

ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

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| AAR | After Action Report |
| ACS | Adventist Community Services |
| AFRCC | Air Force Rescue Coordination Center |
| AgEOC | Agriculture Emergency Operations Center |
| AgIMT | Agriculture Incident Management Team |
| AHIMT | All Hazards Incident Management Team |
| ALS | Air Logistics Section |
| AOC | Air Operations Coordinator |
| AOO | Air Operations Officer |
| AP | Accounts Payable |
| APHIS | Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service |
| ARC | American Red Cross |
| ART | Aerial Reconnaissance Team |
| AUV | Autonomous Underwater Vehicle (AUV) |
| AUXCOMM | Auxiliary Communications |
| AVIC | Agriculture's Veterinarian in Charge |
| BEOC | Business Emergency Operations Center |
| BRIC | Building Resilient Infrastructure in Communities |
| CAMETs | Companion Animal Mobile Equipment Trailers |
| CAP | Civil Air Patrol |
| CARTs | County Animal Response Teams |
| CASTs | Companion Animal Sheltering Trailers |
| CBRNE | Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear and Explosive |
| CDC | Center for Disease Control |
| CM | Case Manager |
| CEO | Chief Executive Officer |
| CERCLA | Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act |
| CERT | Community Emergency Response Team |

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| CFR | Code of Federal Regulations |
| CGRCC | Coast Guard Rescue Coordination Center |
| CIKR | Critical Infrastructure/Key Resources |
| CISA | Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency |
| CISM | Critical Incident Stress Management |
| CMAD | Consequence Management Advisory Division |
| COADs | Community Organizations Active in Disaster |
| CONOP | Concept of Operations |
| COOP | Continuity of Operations |
| COTP | Captain of the Port |
| CORS | Continuously Operating Reference Stations |
| CP | Command Post |
| CPC | Carolinas Poison Center |
| CRDP | County Receiving and Distribution Point |
| CST | Civil Support Teams |
| CWA | Clean Water Act |
| DAAS | Division of Aging and Adult Services |
| DAQ | Division of Air Quality |
| DCDEE | Division of Child Development and Early Education |
| DCM | Division of Coastal Management |
| DES | Division of Employment Security |
| DFM | Direct Federal Missions |
| DHS | U.S. Department of Homeland Security |
| DHSA | Deputy Homeland Security Advisor |
| DHSR | Division of Health Service Regulation |
| DMA | Division of Medical Assistance |
| DMAC | Drought Management Advisory Council |
| DMAT | Disaster Medical Assistance Team |
| DMF | Division of Marine Fisheries |

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| DMORT | Disaster Mortuary Response Team |
| DMV | Division of Motor Vehicles |
| DOD | Department of Defense |
| DOE | Department of Energy |
| DOH | Division of Highways |
| DPH | Division of Public Health |
| DPR | Division of Parks and Recreation |
| DRC | Disaster Recovery Center |
| DROC | Disaster Recovery Operations Center |
| DSB | Division of Services for the Blind |
| DSDHH | Division of Services for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing |
| DSS | Department of Social Services |
| DVRS | Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Services |
| DVS | Division of Veterinary Supervisors |
| DWM | Division of Waste Management |
| DWR | Division of Water Resources |
| EAS | Emergency Alert System |
| ECTF | Electronic Crimes Task Force |
| EDPNC | Economic Development Partnership of North Carolina |
| EMAC | Emergency Management Assistance Compact |
| EMC | Environment Management Commission |
| EMO | Emergency Management Officer |
| EMP | Electromagnetic Pulse |
| EMRS2 | Emergency Management Response System 2.0 |
| EMS | Emergency Medical Services |
| EOC | Emergency Operations Center |
| EP | Emergency Programs |
| EPA | U.S. Environmental Protection Agency |
| ERT | Environmental Response Team |

