HSE Health and Safety Executive (UK) Health Safety & Environmental HSE Health and Safety Representative **HSR**

HSSE Health, Safety, Security and Environment

HTML HyperText Markup Language **HTTP** HyperText Transfer Protocol

Historically Underutilized Business HUB

HVAC Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning

HW Hot Water Patricia Teeter

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Kristie Alexander Anonymous

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Travis Franklin

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Jim Zack

Alyssa Killmer

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Terri Fleming

Monica Fabregat

Greg Wellman

HWP	Hot Work Permit	Della Mullan
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I/O	Input/Output	Della Mullan
I&T	Inspection and Testing	Della Mullan
IA	Instrument Air	Della Mullan
IAEI	International Association of Electrical Inspectors	Lauren Smth
IAQ	Indoor Air Quality	Javier Suarez
IBC	International Building Code	Greg Armey
IBS	Integrated Building System	Denise Boubour
IC	Initiating Cause	Della Mullan
ICC	Interstate Commerce Commission	Della Mullan
ICDR	International Center For Dispute Resolution	Jim Zack
ICF	Insulated Concrete Forms	Alyssa Killmer
IChemE	Institution of Chemical Engineers	Della Mullan
ICMA	International City/County Management Association	Lauren Smth
ICMP	Internet Control Message Protocol	Della Mullan
ICRA	Infection Control Risk Assessment	Stephanie Harbison
ICW	Industrial Cold Water	Denise Boubour
ID+C	Interior Design and Construction	Luke Bell
IDDE	Illicit Discharge Detection & Elimination	Devon Ward
IDIQ	Indefinate Delivery Indefinate Quanity	Patricia Teeter
IDLH	Immediately Dangerous to Life and Health	Della Mullan
IDM	Initial Decision Maker	Jim Zack
IDS	Intrusion Detection System	Della Mullan
IE	Initiating Event	Della Mullan
IE	Invert Elevation	Heather Soucy
IEC	International Electrotechnical Commission	Della Mullan
IEE	Institute of Electrical Engineers	Della Mullan
IEEE	Institute of Electronic and Electrical Engineers	Della Mullan
IES	Illumination Engineer's Society	Lauren Smth
IESNA	Illumination Engineering Society of North America	Lauren Smth
IFB	Information For Bidders	Denise Boubour
IFC	Issue for Construction	Heather Soucy
IFOA	Integrated Form of Agreement	Denise Boubour
II	Incident Investigation	Della Mullan
IIAR	International Institute of Ammonia Refrigeration	Della Mullan
HoT	Industrial Information of Things	Kevin Lear
IJR	Interchange Justification Report	Cathy McKay

ILO	International Labour Organization	Della Mullan
ILSM	Interim Life Safety Measures	Stephanie Harbison
IM	Integrity Management	Della Mullan
IMP	Integrated Master Plan	Denise Boubour
IMS	Interchange Modification Study	Kristin Studabaker
INIC	Internet Network Information Center	Della Mullan
INT	Interior	Heather Soucy
IOR	Inspector of Record	Denise Boubour
IOS	International Organization for Standardization	Della Mullan
IPD	Integrated Project Delivery	Julie Soltis
IPI	Inspection Priority Item	Della Mullan
IPL	Independent Protection Layer	Della Mullan
IR	Infra Red	Della Mullan
IRA	Immediate Response Action	Devon Ward
IRI	Industrial Risk Insurers	Della Mullan
IRIS	Integrated Risk Information System	Della Mullan
IS	Initial Study	Julie Haun
ISA	Instrumentation, Systems and Automation Society (Formerly Instrument Society of America)	Della Mullan
ISAC	Information Sharing and Analysis Center	Della Mullan
ISHR	Industry Safety & Health Representative	Della Mullan
ISO	Industrial Safety Ordinance	Della Mullan
IT	Information Technology	Della Mullan
ITB	Invitation to Bid	Kevin Shaw
ITS	Intelligent Transportation Systems	Kelsey Koper
JHA	Job Hazard Analysis	Della Mullan
J		
JSA	Job Safety Analysis (risk assessment before starting work)	Della Mullan
JSEA	Job Safety & Environmental Analysis	Della Mullan
JST	Joist	Heather Soucy
JV	Joint Venture	Denise Boubour
K		
KEC	Kitchen Equipment Contractor	Pamela Eaton
KPI	Key Performance Indicator	Denise Boubour
KTR	Contrator	D Falk

