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Acronyms, Abbreviations, and Key Terms

AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
A/E	Architect/Engineer
FFF	Aqueous Film Forming Foam
ALARA	As Low As Reasonably Achievable (radiation exposure limits)
AMAFCA	Albuquerque Metropolitan Arroyo Flood Control Authority
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
AOR	Architect of Record
ASCE	American Society of Civil Engineers
ASCII	American Standard Code for Information Interchange
ASHRAE	American Society of Heating, Refrigeration, and Air Conditioning
ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers
AWWA	American Water Works Association
BFP	Back Flow Prevention
CADD	Computer-Aided Drafting and Design
CAS	Central Alarm System
CDR	Conceptual Design Report
CF	Compact Fluorescent
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CME	Construction Management Engineer
CPT	control power transformer
CPU	Central Processing Unit
CRD	Contractor Requirements Document
CRI	Color Rendition Index
CSI	Construction Specifications Institute
CT	Current Transformer
DACR	Digital Alarm Communicator Receiver
DACT	Digital Alarm Communicator Transmitter
dB	Decibels
DBFL	Design Basis Flood
DDC	Direct Digital Control
DGP	Data Gathering Panel
DOE	Department of Energy
DOE/SSO	DOE/Sandia Site Office
DPM	City of Albuquerque's Development Process Manual
DSA	Documented Safety Analysis
EGL	Energy Grade Line
EIFS	Exterior Insulation Finish System
EOR	Engineer of Record
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
ES&H	Environment, Safety, and Health
ESP	Engineering Standards Program
FACP	Fire Alarm Control Panel
FAIT	Facilities Asbestos Implementation Team
FCC	Facilities Control Center

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FEMP	Federal Energy Management Program	
FID	Field Interface Device	
FM	Factory Mutual Global	
FMOC	Facilities Management and Operations Center	
FSE	Facility System Engineer	
GFCI	Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter	
GPP	General Plant Project	
HCC	Headquarters Communications Center	
HEPA	High Efficiency Particulate Air	
HGL	Hydraulic Grade Line	
HOA	Hand-Off-Auto	
HPS	High-Pressure Sodium	
HVAC	Heating, Ventilating, and Air Conditioning	
IA	Intrusion Alarm	
IBC	International Building Code	
IBR	Institute of Boiler and Radiation Manufacturers (now the Hydronics Institute)	
ICC	International Code Council	
IDC	Initiating Device Circuit	
IDR	Intermediate Distribution Room	
IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers	
IESNA	Illuminating Engineering Society of North America	
IFC	International Fire Code	
IMC	International Mechanical Code	
IPC	International Plumbing Code	
IRI	Industrial Risk Insurers	
KAFB	Kirtland Air Force Base	
LCC	Life Cycle Cost	
LED	Light Emitting Diode	
LEED	Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design	
LEV	Local Exhaust Ventilation	
LOTO	Lockout/Tagout	
MCC	Motor Control Center	
MCU	Multiplexer Control Unit	
MHID	Metal Halide	
MPFL	Maximum Possible Fire Loss	
NAC	Notification Appliance Circuit	
NEC	National Electrical Code	
NEMA	National Electrical Manufacturers Association	
NETA	International Electrical Testing Association	
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association	
NICET	National Institute for Certification in Engineering Technologies	
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology	

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NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration	
NPDES	National Pollution Discharge Emissions System	
NPW	Non-Potable Water	
NRCA	National Roofing Contractors Association	
ODP	Open, Drip-Proof	
PM	Preventive Maintenance	
PIV	Post Indicator Valve	
PRV	Pressure Reducing Valve	
psig	Pounds per Square Inch Gauge	
PT	Potential Transformer	
QA	Quality Assurance	
RFI	request for information	
RFQ	Request for Quotation	
RPBFP	Reduced Pressure Backflow Prevention	
Sandia/NM	Sandia National Laboratories/New Mexico	
SAS	Secondary Alarm System	
SCIF	Sensitive Compartmented Information Facility	
SDR	Sandia Delegated Representative	
SFM	Sandia Furnished Material	
SLC	Signal Line Circuit	
SMACNA	Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association	
SRN	Sandia/NM Restricted Network	
SSC	Structures, Systems, and Components	
SSOV	Safety Shut-Off Valves	
SWPPP	Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan	
TEC	Terminal Equipment Controller (Facilities Control System)	
TEFC	totally enclosed fan cooled	
UDS	Uniform Drawing System	
UL	Underwriters Laboratories	
USGBC	United States Green Building Council	
VAV	Variable Air Volume	
VFC	Variable Frequency Controller (variable-speed motor drive)	

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