## LIST OF ACRONYMS AND ABBREVIATIONS

7Q10 The lowest annual 7-day average flow that occurs once in 10 years

ACF Apalachicola - Chattahoochee - Flint Rivers

CEQ Council on Environmental Quality
CFR Code of Federal Regulations

cfs cubic feet per second

CRNRA Chattahoochee River National Recreation Area

EIS Environmental Impact Statement
EPA Environmental Protection Agency

EPD Georgia Environmental Protection Division

ESA Endangered Species Act

HEC Hydrologic Engineering Center
ITS Incidental Take Statement

LEDPA Least Environmentally Damaging Practicable Alternative

mgd million gallons per day
MIF Minimum Instream Flow

MNGWPD Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District

msl mean sea level

NEPA National Environmental Policy Act NGO Non-Governmental Organization

NOI Notice of Intent

NPDES National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

ResSim Reservoir Simulation Model
RIOP Revised Interim Operating Plan
RPM Reasonable and Prudent Measures

SOP Standard Operating Procedures for Calculation of Compensatory Mitigation in Georgia

SR State Route

TMDL Total Maximum Daily Load

USACE United States Army Corps of Engineers
USFWS United States Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS United States Geological Survey

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