L2RA Level Two Risk Assessment Della Mullan LA **Emily Cox** Landscape Architect/ure **LACP** Lateral Assessment Certificatio Program Ann Bryant LAH Level Alarm High Della Mullan LAN Local Area Network Stephanie Harbison **LAST** Leaking Above-ground Storage Tank Devon Ward LB Line breaking Della Mullan LC Lethal Concentration Della Mullan LC Level Controller Della Mullan **LCC** Life Cycle Costing Denise Boubour LD Liquidated Damage Jlm Zack Lethal Dose Della Mullan LD Della Mullan **LDAR** Leak Detection and Repair **LED** Light Emitting Diode Tisha Renner-Cruz **LEED** Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design **Keeley Clements LEL** Lower Explosive Limit Della Mullan Lighting Energy Numeric Indicator Cori Rufti **LENI LEP** Local Emergency Planning Committee Della Mullan LF Late Finish Jlm Zack Linear Foot LF Michelle Cazares **LFL** Lower Flammable Limit Della Mullan LI Level Indicator Della Mullan LIC Level Indicating Controller Della Mullan LID Low Impact Development Patricia Teeter LIMS Laboratory Information Management System Della Mullan **LNG** Liquified Natural Gas Della Mullan Locked Open LO Della Mullan Lube Oil Della Mullan LO LOC Letter of Commitment Lucia Murguia Level of Concern LOC Della Mullan Level Of Detail Jlm Zack LOD Level of Effort Denise Boubour LOE LOI Letter of Intent Melissa Wright Letter of Map Revision LOMR Denise Boubour **LOPA** Layers of Protection Analysis Della Mullan Level of Service LOS Cathy McKay Lock Out Tag Out LOTO Della Mullan

Kim Folgate

LOV

List of Values

LPG Liquified Petroleum Gas LPTA Lowest Price Technically Acceptable LR Level Recorder Della Mullan Della Mullan
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LR Level Recorder Della Mullan
Level Recorder
LRFD Load and Resistance Factor Design Javier Suarez
LS Late Start JIm Zack
LSE Limited Service Employee Della Mullan
LSM Linear Scheduling Method JIm Zack
LT Level Transmitter Della Mullan
LTFR Lost Time Frequency Rate Della Mullan
LTI Lost Time Injury Della Mullan
LUST Leaking Underground Storage Tank Devon Ward
LV Low Voltage Denise Bould
LWIR Lost Workday Incident Rates Denise Boub

M		
M/WBE	Minority/Woman Owned Business Enterprise	Terri Fleming
M&CS	Manufacturing and Control System	Della Mullan
M2D1	Measure Twice, Draw Once	Mike Garvey
MAC	MAC Maximum Allowable Concentration	Della Mullan
MAC	Multiple Award Contract	Denise Boubour
MACC	Multiple Award Construction Contract	Jen Allen
MACP	Manhole Assessment Certification Program	Ann Bryant
MACT	Maximum Achievable Control Technology	Jana Hindman
MAR	Major Accident Risk	Della Mullan
MATOC	Multiple Award Task Order Contract	Denise Boubour
MAWP	Maximum Allowable Working Pressure	Della Mullan
MBBR	Moving Bed Biological Reactor Process	Jen Allen
MBE	Minority Business Enterprises	Jen Allen
MBR	Membrane Bioreactor	Karman Cates
MCAR	Major Chemical Accident or Release	Della Mullan
MCC	Motor Control Center	Della Mullan
MCS	Minimal Cut Set	Della Mullan
MDMT	Minimum Design Metal Temperature	Della Mullan
MEA	Master Enabling Agreement	Denise Boubour
MEC	Media Access Control	Della Mullan
MEFR	Maximal Expiratory Flow Rate	Della Mullan
MEOR	Mechanical Engineer of Record	Denise Boubour
MEP	Mechanical Elecrical & Plumbing	Terri Fleming

MEPF	Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing and Fire Protection	Denise Boubour
MES	Manufacturing Execution System	Della Mullan
MFB	Must Finish By	JIm Zack
MGD	Million Gallons per Day	Jen Allen
MHI	Material Hazard Index	Della Mullan
MI	Mechanical Integrity	Della Mullan
MIE	Minimum Ignition Energy	Della Mullan
MKTG	Marketing	Anonymous
MMI	Man-Machine Interface	Della Mullan
MMS	Minerals Management Service	Della Mullan
MND	Mitigated Negative Declaration	Julie Haun
MNRP	Manufacturers Representative	Paul Kane
MOB	Medical Office Building	Linda Dininger
MOC	Management of Change	Della Mullan
MORT	Management Oversight and Risk Tree	Della Mullan
MOT	Maintenance of Traffic	Greta Arnold
MOTAA	Maintenance of Traffic Alternative Analysis	Kristin Studabaker
MOTEM	Marine Oil Terminal Engineering and Maintenance Standards	Denise Boubour
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding	Kristin Studabaker
MP	Master Plan	Luke Bell
MPO	Metropolitan Planning Organizations	Cathy McKay
MPR	Master Planned Resort	Cathy McKay
MRO	Maintenance, Repair and Operations	Della Mullan
MS4	Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System	Devon Ward
MSA	Master Service Agreement	Denise Boubour
MSDS	Material Safety Data Sheet	Della Mullan
MSHA	Mine Safety and Health Administration	Della Mullan
MSL	Mean Sea Level	Devon Ward
MSOT	Minimum Safe Operating Temperature	Della Mullan
MTBE	Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether	Della Mullan
MTBF	Mean Time Between Failures	Della Mullan
MTDC	Multi Tenant Data Center	Gary Murphy
MTDF	Mean Time to Detect Failure	Della Mullan
MTI	Medically Treated Incident	Della Mullan
MTR	Materials Test Report	Della Mullan
MTT	Mean Time to Failure	Della Mullan
MTTR	Mean Time To Repair	Della Mullan
MTU	Master Terminal Unit	Della Mullan
MUTCD	Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices	Greta Arnold
MVV	Maximal Voluntary Ventilation	Della Mullan

