

Transportation Acronyms/Abbreviations

Acronym	Corresponding Term
ACTT	Accelerated Construction Technology Transfer
AADT	Annual Average Daily Traffic
AASHTO	American Assn. of State and Highway Transp. Officials
ADA	Americans with Disabilities Act
ADT	Average Daily Traffic
AFV	Alternative Fuel Vehicle
AMPO	Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations
APTA	American Public Transportation Association
AVL	Automatic Vehicle Locator
CAA	Clean Air Act
CBD	Central Business District
CCPB	City-County Planning Board
CIP	Capital Improvements Program
CMAQ	Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Program
CMS	Congestion Management System
CO	Carbon Monoxide
CTP	Comprehensive Transportation Plan
CTTP	Census Transportation Planning Package
DENR/NCDENR	North Carolina Dept. of Environment & Natural Resources
DBE	Disadvantaged Business Enterprise
DMU	Diesel Multiple Unit
EAC	Early Action Compact
EIS	Environmental Impact Statement
EPA/USEPA	Environmental Protection Agency/United States...
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FCEAD	Forsyth County Environmental Affairs Department
FFY	Federal Fiscal Year (Oct. 1 – Sept. 30)
FY	Fiscal Year (July 1 – June 30) (State/Local)
FHWA	Federal Highway Administration
FTA	Federal Transit Administration
GIS	Geographic Information System
GPS	Global Positioning System
HOV	High-Occupancy Vehicle
HPMS	Highway Performance Monitoring System
I/M	Inspection/Maintenance Program
ISTEA	Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act
ITE	Institute of Transportation Engineers
ITS	Intelligent Transportation Systems
LOS	Level of Service
LPA	Lead Planning Agency
LRT	Light-Rail Transit
LRTP	Long Range Transportation Plan
MAB	Metropolitan Area Boundary
MIS	Major Investment Study
MOA	Memorandum of Agreement
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding

Acronym	Corresponding Term
MPO	Metropolitan Planning Organization
MSA	Metropolitan Statistical Area
MTIP	Metropolitan Transportation Improvement Program
NAAQS	National Ambient Air Quality Standards
NCAMPO	North Carolina Association of Metropolitan Planning Organizations
NCDAQ	North Carolina Division of Air Quality
NCDENR	North Carolina Dept. of Environment & Natural Resources
NCDOT	North Carolina Department of Transportation
NCSITE	North Carolina Section of the Institute of Transportation Engineers
NEPA	National Environmental Protection Act
NHS	National Highway System
NOX	Nitrogen Oxide
O/D	Origin/Destination
PART	Piedmont Authority for Regional Transportation
PM 2.5	Particulate Matter 2.5 Microns in Size
RFP	Request for Proposal
ROD	Record of Decision
ROW	Right of Way
SAFETEA-LU	Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users
SIP	State Implementation Plan
SOV	Single Occupancy Vehicle
STP-DA	Surface Transportation Program – Direct Attributable
STIP	State Transportation Improvement Program
TAC	Transportation Advisory Committee
TAZ	Traffic Analysis Zone
TCC	Technical Coordinating Committee
TCM	Transportation Control Measure
TDM	Transportation Demand Management
TSM	Transportation System Management
TEA-21	Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century
TIP	Transportation Improvement Program
TIS	Transportation Impact Study
TMA	Transportation Management Area
TRANSCAD	Transportation Computer Assisted Design
TRB	Transportation Research Board
UAB	Urbanized Area Boundary
UZA	Urbanized Area
UPWP	Unified Planning Work Program
USDOT	United States Department of Transportation
VHT	Vehicle Hours of Travel
VMT	Vehicle Miles of Travel
VOC	Volatile Organic Compound
VOR	Vehicle Occupancy Rate
WSTA	Winston-Salem Transit Authority
WSDOT	Winston-Salem Department of Transportation