

Acronyms

4-H – Head, Heart, Health and Hands
ABAWDs – Able Bodied Adults without Dependents
ABC – About Breast Cancer
ACD – Automated Call Distribution
ACS – American Community Survey
ACSP – Agriculture Cost Share Program
ADA – Americans with Disabilities Act.
ADC – Accelerant Detection Canine
ADM – Average Daily Membership
AEPF – Automation Enhancement and Preservation Fund
AGWRAP – Agriculture Water Resource Assistance Program
ATF – Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms
ATV – All-Terrain Vehicle
BA – Budget Ordinance
BMP – Best Management Practices
BMP – (Position) Building Mechanical Plumbing
BOCC – Board of County Commissioners
BOE – Board of Education
CAD – Computer Aided Dispatch
CAFR – Comprehensive Annual Financial Report
CAMA - Computer Assisted Mass Appraisal
CARS – Contractual Agreement for Continuing Residential Support
CATA – Central Academy of Technology and Arts
CATS – Charlotte Area Transportation System
CC4C – Care Coordination for Children
CCAP – Community Conservation Assistance Program
C-COM – Union County Department of Emergency Communications
C&D – Construction and Demolition
CDBG – Community Development Block Grant
CDC – Center for Disease Control
CFPB - Consumer Finance Protection Bureau
CFSR – Child Family State Review
CIP – Capital Improvement Plan
CLOMR – Conditional Letter of Map Revision
CMC – Carolinas Medical Center
CMC - Union - Carolinas Medical Center Union Hospital
CMUD – Charlotte Mecklenburg Utility District
COA – Council on Accreditation
COBRA – Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act
COLA – Cost of Living Adjustment
COPs – Certificates of Participation
CP – Capital Program

CPCC – Central Piedmont Community College
CPI – Consumer Price Index
CPO – Capital Project Ordinance
CPS – Child Protective Services
CRTPO – Charlotte Regional Transportation Planning Organization
CRWTP – Catawba River Water Treatment Plant
CWS – Child Welfare Services
DA – District Attorney
DARE – Drug Abuse Resistance Education
DEA – Drug Enforcement Agency
DENR – Department of Environment and Natural Resources
DFAS – Defense Finance and Accounting Service
DHHS – Department of Health and Human Services
DJJDP – Division of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention
DMV – Division of Motor Vehicles
DOJ – Department of Justice
DOL-BLS – Division of Labor-Bureau of Labor and Statistic (Federal)
DOT – Department of Transportation
DPI – Department of Public Instruction (North Carolina)
DWI – Driving While Intoxicated
EBT – Electronic Benefit Transfer
ECM – Electronic Content Management
ECP – Education Capital Program
EDG – Monroe Union County Economic Development Group
EFNEP – Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program
EM – Emergency Management
EMMA – Electronic Municipal Market Access Database
EMS – Emergency Medical Services
EMT – Emergency Medical Technical
EOP – Emergency Operation Plan
EPA – Environmental Protection Agency
ESC – Employment Security Commission
ETJ - Extraterritorial Jurisdiction
FCC – Federal Communications Commission
FD – Fire Department
FDIC – Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation
FEMA - Federal Emergency Management Agency
FERC – Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
FLSA – Fair Labor Standards Act
FMLA – Family and Medical Leave Act
FNS – Food and Nutrition Assistance
FSRS – Fire Suppression Rating Schedule
FTE – Full-time Equivalent

FY – Fiscal Year
 GAAP – Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
 GCP – General Capital Program
 GFOA – Government Finance Officers Association
 GIS – Geographic Information Systems
 GO – General Obligation Bonds
 GS – General Statute
 GSA – General Services Administration
 HAZMAT – Hazardous Materials
 HIS – Health Information System
 HIPPA – Health Information Privacy & Portability Act
 HMO – Health Maintenance Organization
 HR – Human Resources
 HUBs – Historically Underutilized Businesses
 HVAC – Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning
 I&E – Improvements and Expansion
 IBT – Inter-Basin Transfer
 ILP – Intelligence-Led Program
 IMT – Incident Management Team
 ISO – Insurance Services Office, Insurance Service Organization
 IT – Information Technology
 JCP – Juvenile Crime Prevention
 JJDP - Juvenile Justice Delinquency Provision
 K – Thousand
 LECP – Local Emergency Planning Committee
 LGC – Local Government Commission
 LIEAP – Low Income Energy Assistance Program
 LINKS - Independent Living Services for Foster Children
 LLEBG – Local Law Enforcement Block Grant
 LOBs – Limited Obligation Bonds
 LOMR – Letter of Map Revision
 LMI – Low and Moderate Income
 LRTP – Long Range Transportation Plan
 LSTA – Library Services Technology Act
 MCO – Managed Care Organization
 MGD – Million Gallons per Day
 MHZ – Megahertz
 MHI – Median Household Income
 MM – Million
 MOE – Maintenance of Effort
 MOU – Memorandum of Understanding
 MPO – Metropolitan Planning Organization
 MRS – Multiple Response System
 MSA – Metropolitan Statistical Area