MXD	Mixed Use Development	Anonymous
N		
NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards	Javier Suarez
NACD	National Association of Chemical Distributors	Della Mullan
NACE	National Association of Corrosion Engineers	Della Mullan
NAICS	North American Industry Classification System (formerly Standard Industrial Classification [SIC] codes)	Della Mullan
NAWIC	National Association of Women in Construction	Lindsey Smith
NBBPVI	National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors	Della Mullan
NBIC	National Boiler Inspection Code	Della Mullan
NBS	National Bureau of Standards	Della Mullan
NCARB	National Council of Architectural Registration Boards	Lauren Smth
NCEES	National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying	Lauren Smth
NCIDQ	National Council for Interior Design Qualification	Lauren Smth
NCR	Non-Conformance Report	Erica Jordy
NCSD	National Cyber Security Division	Della Mullan
NCSL	National Conference of Standards Laboratories	Della Mullan
ND	Neighborhood Development	Luke Bell
NDA	Non-Disclosure Agreement	Denise Boubour
NDE	Non-Destructive Examination	Della Mullan
NDT	Nil Ductility Temperature	Della Mullan
NDT	Non-Destructive Testing	Della Mullan
NEC	National Electrical Code	Heather Soucy
NEMA	National Electrical Manufacturers' Association	Della Mullan
NEP	National Emphasis Program	Della Mullan
NEPA	National Environmental Policy Act	Patricia Teeter
NEPA	National Environmental Protection Act	Della Mullan
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association	Lauren Smth
NFRAP	No Further Remedial Action Planned	Devon Ward
NGL	Natural Gas Liquids	Della Mullan
NGO	Non-Governmental Organization	Della Mullan
NIC	Network Interface Card	Della Mullan
NICS	National Institute for Chemical Studies	Della Mullan
NIEHS	National Institute of Environmental Health & Safety	Della Mullan
NIKEC	Not in Kitchen Equipment Contract (Section 114000)	Pamela Eaton
NIOSH	National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health	Della Mullan
NIPC	National Infrastructure Protection Center	Della Mullan
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Testing	Della Mullan

NLTPHRW	National Licence To Perform High Risk Work	Della Mullan
NMI	Near Miss Incident	Della Mullan
NOA	Notice Of Acceptance	Paul Alford
NOAA	National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration	Della Mullan
NOC	Notice Of Commencement	Paul Alford
NOI	Notice Of Intent	Katrina Reed
NOP	Normal Operating Procedure	Della Mullan
NOTU	Naval Ordnance Test Unit	Heather Soucy
NOX	Nitrogen Oxides	Della Mullan
NPDES	National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System	Cathy McKay
NPDWS	Non-Potential Drinking Water Source Area	Chang Liu
NPGA	National Propane Gas Association	Della Mullan
NPGIS	New Pollution Generating Impervious Surface	Chang Liu
NPRA	National Petroleum Refiners Association	Della Mullan
NPS	Nominal Pipe Size	Della Mullan
NPSH	Net Positive Suction Head	Della Mullan
NRC	National Response Center	Della Mullan
NRT	National Response Team	Della Mullan
NSCA	National Safety Council of Australia	Della Mullan
NSFW	Not Safe For Work	Della Mullan
NSPE	National Society of Professional Engineers	Lauren Smth
NTE	Not To Exceed	Jim Zack
NTIS	National Technical Information Service	Della Mullan
NTP	Notice To Proceed	Denise Boubour
NTS	Not To Scale	Travis Franklin

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O&M	Operations and Maintenance	Anonymous
OAC	Operations Advisory Committee	Stephanie Harbison
OAP	Overflow Abatement Program	Kelsey Koper
OAU	Outside Air Unit	Denise Boubour
OCA	Offsite Consequence Analysis	Della Mullan
OCAW	Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers	Della Mullan
OCIP	Owner Controlled Insurance Program	Denise Boubour
OD	Origin-Destination	Kristin Studabaker
ODC	Owner Design Consultant	Denise Boubour
OE	Owner's Engineer	Julie Haun
OEM	Original Equipment Manufacturer	Della Mullan
OES	Office of Emergency Services	Della Mullan

