Acronym Dictionary

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ADA: Americans with Disabilities Act IM: Interstate Maintenance

ADT: Average Daily Traffic ISTEA: Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act

ARM: Accumulated Route Mileage ITS: Intelligent Transportation System

ATAC: Advanced Traffic Advisory Center LOS: Level of Service

BCA: Benefit Cost Analysis LRTP: Long Range Transportation Plan

CAA: Clean Air Act MAP 21: Moving Ahead for Progress in the 21st Century

CAAA: Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 MnDOT: Minnesota Department Of Transportation

CAT: Cities Area Transit MnSHIP: MnDOT Statewide Highway Investment Plan

CBD: Central Business District MPA: Metropolitan Planning Area

CFR: Code of Federal Regulation MPO: Metropolitan Planning Organization

CMAQ: Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality Program MUTCD: Manual Of Uniform Traffic Control Devices

CRASH: Collision Reporting and Statistical History NDDOT: North Dakota Department of Transportation

CRF: Crash Reduction Factor NEPA: National Environmental Protection Agency

DBE: Disadvantaged Business Enterprise NHPP: National Highway Performance Program

DVMT: Daily Vehicle Miles Traveled NHS: National Highway System

E+C: Existing-Plus-Committed NTSB: National Transportation Safety Board

EEO: Equal Employment Opportunity PPP: Public Participation Plan

EPA: Environmental Protection Agency RFP: Request For Proposal

FAST ACT: Fixing America's Surface Transportation Act
SAFETEA-LU: The Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient,

Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users. FC: Functional Classification

SHSP: Strategic Highway Safety Plan FCAA: Federal Clean Air Act

SOV: Single Occupant Vehicle FHWA: Federal Highway Administration

FTA: Federal Transit Administration

SRTS: Safe Routes to School Program

STEA: Surface Transportation Extension Act

FY: Fiscal Year

GIS: Geographic Information System

STIP: Statewide Transportation Improvement Program

STP: Surface Transportation Program
HSIP: Highway Safely Improvement Program

TAC: Technical Advisory Committee

TAP: Transportation Alternatives Program

TAZ: Traffic Analysis Zone

TCM: Transportation Control Measure

TDM: Transportation Demand Management

TE: Transportation Enhancement Program

TEA 21: Transportation Equity Act of the 21st Century

TIGER: Transportation Investment Generating Economic

Recovery

TIP: Transportation Improvement Program

TMA: Transportation Management Area

TSM: Transportation System Management

UGPTI: Upper Great Plains Transportation Institute

UPWP: Unified Planning Work Program

U.S.DOT: United States Department of Transportation

V/C: Volume to Capacity

VHT: Vehicle Hours Traveled

VMS: Vehicle Message Signs

VMT: Vehicle Miles Traveled

3-C Process: Continuous, Cooperative, Comprehensive