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AC Advisory Circular

ADA Americans with Disabilities Act
ADPM Average Day Peak Month
AIP Airport Improvement Program

ALP Airport Layout Plan

ALSF High Intensity Approach Lighting System with Sequenced Flashers

AOA Aircraft Operations Area

ASSET Airport System Strategic Evaluation Task
ASOS Automated Surface Observation System
AWOS Automated Weather Observation System

BEA Bureau of Economic Analysis
BTS Bureau of Transportation Statistics

CEDDS Complete Economic and Demographic Data Sources

DEED Department of Employment and Economic Development

DNR Department of Natural Resources
DOT Department of Transportation
EA Environmental Assessment

EAS Essential Air Service

FAA Federal Aviation Administration
FAR Federal Aviation Regulation
FBO Fixed Based Operator
FOD Foreign Object Debris
GA General Aviation

GAATA General Aviation and Air Taxi Activity

GIS Graphic Information Systems
HIRL High Intensity Runway Lights

ICAO International Civil Aviation Organization

IFR Instrument Flight Rules
ILS Instrument Landing System

LASAC Local Air Service Action Committee
LIRL Low Intensity Runway Lights

LSA Light Sport Aircraft

LTCP Long Term Comprehensive Plan MAC Metropolitan Airports Commission

MALSR Medium Intensity Approach Lights w/Runway Alignment Indicators

MALSF Medium Intensity Approach Lights w/Sequenced Flashers

MEP Multi-Engine Piston Aircraft

MnSASP Minnesota State Aviation System Plan
MnDOT Minnesota Department of Transportation
MPO Metropolitan Planning Organization

MSA Metropolitan Statistical Area

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MSP Minneapolis-St. Paul International Airport

NAS National Airspace System

NAVAID Navigational Aid Nm Nautical Miles

NPIAS National Plan of Integrated Airport Systems

ODAL Omni-Directional Approach Lights
OD1A Origin and Destination Survey
PAPI Precision Approach Path Indicator

PCI Pavement Condition Index

RDC Regional Development Commission
REIL Runway End Identifier Lights

RITA Research and Innovative Technology Administration

RNAV/GPS Area Navigation

SAC SASP Advisory Committee
SASP State Aviation System Plan
SEP Single Engine Piston Aircraft

SF Square Feet SY Square Yards

TAC Technical Advisory Committee

TAF Terminal Area Forecast TCMA Twin Cities Metro Area

TED Transportation Economic Development TERPS Terminal Procedure Publications

TP Turboprop

TSA Transportation Security Administration

TZD Toward Zero Deaths
UAV Unmanned Aerial Vehicles

VFR Visual Flight Rules

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