OFA	Occupational First Aid	Della Mullan
OFCI	Owner Furnished Contractor Installed	Julie Soltis
OFD	Over Flow Drain	Bhanu Vadlamani
OH	Over Head	Denise Boubour
OHM	Oil and/or Hazardous Material	Chang Liu
OHS	Occupational Health and Safety	Della Mullan
OHSAS	Occupation Health and Safety Assessment Series	Della Mullan
OHSC	Occupational Health and Safety Committee	Della Mullan
OHSMS	Occupational Health and Safety Management System	Della Mullan
OJT	On-the-job Training	Della Mullan
OLE	Object Linking and Embedding	Della Mullan
OMB	Office of Management and Budget	Della Mullan
OMR	Owner's Minimum Requirements	Denise Boubour
OPA	Oil Pollution Act	Della Mullan
OPA-90	Oil Pollution Act of 1990	Della Mullan
OPC	OLE for Process Control	Della Mullan
OPC	Other Project Cost	Denise Boubour
OREDA	Offshore Reliability Data	Della Mullan
OSHA	Occupational Safety and Health Administration	Keeley Clements
OSHPD	Office of State Health Planning and Development	Denise Boubour
OSI	Open System Interconnection	Della Mullan
OTCQ	Officer Training Command Quarters	Alyssa Killmer
OVA	Organic Vapor Analyzer	Della Mullan
OW	Oily Water	Della Mullan
OWTS	Onsite Wastewater Treatment System	Karman Cates

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P&ID	Piping & Instrumentation Diagram	Janet Brooks
P&S	Plans and Specifications	Jim Zack
P2P	Peer-to-peer	Della Mullan
P3	Public Private Partnership	Matt Connor
PA	Public Address	Della Mullan
PACP	Pipeline Assessment Certification Program	Ann Bryant
PAH	Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons	Devon Ward
PAPR	Powered Air-Purifying Respirator	Della Mullan
PB	Push Button	Della Mullan
PC	Pressure Controller	Della Mullan
PCB	PolyChlorinated Byphenyl	Della Mullan
PCBU	Person Conducting a Business or Undertaking	Della Mullan

PCC	Processing Control Center	Heather Soucy
PCSRF	Process Control Security Requirements Forum	Della Mullan
PDA	Personal Digital Assistant	Della Mullan
PDM	Precedence Diagramming Method	Jim Zack
PDP	Project Development Process	Kristin Studabaker
PDS	Personnel Decontamination Station	Della Mullan
PDS	Project Data Sheet	Denise Boubour
PE	Professional Engineer	Patricia Teeter
PEEL	Public Emergency Exposure Limit	Della Mullan
PEL	Permissible Exposure Limit	Della Mullan
PEMB	Pre-Engineered Metal Building	Stephanie Robinson
PER	Preliminary Engineering Report	Michelle Cazares
PERT	Planning Evaluation And Review Technique	Jim Zack
PES	Programmable Electronic System	Della Mullan
PET	Process Emergency Trip	Della Mullan
PFD	Probability of Failure on Demand	Della Mullan
PFD	Process Flow Diagram	Della Mullan
PFI	Public Financing Initiative (PFI) procurement type form	Elina Leonova
PHA	Process Hazard Analysis, or Preliminary Hazard Analysis	Della Mullan
PHAM	Process Hazards Management	Della Mullan
PHMP	Principal Hazard Management Plan	Della Mullan
PHP	Personal Hearing Protection	Della Mullan
PHR	Process Hazard Review	Della Mullan
PHRA	Process Hazard and Risk Assessment	Della Mullan
PI	Pressure Indicator	Della Mullan
PI	Proportional-Integral	Della Mullan
PI	Public Involvement	Kristin Studabaker
PIC	Principal in Charge	Katherine Ferrer
PID	Photoionization Detector	Devon Ward
PID	Proportional Integral Derivative	Della Mullan
PIE	Performance Influencing Factors	Della Mullan
PIS	Project Information Sheet	Joyce Fienman
\mathbf{PL}	Protection Layer	Della Mullan
PLA	Professional Landscape Architect	Caroline Hill
PLC	Programable Logic Controller	Michael LLoyd
PLL	Potential (Probable) Loss of Life	Della Mullan
PLM	Product Lifecycle Management	Della Mullan
PM	Preventive Maintenance	Della Mullan
PM	Project Manager	Katherine Ferrer

