Local Mitigation Strategy 2024

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ACRONYMS

BCC	Board of County Commissioners
C-MAN	Coastal-Marine Automated Network
CDC	Centers for Disease Control
CEI	Climate Extremes Index
CEMP	Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan
CERT	Community Emergency Response Team
CI	Cost of Improvement
CISA	Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency
COOP	Continuity of Operations
CRS	Community Rating System
DEM	Palm Beach County Division of Emergency Management
EDMIS	Economic Disaster Management Information Systems
EM	Emergency Management
EOC	Emergency Operations Center
ERM	Environmental Resource Management
ESF	Emergency Support Function
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation
FDACS	Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
FDEM	Florida Division of Emergency Management
FDEP	Florida Department of Environmental Protection
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FFS	Florida Forest Service
FIRM	Flood Insurance Rate Maps
FMAP	Flood Mitigation Assistance Program
FWC	Florida Fish & Wildlife Conservation Commission
GCRI	Greenhouse Climate Response Index
GIS	Geographic Information System
HAB	Harmful Algal Bloom
HAB FB	Harmful Algal Bloom Forecasting Branch
HFT	Hydronucleation Flotation Technology
HHD	Herbert Hoover Dike
HLB	Huanglongbing disease
HMGP	Hazard Mitigation Grant Program
IPZ	Ingestion Pathway Zone
LMS	Local Mitigation Strategy
LDR	Local Development Regulations
LEPC	Local Emergency Planning Committee
LOD	Letter of Dispute
MAT	Mitigation Assessment Team
MPO	Metropolitan Planning Organization
NCCOS	National Centers for Coastal Ocean Science
NFIP	National Flood Insurance Program
NGO	Non-Governmental Organization
NGVD	National Geodetic Vertical Datum
NOAA	National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration
MV	Market Value of Existing Structure
NRI	National Risk Index
NWS	National Weather Service

PAPA	Property Appraisers Database
PBI	Palm Beach International Airport
PCCIP	President's Commission on Critical Infrastructure Protection
PPL	Project Prioritization List
PZ&B	Department of Planning, Zoning, & Building
RLP	Repetitive Loss Property
RNG	Renewable Natural Gas
SARS	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome
SD	Substantial Damage
SFHA	Special Flood Hazard Area
SFWMD	South Florida Water Management District
SHMP	State Hazard Mitigation Plan
SI	Substantial Improvement
SLR	Sea Level Rise
SRLP	Severe Repetitive Loss Property
STP	Sand Transfer Plant
TAOS	The Arbiter of Storms
TCRPC	Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council
USACE	US Army Corps of Engineers
USGA	US Geological Survey
VA	Vulnerability Assessment
WMD	Weapons of Mass Destruction
WFO	NWS Weather Forecast Office