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List of Abbreviations

AAR Association of American Railroads

AASHTO American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials

APTA American Public Transportation Association

BCA Benefit-Cost Analysis

BPI Bid Price Index

BRAC Base Realignment and Closure Commission

CEQ Council on Environmental Quality

CPI-U Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers

EIS Environmental Impact Statement

FAF Freight Analysis Framework

FEU Forty-Foot Equivalent Unit

FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FLHP Federal Lands Highway Program

FRA Federal Railroad Administration

FTA Federal Transit Administration

GAO Government Accountability Office

GDP Gross Domestic Product

GPS Global Positioning System

GSM Global System for Mobile Communications

HERS Highway Economic Requirements System

HOT High-Occupancy Toll

HTF Highway Trust Fund

HVUT Heavy Vehicle Use Tax

ISTEA Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act

ITS Intelligent Transportation System

IWTF Inland Waterways Trust Fund

JIT Just-in-Time

List of Abbreviations, continued

LOS Level of Service

MPO Metropolitan Planning Organization

NAFTA North American Free Trade Agreement

NASTRAC National Surface Transportation Commission

NBIAS National Bridge Investment Analysis System

NCHRP National Cooperative Highway Research Program

NEPA National Environmental Policy Act

NHS National Highway System

O&M Operating and Maintenance

PAB Private Activity Bond Program

PFC Passenger Facility Charge

PMT Passenger Mile of Travel

PNRS Project of National and Regional Significance

PPP Public-Private Partnership

PRC Postal Regulatory Commission

PRWG Passenger Rail Working Group

PUC Public Utility Commission

RD&T Research, Development, and Technology

RMA Regional Mobility Authority

RRIF Railroad Rehabilitation and Improvement Financing Program

SAFETEA-LU Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act—A Legacy for Users

SCAG Southern California Association of Governments

SOV Single Occupant Vehicle

STAA Surface Transportation Assistance Act

STTF Surface Transportation Trust Fund

STURAA Surface Transportation and Uniform Relocation Assistance Act

TEA-21 Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century

List of Abbreviations, continued

TERM Transit Economic Requirements Model

TEU Twenty-Foot Equivalent Unit

TIFIA Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act

TRB Transportation Research Board

USDOT U.S. Department of Transportation

VII Vehicle Infrastructure Integration

VMT Vehicle Mile of Travel