Positive Materials Identification

PMI

PMO Project Management Office Denise Boubour Project Management Professional **PMP** Jim Zack **PMP** Project Management Plan Britney Cooper PO Purchase Order Della Mullan **POC** Point of Compliance Ann Bryant **POCL** Pre Operation Check List Della Mullan **POD Probability Of Detection** Della Mullan **POF** Pay On Foot Britney Cooper **PONL Property Owner Notification Letters** Kristin Studabaker Project Owner's Representative Elina Leonova **POR POTW Publicly Owned Treatment Works** Della Mullan **PPA** Power Purchase Agreement Denise Boubour **PPC** Percent Plan Complete Denise Boubour **PPCE** Personal Protective Clothing and Equipment Della Mullan **PPE** Personal Protection Equipment Shasta Langenbacher **PPM Project Performance Meeting** Denise Boubour **PPP** Public Private Partnership Matt Connor **PPQ** Past Performance Questionnaire Mary Noonan **PPVF** Past Performance Verification Form Christina Sollie **PQV** Program-Quality-Verification Della Mullan **PRA** Probabilistic Risk Assessment Della Mullan **PRP** Potentially Responsible Parties Toni Niedringhaus **PRV** Pressure Relief Valve Della Mullan **PS Professional Surveyor** Kristin Studabaker PS&E Plans, Specifications and Estimates Cathy McKay **PSA** Probabilistic Safety Assessment Della Mullan **PSA Project Stabilization Agreement** Denise Boubour **PSAT** Pre-Startup Acceptance Test Della Mullan Prevention of Significant Deterioration **PSD** Javier Suarez **PSF** Performance Shaping Factor Della Mullan **PSG** Parking Services Group **Britney Cooper PSI Process Safety Information** Della Mullan **PSM Pre-Submittal Meeting** Della Mullan **PSM Process Safety Management** Della Mullan **PSMS** Process Safety Management System Della Mullan **PSP** Planning and Scheduling Professional Heather Soucv **PSSR** Pre-Startup Safety Review Della Mullan Pressure Safety Valve **PSV** Della Mullan

Lauren Clements

Packaged Terminal Air Conditioner

PTAC

PTO	Paid Time Off	Heather Hammerle
PTOE	Professional Traffic Operations Engineer	Kelsey Koper
PTW	Permit to Work	Della Mullan
PUD	Public Utility District	Cathy McKay
PUE	Power Utilization Effectiveness	Gary Murphy
PVC	Polyvinyl Chloride	Travis Franklin
PW	Potable Water	Della Mullan
PWHT	Post-Weld Heat Treatment	Della Mullan
PWS	Performance Work Statement	Patricia Teeter
PX	Project Executive	Denise Boubour
PXP	Project Execution Plan	Denise Boubour

Q

QA Quality Assurance Della Mullan QA/QC Quality Assurance/Quality Control Mai Le **QBS Qualifications Based Selection** Kelsey Koper QC **Quality Control** Della Mullan QC/QA Quality Control / Quality Assurance process Rebecca Geary **QCIL** Quality Control Issue Log Erica Jordy **QCITP** Quality Control Inspection and Test Plan Paola Finol

QCxP Quality Commissioning Process Provider Christina Rumbaugh

QMS Quality Management System

QRA Quantitative Risk Analysis / Assessment

Della Mullan

QS Quantity Survey or Quantity Surveyor

Research & Development

R

R&D

RA Registered Architect Alyssa Killmer RA Risk Assessment Della Mullan Roundabout Kristin Studabaker **RAB RACE** Rescue, Activate alarm, Confine the fire, Evacuate/Extinguish Della Mullan **RAGAGEP** Recognized and Generally Accepted Good Engineering Practice Della Mullan **RBC** Red Blood Count Della Mullan **RBD** Reliability Block Diagram Della Mullan Della Mullan **RBI** Risk-Based Inspection **RBP** Relationship-Based Project Elina Leonova **RBPS** Risk-Based Process Safety Della Mullan **RC** Reinforced Concrete Heather Soucy

Heather Soucy

RCA Root Cause Analysis Della Mullan Residual Current Device **RCD** Della Mullan **RCM** Reliability Centered Maintenance Della Mullan **RCRA** Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Javier Suarez **RCRA** Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (EPA) Della Mullan **RD** Requirements Document Alyssa Killmer RD Rupture Disk Della Mullan RD/RA Remedial Design/Remedial Action Ginny Davis REBAR Reinforcing Bar Heather Soucy Recommended Exposure Limit Della Mullan REL **RFC** Request for Clarification Denise Boubour **RFI** Radio Frequency Interference Della Mullan **RFI** Request for information Kelsey Padgett **RFID** Radio Frequency Identification Tags Denise Boubour Request for Letters of Interest **RFLOI** Betsy Loeb **RFP** Request for Proposal Alyssa Killmer **RFQ** Request for Qualification Alvssa Killmer **RFSQ** Request for Statement of Qualifications Denise Boubour RI Risk Index Della Mullan RI Risk Integral Della Mullan RI/FS Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Ginny Davis RIK Replacement-in-Kind Della Mullan RIR Recordable Incident Rates Denise Boubour **RLL** Relay Ladder Logic Della Mullan **RLS** Resource-Loaded Schedule Denise Boubour Risk Management Program / Plan **RMP** Della Mullan **RMPP** Risk Management and Prevention Program Della Mullan **Restriction Orifice** RO Della Mullan RO **Reverse Osmosis** Jen Allen Rate Of Death **ROD** Della Mullan **ROI** Return on investment Sandy Winkler-Ehmer **ROM** Rough Order of Magnitude Lindsey Smith **ROW** Right-of-Way Patricia Teeter Report of Waste Discharge **ROWD** Karman Cates **RP** Recommended Practice Della Mullan **RPLS** Registered Professional Land Surveyor Michelle Cazares **RPM Revolutions Per Minute** Della Mullan Reportable Quantity Della Mullan RQ **RRF** Risk Reduction Factor Della Mullan

