

APPENDIX FOUR DEFINITIONS

ALOHA	<i>Aerial Location of Hazardous Atmospheres</i> - Computer program developed by the National Oceanographic Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) for modeling plumes of chemical releases.
ARC	<i>American Red Cross</i>
BOCC	<i>Board of Clallam County Commissioners</i> - County legislative authority
CAMEO	<i>Computer-Aided Management of Emergency Operations</i> - Computer program developed by the National Oceanographic Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) to assist in the management of hazardous materials incidents. Included Response Information Data Sheets (RIDS) which gives information on chemical properties, health hazards, fire hazards, first aid and proper protective equipment.
CC-DAC	<i>Clallam County Disaster Assistance Council</i> - Community organizations that provide human services and volunteer services to coordinate effective emergency response services by those organizations for the people of Clallam County in times of disaster. Established under the authority of the Peninsula Regional Emergency Planning council.
CCFD	<i>Clallam County Fire District</i> - Clallam County has six (6) fire districts (1-6). In addition to the fire districts, the City of Port Angeles has a fire department. (The City of Sequim is served by Dist. #3 and the City of Forks is served by Dist. #1.)
CCSO	<i>Clallam County Sheriff's Office</i>
CEMP	<i>Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan</i>
DFO	<i>Disaster Field Office</i> - Local, temporary office established by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to provide a point of contact for programs after a community has suffered a disaster.
DOT	<i>Washington State Department of Transportation</i>
DSR	<i>Damage Survey Reports</i> - Reports to gather information regarding the effects of a disaster. DSR are done and submitted to the State of Washington to determine eligibility for disaster recovery programs.
DWI	<i>Disaster Welfare Inquires</i> - An American Red Cross function for the tracking of displaced citizens after a disaster.
EAS	<i>Emergency Alert System</i> - Replaced the Emergency Broadcast System (EBS) for communicating emergency information electronically to the public via Television and Radio.

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EMD	<i>Emergency Management Division of the Washington State Military Department - State level emergency management office.</i>
EMS	<i>Emergency Medical Service - Medical First Responders, such as paramedics and emergency medical technicians.</i>
EOC	<i>Emergency Operations Center - Location established for coordination of information and establishment of policy from legislative authorities during a disaster situation.</i>
EPA	<i>Environmental Protection Agency (Federal)</i>
ESF	<i>Emergency Support Functions - Support functions written as part of the overall plan according to the Federal Response Plan format.</i>
EVAC	<i>Evacuation - The process of moving persons out of an area effected or potentially effected by a disaster situation.</i>
FEMA	<i>Federal Emergency Management Agency</i>
FIRE MOB	<i>Fire Mobilization Plan - Washington State plan for the mobilization of resources throughout the state for response to major incidents.</i>
HAZ MAT	<i>Hazardous Materials</i>
HIVA	<i>Hazard Identification and Vulnerability Analysis - Analysis to identify hazards an area is vulnerable to.</i>
IC	<i>Incident Commander - Person in charge of incident response. Usually the senior office on-scene.</i>
ICS	<i>Incident Command System - Accepted system to manage an incident (functional management). Can expand or contract to the size of an incident.</i>
IPP	<i>In-Place-Protection - Having potential victims stay inside during an incident. Used primarily during hazardous materials incidents.</i>
LEPC	<i>Local Emergency Planning Committee - Made up of local public safety, community members, chemical facility representative, and otherS to prepare and plan for hazardous materials emergencies. Required under SARA Title 3.</i>
PPE	<i>Personal Protective Equipment</i>
PREP	<i>Peninsula Regional Emergency Planning-Council responsible for implementing the Peninsula Regional Emergency Plan to coordinate efforts under ICS for response to a multi-jurisdictional event.</i>
PUD	<i>Public Utility District #1 of Clallam county</i>
RCW	<i>Revised Code of Washington</i>
RIDS	<i>Response Information Data Sheets - A section of the CAMEO program and provides</i>

information for responders on appropriate actions to take when faced with a hazardous materials incident.

SAR *Search and Rescue*

SARA *Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act* - Public law passed in 1986 to require community planning for hazardous material emergencies. Also allows the public to be provided access to information about chemicals in their community.

SP *Suggested Procedures*

USAR *Urban Search and Rescue* - SAR functions usually occurring after building damage or collapse from an earthquake or other incident.

WAC *Washington Administrative Codes*