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## ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| AQMP             | Air Quality Mitigation Plans                             |
| ARC              | Agricultural Research Council                            |
| BAC              | Bollard Acoustical Consultants                           |
| Basin Plan       | Water Quality Control Plan                               |
| BMI              | benthic macro invertebrate                               |
| BMPs             | best management practices                                |
| CAPCOA           | California Air Pollution Control Officer's Association's |
| CDFG             | California Department of Fish and Game                   |
| CDS              | continuous deflection system                             |
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| CEC              | California Energy Commission                             |
| CEQA             | State California Environmental Quality Act               |
| CNDDB            | California Native Diversity Database                     |
| CO               | carbon monoxide  |
| CPA              | California Power Authority                               |
| CPUC             | California Public Utilities Commission                   |
| CRHR             | California Register of Historic Resources                |
| CSI              | California Solar Initiative                              |
| Draft EIR        | Draft Environmental Impact Report                        |
| EAP              | Energy Action Plan"                                      |
| EAP II           | EAP  |
| ECORP            | ECORP Consulting, Inc.,                                  |
| GHG              | Greenhouse Gas   |
| GPAC             | General Plan Advisory Committee                          |
| LEED             | Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design            |
| LOS              | level of service   |
| MW               | megawatts  |
| NAHC             | California Native American Heritage Commission           |
| NO <sub>x</sub>  | oxides of nitrogen                                       |
| NPDES            | National Pollution Discharge Elimination System          |
| PCAPCD           | Placer County Air Pollution Control District             |
| PCWA             | Placer County Water Agency                               |
| PM <sub>10</sub> | particulate matter                                       |
| PRSCG            | Placer Regional Stormwater Coordination Group            |
| ROG              | reactive organic gases                                   |
| SB 1             | Senate Bill 1  |
| SMAQMD           | Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District  |
| SPMUD            | South Placer Municipal Utility District                  |
| SPRTA            | South Placer Regional Transportation Authority           |
| SWPPP            | stormwater pollution prevention plan                     |
| UAIC             | United Auburn Indian Community                           |

# 1 INTRODUCTION

In accordance with Section 15088 of the State California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, the City of Rocklin, as the lead agency, has reviewed the comments received on the Draft Environmental Impact Report (Draft EIR) for the Rocklin Crossings Project and has prepared written responses to the comments received.

On December 6, 2007, the City of Rocklin as the lead agency released for public review the Draft EIR for the Rocklin Crossings Project. The Draft EIR public review period ended on January 23, 2008.

Chapter 2 of the Final EIR consists of all of the written and oral comments received on the Draft EIR and presents responses to significant environmental issues raised in the comments (as required by the State CEQA Guidelines Section 15132). The focus of the responses to comments is on the disposition of significant environmental issues that are raised in the comments, as specified by Section 15088(c) of the State CEQA Guidelines. Detailed responses are not provided to comments on the merits of the proposed project. However, when a comment is not directed to significant environmental issues, the responses indicate that the comment has been noted and that no further response is necessary.

For several issues that were raised by multiple commenters, the City determined that the preparation of master responses would be appropriate. The master responses discuss the full range of the individual issues raised by commenters and specifically identify which responses they are intended to address. These master responses are presented at the beginning of Chapter 2. The individual comment letters and responses follow the master responses in Chapter 2.

Each comment letter has been reproduced and is followed by the responses to the comments in order of occurrence. For example, the response to the fourth comment of the second letter would be indicated as Response to Comment 2-4. In some instances, responses to comments may warrant modification of the text of the Draft EIR. In those cases, the text of the Draft EIR is revised and the changes compiled in Chapter 3, Corrections and Revisions to the Draft EIR. The text deletions are shown in strikeout (~~strikeout~~) and additions are shown in bold underline (**bold underline**).

This document and the Draft EIR together constitute the Final EIR that is being considered by the City of Rocklin.