Della Mullan

Risk Reduction Measure

RRM

RTC	Risk Tolerance Criterion (Criteria)	Della Mullan
RTECS	Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances	Chang Liu
RTPO	Regional Transportation Planning Organizations	Cathy McKay
RTU	Remote Terminal Unit	Della Mullan
RV	Relief Valve	Della Mullan
RV	Residual Volume	Della Mullan
RWQCB	Regional Water Quality Control Baord	Toni Niedringhaus

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SA	Safety Availability	Della Mullan
SAA	Streambed Alteration Agreement	Julie Haun
SACHE	Safety and Chemical Engineering Education	Della Mullan
SACR	Semi-Annual Compliance Reporting	Jana Hindman
SAE	Society of Automotive Engineers	Della Mullan
SAM	System for Award Management	Patricia Teeter
SAME	Society of American Military Engineers	Lauren Smth
SANS	Sysadmin, Audit, Network, Security Institute	Della Mullan
SAR	Supplied-Air Respirator	Della Mullan
SAT	Site Acceptance Test	Della Mullan
SBCT	Sub-Contractor	Paul Kane
SBE	Small Business Enterprise	Kelsey Koper
SBNB	Sold But Not Booked	Denise Boubour
SC	Substantial Completion	Jim Zack
SC	Sample Connection	Della Mullan
SCADA	Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition	Anonymous
SCBA	Self Contained Breathing Apparatus	Della Mullan
SCE	Safety Critical Equipment	Della Mullan
SCIF	Sensitive Compartmented Information Facility	Alyssa Killmer
SCLDP	Strategic Commercial Land Development Program	Heather Soucy
SCM	Supply Chain Management	Della Mullan
SCUP	Society for College and University Planning	Pia Cardinali
SD	Schematic Design	Paola Finol
SE	Structural Engineer	Alyssa Killmer
SEFA	Scientific Equipment and Furniture Association	Jeff Jarvenpaa
SEPA	State Environmental Policy Act	Cathy McKay
SERC	State Emergency Response Commission	Della Mullan
SF	Start To Finish	Jlm Zack
SF	Square Feet	Kim Folgate
SFA	Senior First Aid	Della Mullan

SFPE	Society of Fire Protection Engineers	Della Mullan
SHE	Safety Health and Environment	Julie Soltis
SHI	Substance Hazard Index	Della Mullan
SHMP	Safety & Health Management Plan	Della Mullan
SHMS	Safety & Health Management System	Della Mullan
SHWS	State Hazardous Waste Sites	Devon Ward
SI	Surveyor Intern	Kristin Studabaker
SI	Systems Integrity	Della Mullan
SIA	Safety Institute of Australia	Della Mullan
SIC	Standard Industrial Classification	Della Mullan
SIF	Safety Instrumented Function	Della Mullan
SIFR	Serious Injury Frequency Rate	Della Mullan
SIL	Safety or Security Integrity Level	Della Mullan
SINA	Safety Is No Accident	Della Mullan
SIS	Short Interval Schedule	Jim Zack
SIS	Safety Instrumented System	Della Mullan
SIT	Safety Improvement Team	Della Mullan
SLC	Safety Life Cycle	Della Mullan
SME	Subject Matter Expert	Heather Soucy
SMP	Safety Management Plan	Stephanie Harbison
SMPS	Society for Marketing Professional Services	Lauren Smth
SMS	Safety Management System	Della Mullan
SMTP	Simple Mail Transfer Protocol	Della Mullan
SOC	Standard Operating Condition	Della Mullan
SOCMA	Synthetic and Organic Chemical Manufacturers Association	Della Mullan
SOE	Safe Operating Envelope	Della Mullan
SOE	Sequence of Events	Della Mullan
SOP	Standard Operating Procedure	Della Mullan
SOQ	Statement of Qualifications	Michelle Cazares
SOV	Schedule of Values	Kim Folgate
SOW	Suspension Of Work	Jim Zack
SP	Set Point	Della Mullan
SPCC	Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure	Patricia Teeter
SPEC	Specification	Shasta Langenbacher
SPECS	Specifications	Heather Soucy
SPGA	Special Permit Granting Authority	Devon Ward
SQG	Small Quantity Generator	Kelsey Padgett
SQL	Structured Query Language	Della Mullan
SRA	Security Risk Analysis	Della Mullan