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| ESC | Emotional and Spiritual Care |
| ESF | Emergency Support Function |
| ESRMO | Enterprise Security and Risk Management Office |
| ETAG | Environmental Technical Advisory Group (SERT) |
| FAA | Federal Aviation Administration |
| FAD | Foreign Animal Disease |
| FADD | Foreign Animal Disease Diagnosticians |
| FAST | Functional Assessment Support Teams |
| FBI | Federal Bureau of Investigation |
| FCO | Federal Coordinating Officer |
| FECC | Federal Emergency Communications Coordinator |
| FEMA | Federal Emergency Management Agency |
| FHWA | Federal Highway Administration |
| FIFO | First In First Out |
| FMAG | Fire Management Assistance Grant |
| FMCSA | Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration |
| FMD | Food and Mouth Disease |
| FNARS | FEMA National Radio System |
| FOSC | Federal On-Scene Coordinator |
| FSOG | Field Standard Operating Guideline |
| FWS | U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service |
| GIS | Geographical Information Systems |
| GS | General Statute |
| HAZMAT | Hazardous Materials |
| HF | High frequency |
| HLT | Hurricane Liaison Team |
| HPO | Historic Preservation Office |
| HSA | Homeland Security Advisor |
| IAP | Incident Action Plan |

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| IC | Incident Commander |
| ICC | Incident Command Center |
| ICE | Immigration and Customs Enforcement |
| ICP | Incident Command Post |
| ICS | Incident Command System |
| IC3 | Internet Crime Complaint Center |
| IMAT | Incident Management Assistance Team |
| IMT | Incident Management Team |
| IoCs | Indicators of Compromise |
| IOU | Investor-owned Utilities |
| IRCT | Interstate Resource Coordination Team |
| ISB | Incident Support Base |
| IT | Information Technology |
| JCMC | Joint Cybersecurity Mission Center |
| JCTF | Joint Cybersecurity Task Force |
| JFHQ | Joint Force Headquarters |
| JFO | Joint Field Office |
| JIC | Joint Information Center |
| JIS | Joint Information System |
| JISCC | Joint Incident Site Communications Capabilities |
| JRSOI | Joint Reception, Staging, Onward Movement and Integration |
| LMR | Land Mobile Radio |
| LSA | Logistical Staging Area |
| LTRG | Long Term Recovery Group |
| MAC | Mission Assignment Coordinator, Multiagency Coordination Group |
| MASTT | Multi-agency Shelter Transition Teams |
| MEOC | Mobile Emergency Operation Center |
| MHDDSAS | Mental Health, Developmental Disabilities and Substance Abuse Services |
| MIST | Mobile Integrated Survey Team |

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| MOA | Memorandum of Agreement |
| MOU | Memorandum of Understanding |
| MRE | Meals Ready-to-Eat |
| MS-ISAC | Multi-State Information Sharing and Analysis Center |
| MTSRU | Maritime Transportation System Recovery Unit |
| NCACP | North Carolina Area Contingency Plan |
| NCAFC ERP | North Carolina Association of Fire Chiefs Emergency Response Plan |
| NCAREMS | NC Association of Rescue and EMS, Inc. |
| NCAVA | North Carolina Association of Volunteer Administration |
| NCDAC | NC Department of Adult Correction |
| NCDA&CS | North Carolina Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services |
| NCDEQ | North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality |
| NCDHHS | North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services |
| NCDIT | North Carolina Department of Information Technology |
| NCDNCR | North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources |
| NCDOA | North Carolina Department of Administration |
| NCDOC | North Carolina Department of Commerce |
| NCDOI | North Carolina Department of Insurance |
| NCDOJ | North Carolina Department of Justice |
| NCDOL | North Carolina Department of Labor |
| NCDOT | North Carolina Department of Transportation |
| NCDPI | North Carolina Department of Public Instruction |
| NCDPS | North Carolina Department of Public Safety |
| NCEM | North Carolina Emergency Management |
| NCEOP | North Carolina Emergency Operations Plan |
| NCFS | North Carolina Forest Service |
| NCGS | North Carolina General Statutes |
| NCISAAC | North Carolina Information Sharing and Analysis Center |
| NCLGISA | North Carolina Local Government Information Security Association |

