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## List of Terms

ACT – Alliance for Community Trees  
BCI – Biotic Condition Index  
BMP – Best Management Practice  
BOD – Biochemical Oxygen Demand  
BVA – Brandywine Valley Association  
CAFOs – Confined Animal Feed Operations  
CCCD – Chester County Conservation District  
CFR – Code of Federal Regulations  
CIB – Center for the Inland Bays  
CRP – Conservation Reserve Program  
CSOs – Combined Sewer Outflows  
CSS – Combined Sewer Systems  
CUFR – Center for Urban Forest Research  
DCH – Delaware Center for Horticulture  
DDT – Dichloro-Diphenyl-Trichloroethane  
DelDOT – Delaware Department of Transportation  
DEN – Delaware Environmental Navigator  
DNMC – Delaware Department of Agriculture’s Nutrient Management Commission  
DNREC – Delaware Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Control  
DNS – Delaware Nature Society  
DO – Dissolved Oxygen  
EQIP – Environmental Quality Incentives Program  
ERES – Exceptional Recreational and Ecological Significance  
ERU – Equivalent Residential Unit  
ESU – Equivalent Stormwater Unit  
FEMA – Federal Emergency Management Agency  
FHD – Flood Hazard District  
FLEP – Forest Land Enhancement Program  
FS – Factor of Safety  
FY – Fiscal Year  
GAMN – General Assessment Monitoring Network  
GIS – Geographic Information Systems  
HOAs – Homeowner Associations  
IPA-WRA – Institute for Public Administration-Water Resources Agency  
LA – Load Allocation  
LID – Low Impact Development  
LIP – Landowner Incentive Program  
LOQ – Limit of Quantification  
LTCP – Long-Term Control Plan  
LU – Land Use  
MDL – Method Detection Limit  
mg – Million gallons  
mg/L – Milligrams per Liter  
mgd – Million Gallons per Day  
MS4 – Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System  
N – Nitrogen  
NCC – New Castle County

NCCD – New Castle Conservation District  
NJDEP – New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection  
NMP – Nutrient Management Plan  
NPDES – National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System  
NPS – Non-Point Source  
NRCS – Natural Resources Conservation Service  
OS – Open Space  
OWTS – Onsite Wastewater Treatment Systems  
PADEP – Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection  
PAH – Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons  
PCBs – Polychlorinated Biphenyls  
PCS – Pollution Control Strategy  
PS – Point Source  
RC – Red Clay  
RCRA – Resource Conservation and Recovery Act  
RCVA – Red Clay Valley Association  
RPATAC – Resource Protection Area Technical Advisory Committee  
SARA – Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act  
SF – Superfund  
SIRB – Site Investigation and Restoration Branch  
SLAMM – Source Loading and Management Model  
SSA – Sewer Service Area  
SW – Stormwater  
SWM – Storm Water Management  
SWRC – Stroud Water Research Center  
TAT – Tributary Action Team  
TMDL – Total Maximum Daily Loads  
TN – Total Nitrogen  
TP – Total Phosphorus  
TRI – Toxic Release Inventory  
TSS – Total Suspended Sediment  
UD – University of Delaware  
UDC – Unified Development Code  
UFORE – Urban Forest Effects  
USDA – United States Department of Agriculture  
USEPA – United States Environmental Protection Agency  
USGS – United States Geological Survey  
UST – Underground Storage Tank  
UWD – United Water Delaware  
WC – White Clay  
WHIP – Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program  
WLA – Waste Load Allocation  
WMP – Watershed Management Plan  
WQ – Water Quality  
WRAS – Watershed Restoration Action Strategy  
WRP – Wetlands Reserve Program  
WRPA – Water Resource Protection Area  
WW – Wastewater  
WWTP – Wastewater Treatment Plant