ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

AFO (formerly ADO & RPRA)

Albuquerque Field Office (formerly Albuquerque District Office & Rio

Puerco Resource Area)

AMP Allotment Management Plan

APHIS Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service

APLIC Avian Power Line Interaction Committee

ARPA Archeological Resources Protection Act

AUM animal unit month

BLM Bureau of Land Management

BLU Biophysical Land Unit

C Custo dial (category for grazing allotments)

CDNST Continental Divide National Scenic Trail

CFR Code of Federal Regulations

CR County Road

EA Environmental Assessment

EIS Environmental Impact Statement

ESA Endangered Species Act

FLPMA Federal Land Policy and Management Act

FR Federal Register

FS, USFS U. S. Forest Service

FWS U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service

GMP General Management Plan

HMP Habitat Management Plan

I Improve (category for grazing allotments)

IBLA Interior Board of Land Appeals

IM Instruction Memorandum

LAC Limits of Acceptable Change (monitoring system)

M Maintain (category for grazing allotments)

NAGPRA Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act

NCA National Conservation Area

NEPA National Environmental Policy Act

NHPA National Historic Preservation Act

NM New Mexico

NMDG&F New Mexico Department of Game and Fish

NMSH&TD New Mexico State Highway and Transportation Department

NPS National Park Service

NRCS (formerly SCS) Natural Resources Conservation Service

(formerly Soil Conservation Service)

NWPS National Wilderness Preservation System

OHV off-highway vehicle

PNC Potential Natural Community

R. Range

RIM Plan Range Improvement Maintenance Plan (for wilderness)

RMP Resource Management Plan

RN roaded natural (recreation opportunity)

ROS Recreation Opportunity Spectrum

RPRA Rio Puerco Resource Area (now Albuquerque Field Office)

Sec. Section

SPM semi-primitive motorized (recreation opportunity)

SPNM semi-primitive non-motorized (recreation opportunity)

SFO (formerly SRA) Socorro Field Office (formerly Socorro Resource Area)

SRP special recreation permit

T. Township

T&E threatened and endangered species

USC United States Code

U. S. Department of Agriculture

USDC U. S. Department of Commerce

USDI U. S. Department of the Interior

VRM visual resource management

WSA wilderness study area