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ANSI: American National Standards Institute

ARC: American Red Cross

ASCE: American Society of Civil Engineers

BFE: Base Flood Elevation

CMU: Concrete Masonry Unit

EHPA: Enhanced Hurricane Protection Area

EPZ: Emergency Planning Zone

FBC: Florida Building Code

FDOE: Florida Department of Education

FEMA: Federal Emergency Management Agency

FFE: Finished Floor Elevation

FIRM: Flood Insurance Rate Map

FY: Fiscal Year

GP: General Population

HB: House Bill

HESSS: Hurricane Evacuation Shelter Selection Standards (American Red Cross, June 2018)

HMGP: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (federal)

ICC: International Code Council

LEPC: Local Emergency Planning Committee

LiDAR: Light Detection and Ranging

LMS: Local Mitigation Strategy

LRDM: Least-Risk Decision Making

NFIP: National Flood Insurance Program

NWS: National Weather Service

PRM: Partially Reinforced Masonry

PSN: Persons with Special Needs

RPC: Regional Planning Council

SES: Standby Electrical System

SESP: Statewide Emergency Shelter Plan

SLOSH: Sea, Lake and Overland Surges from Hurricanes

SpNS: Special Needs Shelter (also SNS)

SRES: Statewide Regional Evacuation Studies

SRR: Shelter Retrofit Report