Monica Fabregat

State Requirements for Educational Facilities

SREF

SRMPS	Summary Risk Management Program Statement	Della Mullan
SRS	Safety Related System	Della Mullan
SRS	Safety Requirements Specification	Della Mullan
SRTS	Safe Routes to School	Kristin Studabaker
SS	Start To Start	Jim Zack
SSD	Safety Shut Down	Della Mullan
SSDC	Single Station Digital Controller	Della Mullan
SSHR	Site Safety & Health Representative	Della Mullan
SSL	Secure Sockets Layer	Della Mullan
SSOP	Safe Standard Operating Procedure	Della Mullan
SSS	Systems Safety Society	Della Mullan
SSSC	Single Station Sequence Controller	Della Mullan
SSSV	Sub-Surface Safety Valve	Della Mullan
STEL	Short-Term Exposure Limit	Della Mullan
STEM	Science, Technology, Engineering and Math	Heather Soucy
STIP	Statewide Transportation Improvement Program	Kristin Studabaker
STP	Standard Temperature and Pressure	Della Mullan
STR	Structural	Matt Connor
STW	Statewide	Kristin Studabaker
SUB	Subcontractor	Lyndsay Woods
SUSMP	Standard Urban Stormwater Mitigation Plan	Denise Boubour
SVA	Security Vulnerability Analysis	Della Mullan
SW3P	Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan	Christine Perret
SWI	Safe (or Standard) Work Instruction – short summary of the SOP	Della Mullan
SWL	Safe Working Load	Della Mullan
SWMM	Stormwater Management Model	Madison Dreiger
SWMS	Safe Work Method Statement	Della Mullan
SWO	Stop Work Order	Jim Zack
SWOT	Strengths Weaknesses Opportunities Threats	Kelli Rogers
SWP	Safe Work Procedures, Safe Work Platform	Della Mullan
SWPPP	Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan	Patricia Teeter
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T4C Termination For Convenience Termination For Default T\$D Test and Inspection T&I Della Mullan Time & Material T&M Pia Cardinali TA Task Analysis Della Mullan Teaming Agreement TA Denise Boubour **TAA Technical Assistance Agreement** Denise Boubour **TAB** Test and Balance Joyce Fienman **TAPPI** Technical Association of the Pulp and Paper Industry Della Mullan **TBM** Tunnel Boring Machine Jen Allen **TBPE** Texas Board of Professional Engineers Michelle Cazares Texas Board of Professional Land Surveyors **TBPLS** Michelle Cazares TC **Target Cost** Denise Boubour TC Temperature Controller Della Mullan **TCC Total Construction Cost** Luke Bell Total Case Incident Rate **TCIR** Denise Boubour Traffic Control Plan **TCP** Lucia Murguia TCP/IP Transmission Control Protocol/Internet Protocol Della Mullan **TCPA** Toxic Catastrophe Prevention Act Della Mullan Della Mullan TDI Toluene Diisocyanate Katrina Spinner-Wilson **TDM** Transportation Demand Management **TDS** Total Dissolved Solids Della Mullan TE Time Extension Jim Zack **TEA** Task Error Analysis Della Mullan **TEMA** Tubular Exchangers Manufacturers Association Della Mullan **TESC** Temporary Erosion and Sediment Control Madison Dreiger **TF Total Float** Jim Zack TF **Toxicity Factor** Della Mullan **THERP** Technique for Human Error Rate Prediction Della Mullan Denise Boubour TI **Tenant Improvement** TIA Time Impact Analysis Jim Zack **TIA** Traffic Impact Analysis Patricia Teeter TIC Test Interval Della Mullan TIC Thermocouple Della Mullan TIE Time Impact Evaluation Jim Zack **TIM** Traffic Information Management Kristin Studabaker TIP Transportation Improvement Program Greta Arnold TIS Traffic Impact Study Kristin Studabaker TLV Threshold Limit Value Della Mullan TLV-C Threshold Limit Value - Ceiling Della Mullan TM&E Test, Measuring and Evaluation Della Mullan **TMDL** Total Maximum Daily Load Sarah Ramlochan Thickness Measurement Location **TML** Della Mullan **TMR** Della Mullan Triple Modular Redundant Transportation Network Company TNC Anonymous