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| NCNG | North Carolina National Guard |
| NCPA | North Carolina Psychological Association |
| NCSPARTA | North Carolina State Preparedness and Resource Tracking Application |
| NCVOAD | North Carolina Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster |
| NCWRC | North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission |
| NDMS | National Disaster Medical System |
| NFIP | National Flood Insurance Program |
| NHC | National Hurricane Center |
| NIMS | National Incident Management System |
| NMAC | Network Monitoring and Assistance Center |
| NOAA | National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration |
| NOC | Network Operations Center |
| NOFO | Notice of Funding Opportunities |
| NRC | National Response Center; Nuclear Regulatory Commission |
| NRF | National Response Framework |
| NRT | National Response Team |
| NSD | Navigation Services Division |
| NSS | National Shelter System |
| NVS | National Veterinary Stockpile |
| NWS | National Weather Service |
| OEMS | Office of Emergency Medical Services |
| OEP | Emergency Programs Division |
| OMAO | Office of Marine and Aviation Operations |
| ONA | Other Needs Assistance |
| OSH | Occupational Safety and Health |
| OSC | On-Scene Coordinator |
| OSFM | Office of the State Fire Marshal |
| PAGER | Prompt Assessment of Global Earthquakes for Response |
| PHCC | Public Health Coordination Center |

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| PIO | Public Information Officer |
| P&L | Purchase and Logistics |
| PNP | Private-nonprofit |
| POD | Point of Distribution |
| PPD-8 | Presidential Policy Directive 8 |
| PSA | Protective Security Advisor |
| RAI | Responder Assistance Initiative |
| RCC | Regional Coordination Center |
| REP | Radiological Emergency Preparedness |
| RNA | Rapid Needs Assessment |
| RP | Responsible Party |
| RPET | Radiation Protection Emergency Team |
| RRF | Resource Request Form |
| RRT | Regional Response Team |
| RSOI | Reception, Staging, Onward Movement and Integration |
| RULET | Remediation of Underwater Legacy Environmental Threats |
| SACP | State Aviation Chief Pilots |
| SAR | Search and Rescue |
| SARA | Superfund Amendment and Reauthorization Act |
| SARDA | State & Regional Disaster Airlift |
| SART | State Animal and Agricultural Response Team |
| SBI | State Bureau of Investigation |
| SCO | State Coordinating Officer |
| SEMR | State Emergency Management On-Scene Representative |
| SEOC | State Emergency Operations Center |
| SERA | State Emergency Response Application |
| SERT | State Emergency Response Team |
| SFHA | Special Flood Hazard Area |
| SFO | Sector Field Office |

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| SHMP | State Hazard Mitigation Plan |
| SHP | State Highway Patrol (North Carolina) |
| SMART | Special Monitoring of Applied Response Technology |
| SME | Subject Matter Expert |
| SNS | Strategic National Stockpile |
| SOC | Security Operations Center |
| SOG | Standard Operating Guide |
| SOP | Standard Operating Procedure |
| SORT | Special Operations Response Team |
| SPO | State Property Office |
| SRMP | School Risk Management Plan |
| SRSA | State Regional Staging Areas |
| STIGS | Security and Technical Implementation Guides |
| STOC | State Transportation Operations Center |
| SWP | State Warning Point |
| SV | State Veterinarian |
| THIRA | Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment |
| TTPs | Techniques, tactics and procedures |
| UAV | Unmanned Aerial Vehicles |
| UC | Unified Command |
| UNC | University of North Carolina |
| USACE | United States Army Corps of Engineers |
| USAR | Urban Search and Rescue |
| USCG | United States Coast Guard |
| USDA | United States Department of Agriculture |
| USGS | United States Geological Survey |
| USSS | United States Secret Service |
| VAL | Voluntary Agency Liaison |
| VDCT | Volunteer and Donations Coordination Team |

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WEA Wireless Emergency Alerts

WPC Weather Prediction Center