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LIST OF ACRONYMS

AEM	-	Agricultural Environmental Management
AMI	-	Association of Marine Industries
ASMFC	-	Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission
BMP	-	Best Management Practice
BNL	-	Brookhaven National Laboratory
BTRI	-	Brown Tide Research Initiative
BTSC	-	Brown Tide Steering Committee
CAC	-	Citizen’s Advisory Committee
CCMP	-	Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan
CERCLA	-	Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980
CNRA	-	Critical Natural Resource Area
COP	-	Coastal Oceans Program
CVA	-	Clean Vessel Act
CZARA	-	Coastal Zone Act Reauthorization Amendments
DDT	-	Dichloro-diphenyl-trichloroethane
DIN	-	Dissolved Inorganic Nitrogen
DMR	-	Discharge Monitoring Report
DMS	-	Dimethyl Sulfide
DNA	-	Deoxyribonucleic Acid
DO	-	Dissolved Oxygen
DON	-	Dissolved Organic Nitrogen
DPW	-	Department of Public Works
EBPS	-	Environmental Benefits Permitting Strategy
ECL	-	Environmental Conservation Law
EQIP	-	Environmental Quality Incentives Program
EPF	-	Environmental Protection Fund
ER-L	-	Effects Range Low
ER-M	-	Effects Range Medium
FIFRA	-	Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act
HRWG	-	Habitat Restoration Work Group
ISTEA	-	Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act
MAFMC	-	Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council
MSD	-	Marine Sanitation Devices
MTBE	-	Methyl <i>tert</i> -butyl Ether
NDA	-	No Discharge Area
NEP	-	National Estuary Program



NMFS	- National Marine Fisheries Service
NOAA	- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
NPS	- Nonpoint Source
NRCS	- Natural Resources Conservation Service
NWIRP	- Navy Weapons Industrial Reserve Plant
NYS	- New York State
NYSDEC	- New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
NYSDOS	- New York State Department of State
NYSDOT	- New York State Department of Transportation
OMWM	- Open Marsh Water Management
OSDS	- Onsite Disposal System
OU V	- Operable Unit V
PCBs	- Polychlorinated Biphenyls
PAH	- Polynuclear Aromatic Hydrocarbon
PEP	- Peconic Estuary Program
RI	- Remedial Investigation
SAV	- Submerged Aquatic Vegetation
SCDHS	- Suffolk County Department of Health Services
SCWQCC	- Suffolk County Water Quality Coordinating Committee
SEQRA	- State Environmental Quality Review Act
SPDES	- State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
SRS	- Systematic Random Sampling
STP	- Sewage Treatment Plant
TAC	- Technical Advisory Committee
TCA	- Trichloroethane
TCE	- Trichloroethylene
TMDL	Total Maximum Daily Load
TSCA	- Toxic Substances Control Act
USACE	- United States Army Corps of Engineers
USCG	- United States Coast Guard
USDA	- United States Department of Agriculture
USDOE	- United States Department of Energy
USEPA	- United States Environmental Protection Agency
USDA-FSA	- United States Department of Agriculture Farm Services Agency
USFDA	- United States Food and Drug Administration
USGS	- United States Geological Survey
UV	- Ultra-Violet
VOC	- Volatile Organic Compound