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TOCA	Task Order Construction Agreement	Denise Boubour
TOD	Transit Oriented Development	Denise Boubour
TOE	Take Off Estimate	Kevin Shaw
TOR	Tolerability of Risk	Della Mullan
TPC	Total Project Cost	Denise Boubour
TPM	Total Productive Maintenance	Della Mullan
TPQ	Threshold Planning Quantity	Della Mullan
TQ	Threshold Quantity	Della Mullan
TQM	Total Quality Management	Della Mullan
TR	Technical Report	Della Mullan
TRI	Total Recordable Injuries	Della Mullan
TRIR	Total Recordable Injury Rate	Stephanie Harbison
TS	Trade Secret	Della Mullan
TSA	Task Safety Analysis	Della Mullan
TSE	Theatre Support Element	Tisha Renner-Cruz
TUV	Technischer Uberwachungs-Verein e.V. (Technical Inspection Association of Germany)	Della Mullan
TVD	Target Value Design	Denise Boubour
TW	Treated Water	Della Mullan
TWA	Time-Weighted Average	Della Mullan
TWP	Township	Kristin Studabaker
TYP	Typical	Kristie Alexander
U		
U/G	Under Ground	Denise Boubour
U1A	Form with Manufacturers Data Report for pressure vessels under the ASME Boiler Safety Code	Della Mullan
UAS	Unmanned Aerial Systems	Betsy Loeb
UAV	Unmanned Arial Vehicle (Drone)	Lindsey Smith
UDF	Urban Design Forum	Lauren Smth
UDO	Unified Development Ordinance	Betsy Loeb
UDP	User Datagram Protocol	Della Mullan
UEL	Upper Explosive Limit	Della Mullan
UEPH	Unaccompanied Enlisted Personnel Housing	Alyssa Killmer
UFC	Unified Facilities Criteria	D Falk
UFC	Uniform Fire Code	Della Mullan
UFL	Upper Flammable Limit	Della Mullan
UGA	Urban Growth Area	Cathy McKay

Underwriters Laboratory

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ULI	Urban Land Institute	Lauren Smth
UNO	Unless Noted Otherwise	Ali DonCarlos
UNS	Unified Numbering System	Della Mullan
UPS	Uninterruptible Power Supply	Della Mullan
URL	Uniform Resource Locator	Della Mullan
USACE	United State Army Corps of Engineers	Alyssa Killmer
USC	United States Code	Della Mullan
USDA	United States Department of Agriculture	Della Mullan
USGBC	U.S. Green Building Council	Patricia Teeter
USGS	United States Geological Survey	Della Mullan
UST	Underground Storage Tank	Javier Suarez
UV	Ultra Violet	Della Mullan
UVCE	Unconfined Vapor Cloud Explosion	Della Mullan

V		
VAM	Vulnerability Analysis Method	Della Mullan
VAR	Various	Kristin Studabaker
VAV	Variable Air Volume	Monica Fabregat
VBA	Visual Basic for Applications	Della Mullan
VC	Vitrified Clay (pipe)	Devon Ward
VCE	Vapor Cloud Explosion	Della Mullan
VCM	Vinyl Chloride Monomer	Della Mullan
VCM	Volatile Combustible Material	Della Mullan
VDC	Virtual Design & Construction	Karman Cates
VDU	Visual Display Unit	Della Mullan
VE	Value Engineering	Kim Folgate
VIF	Verify in Field	Ali DonCarlos
VOC	Volatile Organic Compound	Catie McMenamin
VP	Vapor Pressure	Della Mullan
VPN	Virtual Private Network	Della Mullan
VPP	Voluntary Prevention Program	Della Mullan
VRD	Voltage Reduction Device	Della Mullan
VTH	Volatile Petroleum Hydrocarbons	Devon Ward

W		
W@H	Work at Heights	Della Mullan
W/WW	Water / Waste Water	Denise Boubour
WAH	Work at Heights	Della Mullan

WAN	Wide Area Network	Della Mullan
WBE	Women Business Enterprise	Jen Allen
WBS	Work Breakdown Structure	Denise Boubour
WD	Work Day	Jim Zack
WEF	Water Environment Federation	Lauren Smth
WHS	Workplace Health and Safety	Della Mullan
WHSO	Workplace Health and Safety Officer	Della Mullan
WI	Work Instruction	Della Mullan
WICS	Work In Confined Space	Della Mullan
WIP	Work in Progress	Denise Boubour
WMS	Work Method Statement	Della Mullan
WO	Work Order	Della Mullan
WOTC	Work Opportunity Tax Credit	Heather Soucy
WRIA	Water Resource Inventory Area	Cathy McKay
WTF	Water Treatment Facility	Denise Boubour
WTP	Water Treatment Plant	Kelsey Koper
WTS	Women's Transportation Seminar	Kristin Studabaker
WTW	Welfare to Work	Heather Soucy
WUE	Water Utilization Effectiveness	Gary Murphy
WWT	Waste Water Treatment	Della Mullan
WWTP	Wastewater Treatment Plant	Patricia Teeter

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