MSW – Municipal Solid Waste
 MUMPO - Mecklenburg-Union Metropolitan Planning Organization
 MW – Megawatt
 NACO – National Association of Counties
 NAED – National Academy of Emergency Dispatch
 NC – North Carolina
 NCARD – North Carolina Association of Register of Deeds
 NCDOT – North Carolina Department of Transportation
 NC CWRL – North Carolina Clean Water Revolving Loans
 NC FAST - NC Families Accessing Services through Technology
 NC LINKS - North Carolina Foster Care Independence Program
 NCACC – North Carolina Association of County Commissioners
 NC SBOE – North Carolina State Board of Elections
 NCDENR – NC Department of Environmental and Natural Resources
 NCDEQ – North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality
 NCDVA – North Carolina Division of Veterans Affairs
 NCGS – North Carolina General Statutes
 NCSU – North Carolina State University
 NCVTS – North Carolina Vehicle Tax System
 OCR – Optical Character Recognition
 OPEB – Other Post-Employment Benefits
 OSBM – Office of State Budget and Management (North Carolina)
 OSFM – Office of State Fire Marshal
 OSHA – Occupational Safety and Health Act
 PayGO – Pay as You Go
 PC – Personal Computer
 PCM – Pregnancy Care Management
 PPE – Personal Protective Equipment (for firefighters)
 PS – Pump Station
 PSAP – Public Safety Answering Point
 PT – Part-time Positions
 PVC – Polyvinyl Chloride
 PWCP – Public Works Capital Program
 R&R – Rehabilitation and Renewal
 REAP – Reaching for Excellence and Accountability in Practice
 RFID – Radio Frequency Identification
 RHCBS – Retiree Healthcare Benefits
 RFP – Request for Proposal
 RID – Rapid Intervention Team (air packs for rescuing a downed firefighter)
 ROD – Register of Deeds (Union County)
 RPO – Rural Planning Organization
 RRP – Renovation, Repair and Painting
 RRRPO – Rocky River Rural transportation Planning Organization

RV – Recreational Vehicle
SAN – Storage Area Network
SAP – Small Area Plan
SARA – Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act of 1986
SAT – Scholastic Aptitude Test
SBP – Survivor Benefits Program
SCBA – Self Contained Breathing Apparatus
SD – Subdivision
SEC – Securities and Exchange Commission
SEIMS – Statewide Election Information Management System
SF – Square Foot, Square Feet
SFD – Single Family Dwelling
SHAC – School Health Advisory Committee
SMF – Stormwater Management Facility
SNS – Strategic National Stockpile
SOP – Standard Operating Procedure
SPCC – South Piedmont Community College
SQ - Square
SRO – School Resource Officer
SSA – Social Services Administration
SWCD – Soil Water Conservation Division
TANF – Temporary Assistance to Needy Families
TBD – To Be Determined
TCC – Technical Coordinating Committee
TIP – Transportation Improvement Program
TPT – Temporary Part Time
UCC – Uniform Commercial Code
UCCIP – Union County Capital Improvement Program
UCPS – Union County Public Schools
UCSO – Union County Sheriff’s Office
UDO – Unified Development Ordinance
UNCC – University of North Carolina at Charlotte
USDA – United States Department of Agriculture
VA – Veterans Affairs
VAD – Voluntary Ag District
VFD – Volunteer Fire Department
VITA – Volunteer Income Tax
VoIP – Voice over Internet Protocol
VSO – Veterans Service Office
WIC – Women, Infants & Children Program
WRF – Water Reclamation Facility
WTF – Water Treatment Facility
WWTP – Waste Water Treatment Plant

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