## Appendix C: List of Abbreviations and Acronyms

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AEC - Area of Ecological Concern

ARPA - Archeological Resource Protection Act

ATV - All Terrain Vehicle

CAP - Contaminant Assessment Program

CCNWR - Clarence Cannon National Wildlife Refuge

CCP - Comprehensive Conservation Plan

CFR - Code of Federal Regulations

CITES - Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora

COE - Corps of Engineers

CRP - Conservation Reserve Program

DNR - Department of Natural Resources

DO – Dissolved Oxygen

EA - Environmental Assessment

EMP - Environmental Management Program

EMTC - Environmental Management Technical Center (administers LTRMP)

ESA – Endangered Species Act

EWRP - Emergency Wetland Reserve Program

FONSI - Finding Of No Significant Impact

FmHA – Farmer's Home Administration (now FSA)

FSA - Farm Service Agency

FTE - Full Time Equivalent

FWCA - Fish and Wildlife Coordination Act

GIS - Geographic Information System

GP - General Plan (lands)

HNA - Habitat Needs Assessment

HQ - Headquarters

HREP - Habitat Rehabilitation and Enhancement Project

IADNR - Iowa Department of Natural Resources

ILDNR - Illinois Department of Natural Resources

IPM - Integrated Pest Management

IRCP - Iowa River Corridor Project

LCCB - Louisa County Conservation Board

L/D - Lock and Dam

LE - Law Enforcement

LTRMP - Long Term Resource Monitoring Program

MICRA - Mississippi Interstate Cooperative Resource Association

MODOC - Missouri Department of Conservation

MMR – Middle Mississippi River (from UMR River Mile 0 to 200, at Alton, IL)

MMS - Maintenance Management System

MSU - Moist Soil Unit

NAWMP - North American Waterfowl Management Plan

NEPA - National Environmental Policy Act

NRCS - Natural Resources Conservation Service

NWR - National Wildlife Refuge

NWRS - National Wildlife Refuge System

PFW - Partners for Fish and Wildlife

PIF - Partners in Flight

RIFO - Rock Island Field Office of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

RM - River Mile

RONS - Refuge Operating Needs System

ROS – Refuge Operations Specialist

SUP – Special Use Permit

UMR – Upper Mississippi River (mainstem river from the confluence with Ohio River at Cairo, IL, to St. Paul, MN)

UMRCC – Upper Mississippi River Conservation Committee

UMR – Upper Mississippi River (Mississippi River north of the Ohio River confluence)

UMRS – Upper Mississippi River System (UMR and navigable tributaries, including the Illinois River, but excluding the Missouri River)

USC - United States Code

USDA - United States Department of Agriculture

USEPA – United States Environmental Protection Agency

USFWS – United States Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS – United States Geological Survey

WMA – Wildlife Management Area

WRP - Wetland Reserve Program